9.0 ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

°C Celsius

°F Fahrenheit

AB Assembly Bill

ABAG Association of Bay Area Governments

ACCWP Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program

ACDEH Alameda County Department of Environmental Health

ACDPWA Alameda County Department of Public Works Agency

ACOE Army Corps of Engineers

ACPD Alameda County Planning Department

af acre feet

ALCO Alameda County

AMP Rezoning or proposed project Altamont Motorsports Park Rezoning

ARB Air Resource Board

AST aboveground fuel storage tank

ASTM America Society for Testing and Materials

BAAQMD Bay Area Air Quality Management District

BCC Bird of Conservation Concern

bgs below ground surface

Btu British thermal units

C2H3Cl vinyl chloride

CAA Clean Air Act

CAAQS California Ambient Air Quality Standards

CAIT Climate Analysis Indicators Tool

CAL/EPA California Environmental Protection Agency

Caltrans California Department of Transportation

CARB California Air Resources Board

CCAA California Clean Air Act

CDC The California Department of Conservation

CDF's California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's

CDFG California Department of Fish and Game

CEC California Energy Commission

CEQA California Environmental Quality Act

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Responsibility, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980

CERCLIS Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information

System

CESA California Endangered Species Act

CFCs chlorofluorocarbons

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CGS California Geological Survey

CH₄ Methane

CHP California Highway Patrol

CIWMB California Integrated Waste Management Board

CNDDB California Natural Diversity Database

CNEL Community Noise Equivalent Level

CNPS California Native Plant Society

CO carbon monoxide

CR California Register of Historical Resources

CSC California Species of Concern

CUP Conditional Use Permit

dB(A) a weighted decibel

dB decibel

DHS Department of Health Services

DOF California Department of Finance

DOT Department of Transportation

Draft EIR Draft Environmental Impact Report

DTSC California Department of Toxic Substances Control

DWR California Department of Water Resources

ECAP Alameda County East County Area Plan

ESA Endangered Species Act

ESL Environmental Screening Levels

FAR floor area ratio

FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency

FMMP Important Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

FRAP Fire Resource Assessment Program

g gravity

GBVAB Great Basin Valleys Air Basin

GHGs greenhouse gases

GWP Global Warming Potential

H₂O Water vapor

H₂S hydrogen sulfide

HAPs hazardous air pollutants

HCFCs hydrochlorofluorocarbons

HCP Habitat Conservation Plan

HFCs Hydrofluorocarbons

HMBP Hazardous Materials Business Plan

HMP Habitat Management Plan

IPCC Intergovernmental Pane on Climate Change

LCFS Low Carbon Fuel Standards

LDA/LDT light-duty automobiles and light-duty trucks

LED light emitting diode

Leq Equivalent Noise Level

LOS level of service

MBTA Migratory Bird Treaty Act

MBUAPCD Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District's

MCAB Mountain Counties Air Basin

MDV/LHD medium-duty vehicles and light-heavy duty trucks

MMTCO₂E million metric tons

msl mean sea level

MTC Metropolitan Transportation Commission

N2O Nitrous oxide

NAASQ The National Ambient Air Quality Standards

NAHC Native American Heritage Commission

NCAB North Coast Air Basin

NCCAB North Central Coast Air Basin

NCCP Natural Community Conservation Plan

NEHRP National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program

NESHAP National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants

NIC California Historical Resources Information System's Northwest Information Center

NO₂ nitrogen dioxide

NOC Notice of Completion

NOD Notice of Determination

NOP Notice of Preparation

NOx nitrogen

NPDES National Pollution Discharge Elimination System

NRCD National Resources Conservation District

NR National Register of Historic Places

O₃ ozone

OPR Governor's Office of Planning and Research

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Pb lead

PFCs perfluorocarbons

PG&E Pacific Gas and Electric Company

PM₁₀ 10 microns in diameter

PM_{2.5} 2.5 microns in diameter

ppm parts per million

PRG Preliminary Remediation Goal

PUE Public Utilities Easement

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976

RMS root-mean-square

ROG reactive organic gases

RV recreational vehicle

RWQCB Regional Water Quality Control Board

SCCAB South Central Coast Air Basin

SCS United States Soil Conservation Service

SF6 sulfur hexafluoride

SFBAAB San Francisco Bay Area Air Basin

SIP State Implementation Plan

SJVAPCD San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District

sL silt loading

sL=0.02 silt loading factor

SLOCAPCD San Luis Obispo County Air Pollution Control District

SMARA Surface Mining and Reclamation Act

SO₂ sulfur dioxide

SO₄ sulfates

SRRE Source Reduction and Recycling Element

SVAB Sacramento Valley Air Basin

SWRCB California State Water Resources Control Board

TCMs transportation control measures

TRPH total residual petroleum hydrocarbons

UBC California Uniform Building Code

UNEP United Nations Environmental Program

UNFCCC United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

USDA US Department of Agricultral

US EPA US Environmental Projection Agency

USFWS U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS U.S. Geological Survey

UV ultraviolet

VMT vehicle miles traveled

VOC volatile organic compound

W vehicle weight

WMO The World Meteorological Organization

YSAQMD Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District