



# MEET PATTY SOTIRIN

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The waters of Wisconsin have been the background for my life: I grew up next to Lake Michigan, raised my children on the shores of Lake Superior, and now live in La Crosse on the Mississippi. I am a Research Professor and Professor Emerita at Michigan Technological University with over thirty years of teaching and research experience. My teaching focused on communication in interpersonal, organizational, and cultural contexts. My research addresses family and women's issues using qualitative research methods. I am committed to working together to ensure water quality for inclusive well-being.

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