



### **Crescent Lake Association Bio**

My name is Gary Voss. As some of you know, my wife Susan and I are relatively new to Crescent Lake having purchased an old red & white cottage as our “getaway place” in July of 2020. Before retiring, we had built our “retirement cabin in the woods” near the Rhinelander hospital in 2010. Fast forward a few years and we are enjoying lakefront living full time with our incredible sunsets! I grew up on our family farm in west-central Minnesota, just a stone’s throw from North Dakota. When I was a senior in HS, our two small rural schools consolidated and that’s when I met the woman I married! I attended North Dakota State University in Fargo, ND and graduated with degree in Mechanical Engineering in 1977. We moved to Rockford, IL to begin my career at Sundstrand Corporation, an aerospace systems manufacturer. Several mergers and acquisitions later, I retired from the company now known as Collins Aerospace, a division of Raytheon Technologies. I helped design, develop and certify equipment for both military and commercial aircraft during my 40-year career in aerospace. While an employee, I also earned a Master’s degree in Personal Financial Planning. Our son Dana, wife Ashley and our 4 grandchildren reside in Byron, IL.

I am honored to be asked to serve as a Director on the Board of the Crescent Lake Association. My wife and I have both volunteered at the boat landing for the Clean Boats Clean Waters inspection program the past couple years, and I have also helped with the fireworks show preparation and cleanup in the past. I truly love living on Crescent Lake and know that I and everyone living on this lake is very blessed to be able to enjoy the beauty that this lake provides us throughout the entire year. I look forward to working with the other Board Members to continue to enhance and protect Crescent Lake for future generations to enjoy.