

## Nichole Larson, Deputy Director

Nichole is responsible for all facets of the administration of the NCEDA lending programs and provides oversight for Region Five and NCEDA financial operations. Assists with annual budgets, HR policies/procedures and HR law compliance.

Nichole provides technical assistance in business development, financing and entrepreneurialism. She provides project management and oversight of specified annual specialty projects, grant writing, development and implementation of programs and projects of importance to the region.

Nichole joined Region Five in 2008 and holds a Bachelor's Degree (CPA Emphasis) in accounting from Bemidji State University.