GOAL 1: The County and Marion County Comprehensive Plan 2035 may use various acronyms which are ordinarily and customarily encountered and used by professionals and professional organizations which participate in the comprehensive planning and land development regulation processes.

OBJECTIVE 1.1: For the purposes of the Marion County Comprehensive Plan 2035, the acronyms listed herein shall generally be applicable and shall comply with the interpretation requirements as set forth.

Policy 1.1.1: The following acronyms may be used within the Marion County Comprehensive Plan and/or Marion County Land Development Code; however the list is not all inclusive and additional or other acronyms may be used for appropriate purposes, consistent with the additional policies of this Objective:

- AASHTO. American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials.
- ACLF. Adult Congregate Living Facility.
- ADF. Average Daily Flow.
- ALF. Assisted Living Facility.
- AMOA. Acknowledgement of Military Operating Area.
- ANSI. American National Standards Institute.
- API. American Petroleum Institute.
- ASME. American Society of Mechanical Engineers.
- ASTM. American Society for Testing Materials.
- AWWA. American Water Works Association.
- BMP. Best Management Practice(s).
- C&D. Construction and Demolition.
- CCR. Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions.
- CDD. Community Development District.
- CESQG. Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generators.
- CPAA. Comprehensive Plan Amendment Application.
- CWS. Community Water System.
- DADF. Designed Average Daily Flow, in gallons.
- DBH. Diameter at Breast Height.
- DEM. Florida Division of Emergency Management or equivalent.
- DEO. Florida Department of Economic Opportunity.
- DIP. Ductile Iron Pipe.
DOH. Florida Department of Health, local, regional or state, as applicable.
EALS. Environmental Assessment for Listed Species.
EALS-ER. Environmental Assessment for Listed Species Exemption Request.
EPA. United States Environmental Protection Agency.
ERC. Equivalent Residential Connection.
FAA. Federal Aviation Administration.
FAC. Florida Administrative Code.
FAR. Floor Area Ratio.
FBC. Florida Building Code.
FCC. Federal Communications Commission.
FDC. Fire Department Connection.
FDEP. Florida Department of Environmental Protection.
FDFO. Florida Division of Forestry.
FDOT. Florida Department of Transportation.
FEMA. Federal Emergency Management Agency.
FFL. Florida Friendly Landscaping.
FFPC. Florida Fire Prevention Code.
FGCC. Federal Geodetic Control Committee.
FHBMM. Flood Hazard Base Map.
FIRM. Flood Insurance Rate Map.
FIS. Flood Insurance Study.
FNAI. Florida Natural Areas Inventory.
FPS. Feet Per Second.
FS. Florida Statute.
FWC. Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.
GFA. Gross Floor Area.
GLA. Gross Leasable Area.
GPD. Gallons Per Day.
GPM. Gallons Per Minute.
GRPA. Groundwater Recharge Preservation Area.
HOA. Home Owners Association.
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<td>Improved Open Space.</td>
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<td>MCAVA</td>
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<td>MGD</td>
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<td>MTS</td>
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<td>NAICS</td>
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<td>NEC</td>
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<td>NEMA</td>
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<td>OHWL</td>
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<td>OSHA</td>
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<td>OSTDS</td>
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Acronyms

P&Z. Planning and Zoning Commission.
PAR. Public Access Reuse.
PBTS. Performance Based Treatment System.
PSC. Florida Public Service Commission.
PUD. Planned Unit Development.
QNA. Qualified Natural Area.
RIB. Rapid Infiltration Basin.
RPZ. Reduced Pressure Zone.
RRLA. Rapid Rate Land Application System.
RV. Recreational Vehicle.
SFHA. Special Flood Hazard Area.
SIC. Standard Industrial Classification.
SJRWMD. St. Johns River Water Management District.
SPZ. Springs Protection Zone.
SRA. Scenic Roads Area.
SRAA. Scenic Roads Amendment Application.
SRLA. Slow Rate Land Application System.
SUP. Special Use Permit.
SWFWMD. Southwest Florida Water Management District.
TDC. Transferrable Development Credit.
TDCA. Transfer of Development Credits Application.
TDR. Transferrable Development Rights.
TN. Total Nitrogen.
TPO. Transportation Planning Organization.
TRP. Transfer of Rights Program.
TVR. Transfer of Vested Rights.
UF/IFAS. University of Florida, Institute of Food and Agriculture Science.
UBG. Urban Growth Boundary.
UND. Urban Neighborhood District.
USDA. United States Department of Agriculture.
USDA-NRSC. United States Department of Agriculture-Natural Resources Conservation Service.
USDOT. United Stated Department of Transportation.
USFS. United States Forest Service.
USFWS. United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

USGS. United States Geological Survey.

V/C. Volume to Capacity Ratio.

WBSL. Water Boundary Setback Line.

WTP. Water Treatment Plant.

WWTF. Wastewater Treatment Facility.

Policy 1.1.2: The final determination for the use or meaning of an acronym as used in the Comprehensive Plan shall be the responsibility of the Marion County Growth Services Director, or his designee.

Policy 1.1.3: An appeal of an acronym determination by the Growth Services Director designee shall be to the Growth Services Director.

Policy 1.1.4: An appeal of an acronym determination by the Growth Services Director shall be to the Marion County Development Review Committee.

Policy 1.1.5: An appeal of an acronym determination by the Development Review Committee shall be to the Marion County Board of County Commissioners.

Policy 1.1.6: An appeal of an acronym determination by the Board of County Commissioners shall be to the applicable Circuit Court.