

Appendix B
Acronyms

ARMS - Archaeological Records Management Section
BiOp - Biological Opinion
BMP - Best Management Practice
CWA - Clean Water Act
DO- dissolved oxygen
EA – Environmental Assessment
ESA – Endangered Species Act
FR – Federal Register
ITAs - Indian Trust Assets
LWD - large woody debris
MBTA - Migratory Bird Treaty Act
MEI – Mussetter Engineering, Inc.
MOA- Memorandum of Agreement
MRG – Middle Rio Grande
MRGCD - Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District
NEPA - National Environmental Policy Act
NHPA - National Historic Preservation Act
NMAC - New Mexico Administrative Code
NMDGF - New Mexico Department of Game and Fish
NMISC – New Mexico Interstate Stream Commission
NMRPTC – New Mexico Rare Plant Technical Council
NPDES - National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NRHP - National Register of Historic Places
NWR - National Wildlife Refuge
OSE - Office of the State Engineer
PCPI - per capita personal income
RBN – Rio Bravo North
RBS – Rio Bravo South
RGNCSP - Rio Grande Nature Center State Park
RGVSP – Rio Grande Valley State Park
RM - River Mile
RPA – Reasonable and Prudent Alternative
SDC - South Diversion Channel
SRCP - State Register of Cultural Properties
SSED – suspended sediments
SSPA – S.S. Papadopoulos & Associates, Inc
TCP - traditional cultural property
TDS- total dissolved solids
UNM – University of New Mexico
URGWOPS - Upper Rio Grande Water Operations
USACE – U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USFWS - U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS – U.S. Geological Survey