



## News Release Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest

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### **New Washburn District Ranger Selected**

October 11, 2007 - Rhinelander, WI--- Chequamegon- Nicolet National Forest Supervisor, Jeanne Higgins has announced the selection of Ms. Spring Rosales as the new Washburn District Ranger. Ms. Rosales will begin her role as District Ranger in early November. "Spring brings with her a lot of enthusiasm and a strong background in working with communities. She will be a great asset to the Forest and the publics we serve." said Jeanne Higgins.

Spring is currently employed with the Ottawa National Forest where she has been the Deputy District Ranger on the Watersmeet District since 2006. Prior to her time in Michigan she worked on the Lolo National Forest in Montana where she was the Facilities Engineer and Program Manager.

"One of my goals as a District Ranger on the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest is to continue finding new ways to engage the public in the management of their Forest. I am looking forward to getting to know the communities and hearing the ideas they have for these public lands." said Ms. Rosales of her new position.



Ms. Rosales is originally from the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. She and her husband along with their 6 children ages 9 to 17 months will be residing in the Washburn area. The previous Washburn District Ranger, Chris Worth vacated the position earlier this summer to accept a promotion as Deputy Forest Supervisor for the Custer National Forest in Montana.