

Discovery Report Appendix A

Acronyms and Abbreviations

Lake Erie – Headwaters to the Buffalo-Eighteenmile Watershed HUC 04120103

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Acronyms and Abbreviations

AAL	Average Annualized Loss
BFE	Base Flood Elevation
CAC	Community Assistance Contact
CAV	Community Assistance Visit
CBRS	Coastal Barrier Resources System
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFS	Cubic Feet per Second
CID	Community Identification Number
CIS	Community Information System
CNMS	Coordinated Needs Management Strategy
CRS	Community Rating System
DMA2K	Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA2K)
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHBM	Flood Hazard Boundary Map
FIRM	Flood Insurance Rate Map
FIS	Flood Insurance Study
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standard
FMA	Flood Mitigation Assistance
GIS	Geographic Information System
GLCFS	Great Lakes Coastal Flood Study
Hazus-MH	Multi-Hazard Risk Assessment and Loss Estimation Software Program
HMA	Hazard Mitigation Assistance
HMGP	Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
HMP	Hazard Mitigation Plan
HWM	High Water Mark
HUC	Hydrologic Unit Code
LiDAR	Light Detection and Ranging
LiMWA	Limit of Moderate Wave Action
LOMA	Letter of Map Amendment
LOMC	Letter of Map Change
LOMR	Letter of Map Revision
LOMR-F	Letter of Map Revision based on Fill

MS4	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System
NAVD88	North American Vertical Datum of 1988
NDBC	National Data Buoy Center
NFIP	National Flood Insurance Program
NGVD29	National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NRCS	National Resources Conservation Service
NWS	National Weather Service
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
NYSDHSES	New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services
NYSOEM	New York State Office of Emergency Management (*as part of NYSDHSES)
PDM	Pre-Disaster Mitigation
RAMPP	Risk Assessment, Mapping, and Planning Partners
Risk MAP	Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning
RL	Repetitive Loss
SFHA	Special Flood Hazard Area
SPDES	State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
SRL	Severe Repetitive Loss
SWCD	Soil and Water Conservation District
USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USGS	United States Geological Survey