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**STEVENS COUNTY CODE**

**TITLE 13**

**CRITICAL AREAS ORDINANCE**

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## ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS DOCUMENT

<b>BAS</b>	Best Available Science
<b>BOCC</b>	Board of County Commissioners
<b>CAO</b>	Critical Areas Ordinance
<b>CARA</b>	Critical Aquifer Recharge Area
<b>DNR</b>	Department of Natural Resources (State)
<b>DOE</b>	Department of Ecology (State)
<b>EHA</b>	Erosion Hazard Zone
<b>FEMA</b>	Federal Emergency Management Agency
<b>FIRM</b>	Flood Insurance Rate Maps
<b>LHA</b>	Landslide Hazard Areas
<b>LOC</b>	Letter of Consistency
<b>GMA</b>	Growth Management Act
<b>NETCHD</b>	Northeast Tri-County Health District
<b>NRCS</b>	Natural Resource Conservation Service (Federal)
<b>NWI</b>	National Wetland Inventory
<b>OHWM</b>	Ordinary High Water Mark
<b>PHS</b>	Priority Habitats and Species
<b>RCW</b>	Revised Code of Washington
<b>WAC</b>	Washington Administrative Code
<b>WDFW</b>	Washington State Dept. of Fish & Wildlife
<b>USDA</b>	United States Dept. of Agriculture
<b>USGS</b>	United States Geological Service
<b>USFWS</b>	United States Fish & Wildlife Service