



## Northern Virginia Regional Commission

# RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 15-08

PATRON: G. Mark Gibb  
Executive Director  
DATE: December 11, 2014

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### **AUTHORIZATION TO APPROVE RENEWED AGREEMENT BETWEEN VERBAND REGION STUTTART AND NORTHERN VIRGINIA REGIONAL COMMISSION**

WHEREAS, the Northern Virginia Regional Commission (NVRC) has set a national precedent for its systemic search, analysis and application of innovative energy, transportation, watershed restoration, "green" buildings, and economic development policies and technologies from many countries such as Germany and regions such as Stuttgart;

WHEREAS, the NVRC and the Verband Region Stuttgart partnership has been a model for international cooperation among regions for over 15 years;

WHEREAS, many policy and technical innovations have emanated in Northern Virginia through this partnership and transformed the economy, communities and environment of Northern Virginia;

WHEREAS, this agreement is due to expire at the end of 2014;

WHEREAS, the signing of this renewed agreement does not dictate that public funds will be expended in pursuing the goals and objectives of the cooperative agreement;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Director of the Northern Virginia Regional Commission is authorized to sign a Renewed Agreement between the Northern Virginia Regional Council and the Verband Region Stuttgart to support the activities of mutual benefit in cross-national policy and technology transfer between both regions.

### CERTIFICATION

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Northern Virginia Regional Commission on December 11, 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Mark Gibb", is written over a horizontal line.

G. Mark Gibb, Certifying Officer

