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## Welcome Tracy Stakely, New Superintendent – Congaree National Park



Tracy Stakely assumed the Congaree National Park's top administrator on January 14, 2013, replacing Tracy Swartout, who left for a position at Mount Rainier National Park. Stakely was formerly the chief of cultural landscapes in the Atlanta regional office of the National Park Service. He also served short-term assignments at Kennesaw Mountain National Battlefield and Mammoth Cave National Park. His focus in his 14 years with the National Park Service has been on documenting history of parks and facilities. SERCO welcomes Superintendent Stakely and looks forward to a continued partnership for preservation and the promotion of the Lower Richland area.

## Well at Historic Harriet Barber House

A replica of the Sam Barber well erected Oct. 5, 2012, on the grounds of the Historic Harriet Barber House. The building specifications were drawn by John B. Barber, Jr., who is age 92, and the grandson on Sam Barber. The replication project was financed by Dr. James Kenney, Hilton Head, SC. The well was constructed by Mr. Johnny Martin of Columbia, SC.



John B. Barber, Jr.





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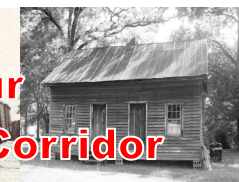
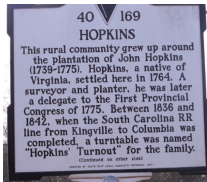
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## 6th Annual Holiday Taste & Tour Lower Richland Heritage Corridor



Norfolk Southern Corporation scheduled the Village of Hopkins to be one of only 15 stops on their Exhibit Car's 30th Anniversary Tour. The Exhibit Car is a restored 1926 Pullman passenger car which was converted in 1971.



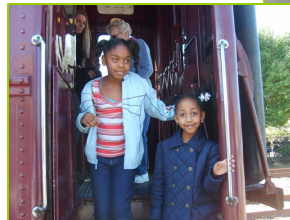
Attorney Ted Hopkins (left) and Norfolk Southern SC Regional Vice-President Frank Macchiaverna who was presented Richland County Proclamation.



Catherine & Ted Hopkins



County Council Chair Kelvin Washington & Village Elders VP Clarence Hill



Touring The Train



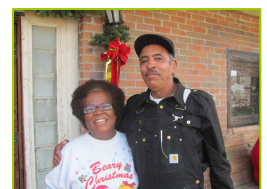
Tyler Ryan, WACH Fox Morning News Anchor



Antioch Pastor Albert A. Neal recalls his Hopkins roots & stokes fire.



When Grandma's False Teeth Fly," Author Mary Lee





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Students and staff from the Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School visit the Historic Harriet Barber House.



Hoe Cake vs. Stove Top Bread and Other Recipes From Down Home, Edition I – written for, and dedicated to 2012 Taste & Tour. (D. DeVeaux-Neal Scott Brooks, Author)

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**Join Us . . .** The mission of SERCO is to create partnerships within the Lower Richland Community to provide charitable, educational and scientific programs to strengthen and expand the capacity of the community for a better quality of life for its residents.

SERCO invites you to become a part of the outreach movement by supporting our Lower Richland Heritage Corridor events and programs throughout the year:

## **SOUTH EAST RURAL COMMUNITY OUTREACH MEMBERSHIP FORM**

### **INDIVIDUALS & FAMILIES:**

**\$20 INDIVIDUAL    \$40 FAMILY    \$75 ADVOCATE    \$100 PARTNER    \$500 PATRON**

### **ORGANIZATIONS, BUSINESSES & CORPORATIONS:**

**\$1,000 BENEFACTOR    \$2,000 CORPORATE SPONSOR**

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