

ABBREVIATIONS

ACS—American Community Survey
ALEC—American Legislative and Executive Council
CBD—central business district
CCP—Center for Community Progress
CM—conservative movement
CRM—civil rights movement
DBRTF—Detroit Blight Removal Task Force
DFC—Detroit Future City
DRPS—Detroit Residential Parcel Survey
DIY—do it yourself
DWS—Detroit Water System
EHLN—extreme housing-loss neighborhood
GCLB—Genesee County Land Bank
GM—General Motors
FHA—Federal Housing Administration
HOPE VI—Home Ownership and Opportunity Everywhere
 (HUD program)
HUD—United States Department of Housing and Urban
 Development
LFR—laissez-faire racism
LIHTC—low-income housing tax credits

LLC—limited liability corporation

NAACP—National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

NBER—National Bureau of Economic Research

OPEC—Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries

PCS—public-choice school

SIGTARP—Special Inspector General for the Troubled Asset Relief Program

SSHRC—Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council

TIF—tax increment financing (Districts)

UAW—United Auto Workers

U-SNAP-BAC—United Streets Networking and Planning; Building A Community

WPA—Works Progress Administration