

AA	Assembly Area
BS	Business Support (EOC/ICP Admin & staff welfare)
CAG	Coordinating Advisory Group
CD	Civil Defence
CDEM	Civil Defence Emergency Management
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CEG	Chief Executive's Group
CIMS	Coordinated Incident Management System
DHB	District Health Board
DOC	Department of Conservation
EMC	Emergency Medical Centre/Emergency Management Committee
EOA	Emergency Operating Area
EOC	Emergency Operations Centre
EW	Environment Waikato
ESCC/G	Emergency Services Coordinating Committee/Group
GECC	Group Emergency Coordination Centre
GNS	Institute of Geological and Nuclear Science
HB	Helibase
HP	Helipad
IAP	Incident Action Plan
IC	Incident Controller
ICP	Incident Control Point
IMT	Incident Management Team
LOGS	Logistics
LWC	Local Welfare Committee
MAF	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry
MCDEM	Ministry of Civil Defence & Emergency Management
MED	Ministry of Economic Development
MoH	Ministry of Health
MSA	Maritime Safety Authority
MSD	Ministry of Social Development
NIWA	National Institute of Water and Atmosphere Research
OPS	Operations
P & I	Planning and Intelligence
PIM/O	Public Information Manager/Officer
R/T	Radio Telephone
RAC	Recovery Assistance Centre
RCC	Response Coordination Centre
SA	Staging Area
SEOA	Southern Emergency Operating Area
SFP	Safe Forward Point
Sitrep	Situation report
SOP's	Standard Operating Procedures
TVEOA	Thames Valley Emergency Operating Area
WAG	Welfare Advisory Group
WELG	Waikato Engineering Lifelines Group
WINZ	Work & Income New Zealand
WVEOA	Waikato Valley Emergency Operating Area