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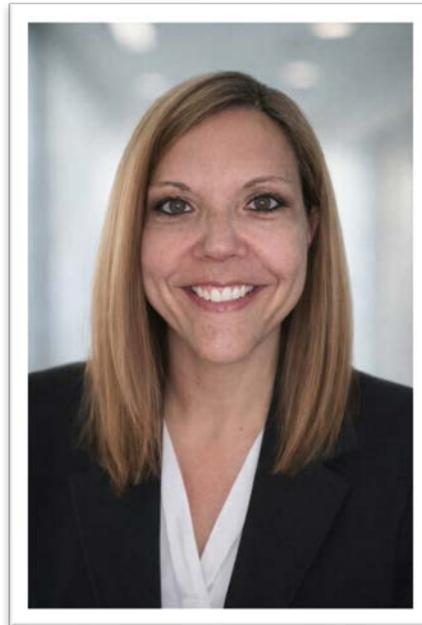
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Tracie Morgan Joins Amherst County Staff as Finance Director

Amherst County would like to welcome Tracie Morgan to her position as Finance Director. As Director, she will be responsible for establishing financial policies and procedures, ensuring legal and regulatory compliance, and overseeing cost and general accounting, accounts receivable/collections/payroll, financial risk management, grants applications/administration, and purchasing.

Tracie brings 20 years of public-sector experience to her new role, including 6 years in the Amherst County Finance Department, where she served as Assistant Finance Director from 2007 to 2013. Most recently, she served the Town of Amherst as both Treasurer and Deputy Town Manager. Tracie holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration as well as a Virginia Contracting Associate certification, a Virginia Government Finance Officer's Association certification, and a Graduate Certificate in Local Government Management from Virginia Tech. She is pursuing the Certified Public Finance Officer credential.

Tracie began working with the Finance Department full-time on November 17th and is already proving to be an asset to the organization.



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