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Mrs. Kathy Evans

Mrs. Kathy Evans is the Environmental Program Manager for the West Michigan Shoreline Regional Development Commission. But that is only the latest position she has held in over 25 years of environmental leadership. Mrs. Evans has been an unstoppable leader for environmental and conservation causes. She has an amazing ability to bring diverse people, organizations and interests together to find common solutions to complex issues. She is known throughout the Great Lakes region as a leader on water quality issues and has brought millions of State and Federal dollars to West Michigan to improve natural resources and to restore Muskegon Lake, a Great Lakes Area of Concern (AOC). Through her support for community-based leadership, Muskegon Lake is well on its way to being delisted as an AOC.