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FISHLAKE NATIONAL FOREST HAS NEW BEAVER DISTRICT RANGER

The Fishlake National Forest welcomes Terry Krasko as the new Beaver District Ranger. He will assume his new responsibilities on March 28, 2005. Krasko and his wife, Sandra, are re-locating to our community from Nelsonville, Ohio.

Before coming to the Beaver Ranger District, Krasko was assigned on the Wayne National Forest in Ohio as the Lands, Uses and Boundary Program Manager. He has a degree in Forestry from Michigan Technological University and began his career on the Kootenai National Forest in Montana. Krasko has 28 years' experience in the Forest Service, working in 20 states. A few of the programs and projects he has been involved with include: recreation, road design, strip-mine reclamation, land surveys, designing wetland reserves, and transportation planning. The last 11 years he has worked in the fire organization managing wildland and prescribed fires.

Krasko spent 15 years as a volunteer structural fire fighter and he is an experienced EMT. He's also been involved in community service by promoting adult education, health care and food pantry services.

Terry and Sandra have four grown children living in Ohio and Texas. Krasko enjoys fishing, collecting Lionel model trains and woodworking. Sandra enjoys quilting, needlepoint, and working at her personal computer.