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**MID-LOTHIAN
MINES PARK**

One of the first major industrial sites in the United States became a 44-acre preserve when Mid-Lothian Mines Park opened in 2004. Now dedicated to the citizens of Chesterfield County, past and present, the cut stone ruins of the mines, surrounded by the beautiful woodland, attests to the courage, innovation and sacrifice of those who started the nation's industrial revolution.



MID-LOTHIAN MINES PARK

**TRAIL AND BRIDGES
DEDICATION CEREMONY**

**RECOGNIZING THE PARTNERSHIP WITH
VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES,
MINERALS AND ENERGY**

**MID-LOTHIAN MINES PARK
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2015**

10 A.M.



PROGRAM

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Michael S. Golden

*Director, Chesterfield County's
Department of Parks and Recreation*

COMMENTS

The Honorable Daniel A. Gecker

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*Geologist, Virginia Department of Mines,
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CLOSING REMARKS

Mike Golden

RIBBON CUTTING

Tours and light refreshments