

**Scott Raecker – Urbandale (R)
District 63**

Term: Serving seventh term in House. **Profession:** Executive director of Character Counts In Iowa. **Education:** Received B.A. from Grinnell College. **Memberships and Activities:** Drake University School of Education National Advisory Board member, Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation Board Member, chair of Smithsonian Institution Center for Folklife and Cultural Studies Advisory Council, Josephson Institute of Ethics Board of Governors, United States Center for Citizen Diplomacy founding board member, Shining City Foundation board member, Midwest Council of State Governments Legislative Leadership Institute – fellow, member and past chair. Member of Rotary Club of Des Moines A.M., Urbandale Chamber of Commerce, and Gloria Dei Lutheran Church. **Birth and Residence:** Born in 1961 in Waterloo. Resides in Urbandale. **Family Members:** Wife, Martha; two children.



Raecker, Scott - Urbandale (R)
District 63

Term: Serving sixth term in House. **Profession:** Executive director of the Institute for Character Development. **Education:** Received B.A. from Grinnell College. **Memberships and Activities:** Drake University School of Education National Advisory Board member, Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation board member, co-chair Smithsonian Institution Center for Folklife and Cultural Studies Advisory Council, Josephson Institute of Ethics Board of Governors, United States Center for Citizen Diplomacy board member, Shining City Foundation board member, co-chair Midwest Council of State Governments Legislative Leadership Institute. Member of Rotary Club of Des Moines A.M., Urbandale Chamber of Commerce, and Gloria Dei Lutheran Church. **Birth and Residence:** Born in 1961 in Waterloo. Resides in Urbandale. **Family Members:** Wife Martha; two children.



**Raecker, Scott - Urbandale (R)
District 63**

Term: Serving fifth term in House. **Profession:** Executive director of the Institute for Character Development. **Education:** Received B.A. from Grinnell College. **Memberships and Activities:** Board member of Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation, Smithsonian Institution Center for Cultural Studies, Drake University Education National Advisory Board, and CHARACTER COUNTS National Advisory Board. Chair of the Midwest Council of Governments Legislative Leadership Institute-BILLD. Member of Urbandale Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club of Des Moines AM, and Gloria Dei Lutheran Church. **Birth and Residence:** Born in 1961 in Waterloo. Resides in Urbandale. **Family Members:** Wife Martha and two children.



**Raecker, Scott – Urbandale (R)
District 63**

Term: Serving fourth term in House. **Profession:** Executive director of the Institute for Character Development. **Education:** Received B.A. from Grinnell College. **Memberships and Activities:** Board member of Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation, Iowa Mentoring Partnership, Smithsonian Institution Center for Folk Life and Cultural Studies, Drake University School of Education National Advisory Board, and founding board member of the Advocacy Network for Aging Iowans. Co-chair of the Midwest Council of Governments Legislative Leadership Institute-BILLD. Member of Urbandale Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club of Des Moines AM, and Gloria Dei Lutheran Church. **Residence:** Born and raised in Waterloo. Resides in Urbandale. **Family Members:** Wife Martha; two children.





RAECKER, J. Scott - Urbandale (R)
District 76

Birth: August 30, 1961, Waterloo. **Parents:** Jim and Thieleane Raecker **Education:** B.A., Grinnell College, 1984. **Spouse:** Martha. **Children:** 1 daughter, Emily; 1 son, Maxwell. **Profession and Activities:** Executive director, Institute for Character Development, Drake University; Former executive director, Iowa Sesquicentennial Commission. Member: St. Stephen Lutheran Church; Urbandale and Johnston Chambers of Commerce; Des Moines A.M. Rotary Club; Urbandale Optimist Club. Board member: Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation. Vice president, Drake Area Business Association. Committee member: 1999 U.S. Senior Open; Governor's 21st Century Workforce Council. Co-chair, Iowa Summit on Volunteerism, 1998. Certified character development specialist and workplace ethics trainer, Josephson Institute of Ethics. **Term:** First.