



Northern Virginia Regional Commission

RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 18-29

PATRON: Robert W. Lazaro, Jr.
Executive Director

DATE: March 22, 2018

RECOGNITION OF NVRC PARTNERSHIP AND NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE LEADERSHIP OF DON BRIGGS

WHEREAS, the Northern Virginia Regional Commission (NVRC) has supported the coordination of local trail and greenway initiatives throughout the Northern Virginia region; and

WHEREAS, NVRC continues to assist local governments in the planning and implementation of the Potomac Heritage National Scenic Trail (PHNST) and is appreciative of its partners on the local, state and federal levels; and

WHEREAS, the National Park Service has provided technical assistance funding to NVRC to assist local governments in the planning and development of the PHNST in Northern Virginia; and

WHEREAS, NVRC has been coordinating local efforts to discuss and research policy issues since 2000 through the PHNST Public Land Managers Committee and has supported historic, tourism development, and recreational resources related to the PHNST; and

WHEREAS, the National Park Service Superintendent Don Briggs has proven a supporter and friend of the PHNST in Virginia and for more than 3 decades has worked with NVRC; and

WHEREAS, staff from the City of Alexandria and the Counties of Loudoun, Fairfax, and Prince William, and the towns of Leesburg and Occoquan have partnered with NPS and NVRC in the planning and development of the PHNST;

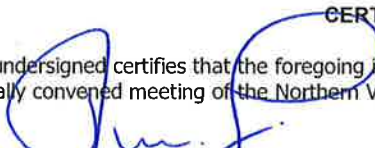
WHEREAS, Don Briggs, NPS Superintendent of the PHNST has contributed to the development of over one hundred miles of trails with significant tourism and recreational promotion in Northern Virginia;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Northern Virginia Regional Commission recognizes Don Briggs for his many years of service to the Federal government and to the region and wishes him many years of good health and happiness upon his retirement.



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 March 22, 2018.



ROBERT W. LAZARO, JR., CERTIFYING OFFICER