



ILONA VARGA

8th Representative District



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Committees: Commerce; House Oversight and Ethics; Insurance; Marine Affairs and Port Development; Regulatory Affairs (Chair)

Biography: Democrat, of Detroit; born April 19, 1951, in Hungary, Europe; children: Laura and Louis; Huron High School; Wayne County Community College; Doctor of Laws, Urban Bible Institute, Detroit; cosmetologist, Dawn Beauty College; Hungarian Reformed Church; member, Southwest Detroit Improvement Association, American G.I. Forum, Michigan Spanish Speaking Democrats, Oakwood Environmental Concerned Association, Hungarian-American Democratic Club, Detroit Friends of Head Start; founder and president, Friends of Beard-International; board member, The Neighborhood Foundation; administrative staff aide to Speaker Pro Tem Matthew McNeely; computer trainer, Detroit Board of Education; adult Girl Scout; first woman and first Hungarian elected from district; elected to the House of Representatives, 1986.

