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**NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR JOINS
SCHUYLKILL AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION**



The Schuylkill Area Community Foundation Board of Directors, at its August meeting, unanimously elected Amanda Campbell to the position of Executive Director.

Campbell, a life-long resident of Schuylkill County, currently resides with her family in Ringtown. She holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communications/ Journalism from Shippensburg University. She is a 2016 graduate of the Chamber of Commerce Schuylkill Leadership program.

Campbell's professional resume includes five years as Marketing Manager with MBNA America in Hunt Valley, MD. For the last six years, she served as Advancement Director of St. Joseph's Center for Special Learning, Inc. in Pottsville. Throughout her professional career, Amanda worked extensively in recruitment, fundraising, donor solicitation and recognition, scholarship awards, promotional activities, budgeting, and grant writing. In her varied positions, she interacted with Advisory Boards, internal staff, students, citizens, and the business and professional community of Schuylkill and surrounding counties.

Gary Glessner, Board President, believes the leadership skills Campbell brings to the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation will enable the Foundation to continue to grow and make a positive impact on the Schuylkill County Community. The Foundation, currently celebrating 50 years of charitable giving, envisions continuing to serve the interests of philanthropic donors for future generations. Campbell will be working to strengthen and promote charitable giving in Schuylkill County. The success of her endeavors will be measured by Foundation donors, professional advisors, and community partners. The Foundation will continue to be stewards of financial gifts represented by the "Pillars of the Community"; namely, Arts and Culture, Education, Environment, Community, Health and Wellness, and Human Services.

The Schuylkill Area Community Foundation Board of Directors and Staff looks forward to working with Amanda as she accepts new and exciting challenges in her position as Executive Director. We encourage the community to welcome Amanda as she strives to continue the Foundation's mission of building a permanent endowment to meet the current and future needs of Schuylkill County. To "Give Locally, Help Locally" contact Amanda for information at the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation office at 570-624-7223, visit us on the Web at www.sacfoundation.com, or follow us on Facebook.

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