

# Farewell to Susie Harrison

*Anne Hamman, Customer Service Supervisor*

The Nature Center is experiencing another change with the departure of Customer Service Representative Susie Harrison after almost 11 years of service. Susie has left her mark across the Nature Center, greeting visitors at the entry gate and visitor center, weaving her artistic talents throughout the park, and devoting time and energy to Natural Guard and trail projects. Some parting thoughts from Susie:

"For 11 years, I have had the privilege of working part time as a customer service representative at the Fort Worth Nature Center & Refuge. For 19 hours a week, my life has been privileged to revolve around a beautiful park. It was not an easy decision to leave a job and colleagues I have enjoyed, but I sense the timing is right for me. Perhaps because I am experiencing a liminal period in my life, I understand it is time to walk down an unfamiliar path to the next new adventure. But nature has taught me that no matter the wound or difficulty of change, I will continue to grow upward and outward.

I am grateful to nature for providing keen insights into personal situations. And I am thankful to the Nature Center's staff and the special resources of our amazing park for being a significant part of my growth and path to change."

While Susie is no longer an employee, you will continue to see her smiling face walking the trails, volunteering with Natural Guard, or kayaking on the river. Thank you, Susie. You will be missed!



*We are sad to have to say goodbye to longtime Customer Service Representative Susie Harrison after 11 years of dedicated service to the Nature Center. FWNC&R Staff Photo.*