



**State Representative**  
**TONYA SCHUITMAKER**  
**R-80th Representative District**



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**Committees:** Judiciary (Minority Vice Chair); Appropriations (Subcommittee: Judiciary (Minority Vice Chair)); Energy and Technology

**Biography:** Republican, of Lawton; born, March 10, 1968; husband, Steve; children, Jordan and Savina; Episcopal; bachelor's degree, Michigan State University; cum laude, juris doctor, Detroit College of Law/Michigan State University; partner in the law firm of Schuitmaker, Cooper and Schuitmaker; served on Michigan Board of Medicine, Board of Michigan Real Estate Brokers and Salespersons, Intercare Community Health Network, Van Buren Community Mental Health Board, Van Buren County Board of Canvassers, and Van Buren County Community Corrections Advisory Board; past president of Van Buren County Republican Women, past vice chair for the 6th Congressional Republican District and the Van Buren County Republicans; member of Paw Paw Rotary, Paw Paw Optimist Club, South Haven AAUW, Kalamazoo League of Women Voters, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Farm Bureau; elected to the House of Representatives, 2004, 2006, 2008; Assistant Minority Floor Leader.

