



**State Representative**  
**SHRI THANEDAR**  
**D–3rd Representative District**

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**Committees:** Appropriations (Subcommittees: Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (Minority Vice Chair); Health and Human Services; School Aid and Department of Education)

**Biography:** Democrat, of Detroit; born February 22, 1955, in Belgaum, India; spouse, Shashi; children, Neil and Samir; grandchildren, Kai and AJ; bachelor's degree, chemistry, Karnatak University, 1973; master's degree, chemistry, Bombay University, 1977; Ph.D., chemistry, University of Akron, 1982; post-doctoral, University of Michigan, 1982 to 1984; master's of business administration, Fontbonne University, 1987; scientist, entrepreneur, small business owner in chemical and pharmaceutical industry, 1990 to 2020; Entrepreneur of the Year, Ernst and Young, 1999, 2007, and 2016; sought Democratic Party nomination for Governor, 2018; community advocate and activist; author of *The Blue Suitcase*; elected to the House of Representatives, November 2020.

