

**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABERDEEN**  
**Resolution No. 14-R-12**

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<b>Introduced By:</b>	<b>Mayor Michael E. Bennett</b>
<b>Date Introduced:</b>	<b>July 21, 2014</b>
<b>Date Adopted:</b>	<b>July 21, 2014</b>
<b>Date Effective:</b>	<b>July 21, 2014</b>

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ABERDEEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
SUPPORTING PARTICIPATION IN THE SUSTAINABLE MARYLAND CERTIFIED  
MUNICIPAL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**

1 **WHEREAS**, a sustainable community means meeting the needs of the present without  
2 compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs; and  
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4 **WHEREAS**, a sustainable community seeks to optimize quality of life for its residents by  
5 ensuring that its environmental, economic and social objectives are balanced and mutually  
6 supportive; and  
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8 **WHEREAS**, the City of Aberdeen strives to save tax dollars, assure clean land, air and water,  
9 improve working and living environments as steps to building a sustainable community that will  
10 thrive well into the new century; and  
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12 **WHEREAS**, the City of Aberdeen hereby acknowledges that the residents of the City of  
13 Aberdeen desire a stable, sustainable future for themselves and future generations; and  
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15 **WHEREAS**, the City of Aberdeen wishes to support a model of government which benefits our  
16 residents now and far into the future by exploring and adopting sustainable, economically-sound,  
17 local government practices; and  
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19 **WHEREAS**, by endorsing a sustainable path the City of Aberdeen is pledging to educate itself  
20 and community to provide leadership which will seek community-based sustainable solutions to  
21 strengthen our community.  
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23 **NOW, THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED**, that to focus attention and effort within the  
24 City of Aberdeen on matters of sustainability, the Council wishes to pursue local initiatives and  
25 actions that will lead to Sustainable Maryland Certified Municipal Certification; and  
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27 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Council of the City of Aberdeen that we do hereby  
28 authorize the Mayor to serve as the City of Aberdeen's agent for the Sustainable Maryland  
29 Certified Municipal Certification process and authorize him to complete the Municipal  
30 Registration on behalf of the City of Aberdeen.  
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32 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, this Resolution shall take effect from the date of its  
33 adoption.

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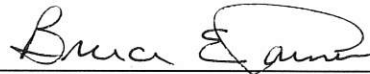
**Michael E. Bennett, Mayor**



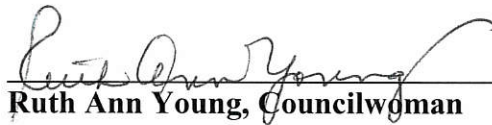
**Ruth E. Elliott, Councilwoman**



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**Ruth Ann Young, Councilwoman**

**ATTEST:**

**SEAL:**

  
**Monica A. Correll, City Clerk**

Date July 21, 2014