

# New ENC Director

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We are pleased to announce that Dina Baker is taking over as the Director of the Evergreen Nature Center. Dina is replacing Colleen Kulesza, who left the position in mid-October. Colleen is planning on switching careers a bit and will move into the field of environmental research and reporting. We wish her the best of luck in her new endeavors and thank her for bringing Dina on-board.



 Dina Baker

Dina joined Evergreen Audubon in April of this year as our Environmental Education Programs Coordinator. She quickly gained the respect from the Evergreen Audubon's board and the Nature Center volunteers. With her outgoing personality and exceptional teaching skills, the kids from the after-school programs and summer camps love her.

Dina brings 14 years of experience as an Environmental Educator having worked at The Grove Nature Center in suburban Chicago; The Chicago Botanic Garden, Denver Botanic Gardens, The San Diego Zoo Safari Park and Denver Zoo. In addition to her Masters in Teaching Biological Science she has two undergraduate degrees, a BA in Spanish and a BFA in Art.

Dina loves learning about nature and spending time outdoors and her greatest passion is being able to share her enthusiasm and knowledge of nature with others. In her free time she enjoys hiking, birding, running and walking her 3 dogs. She also enjoys wildlife photography, drawing, ceramics and playing piano.

We are excited to have Dina put her own special touch to the director position.