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Sign Unveiled at Sara Lu Christian Trail

The Amherst County Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Development Board gathered at Riveredge Park on September 5th to unveil the new sign at the Sara Lu Christian Trail. The event took place at the trailhead at Riveredge Park and included a dedication ceremony and trail walk.

Speakers at the ceremony included retired Director of Parks and Recreation Sara Lu Christian, Charmain of the Amherst County Board of Supervisors Tom Martin, the Amherst County Administrator Jeremy Bryant, Emily Harper, retired Director of Nelson County Parks and Recreation, and the former pastor of Clifford Baptist Church Mike Fitzgerald.

Sara Lu retired as the Amherst County Director of Recreation and Parks on January 31, 2021, after serving the county for 32 years. She brought energy and passion to her work and created an atmosphere of health and wellness in Amherst County through multiple programs and initiatives. She was instrumental in the planning, development, and construction of Riveredge Park. The Amherst County Board of Supervisors is pleased to honor her accomplishments and achievements by naming the trail at Riveredge Park the Sara Lu Christian Trail.



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