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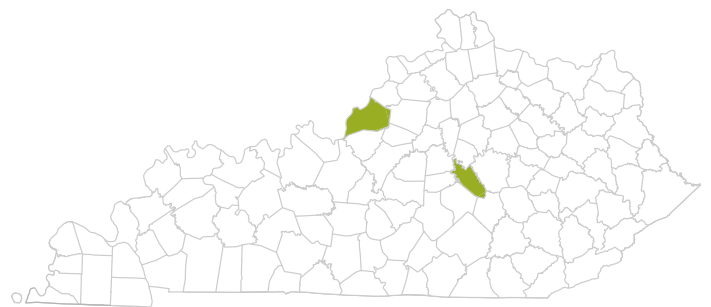
## LEADERSHIP & LEGACY IN KENTUCKY HISTORY

### SARA “SALLY” SHALLENBERGER BROWN | 1911-2011



Hand-painted postcard, ca. 1907, of the “Ohio River and Kentucky Hills.” (Graphic5.Box18.589  
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**ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVIST** – A “force of nature” is what people affectionately called Sara “Sally” Shallenberger Brown. Deeply committed to the environment, the philanthropist and activist helped to found River Fields (the largest river conservation organization on the Ohio), established a program to protect 632 acres of the Kentucky River Palisades, pushed for the successful expansion of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in her home state of Alaska and worked on international environmental programs. She was a force for nature.



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