About Me

Steven Harrington is a wonderful father, avid outdoorsman and works to make Michigan a better place. Steve Harrington hails from Flint Michigan where he grew up until he was eighteen years old. Steve then moved to East Lansing to attend Michigan State University earning a bachelor’s degree in geology.

Steve began his career in the Michigan Department of Natural Resources in the mid eighties working in the ground water control division in Lansing Michigan as an intern. His love for the outdoors and environment drove his passion to do everything he could do to restore and protect Michigan’s natural wonders. His early work performance was impressive and his desire to be directly involved with front line significant pollution clean up efforts earned him a position in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, known as the UP, for environmental remediation programs. For the last thirty years he has investigated, planned and managed about three dozen major industrial and chemical cleanup projects costing many millions of dollars to restore the UP’s precious natural forest lands and lake shores. He is now a Senior Environmental Quality Analyst for Michigan leading major cleanup operations from past industries that severely polluted the environment from the last 100 years.

Steve is a father of four amazing children, Lindsay, Kevin, Dylan and Kayla. All of Steve’s children have gone on to college and started their own families. His two oldest, now have children and Steve eagerly spoils his amazing grandkids. All his kids get together for almost every holiday throughout the year and he is always involved spending time with his family.

Steve’s love for the outdoors is not just about his work life. He loves to spend his free time camping and hiking Michigan’s many state parks and forest lands. He spent his college years enjoying the outdoors and this passion drove his desire to have a career in protecting and restoring the environment. When his kids were young, he took them to almost every waterfall hike in the UP. There is this old UP waterfall hiking guidebook that Steve bought many years ago and he has documented in the book, the date and who attended, each of the hikes. This book has been handed down to Lindsay and has been passed around through the kids over the years as they get the opportunity to visit these awesome places.

In the last several years, as his kids have all moved on, Steve has been spending his time planning hiking trips to the country’s many epic national parks. In July of 2021 alone he visited five of Colorado’s best national parks. He is planning and hoping to get the opportunity to soon visit Crater Lake and Yosemite National Park.