

Carol A. Roessler (Rep.), 18th Senate District

Born Madison, January 16, 1948; married. Graduate Madison West H.S.; B.S. UW-Oshkosh 1972; preretirement education leadership training, U. of Michigan School of Gerontology. Full-time legislator. Former director Winnebago Co. nutrition program for older adults, instructor of preretirement education at Fox Valley Tech. Institute. Sampling of awards: Am. Academy of Pediatrics *Childhood Legislator Advocate of the Year* 2005; Wis. Builders Assn. *Friend of the Housing Industry* 2006, 2005; Wis. Assn. on Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse *Award of Excellence Outstanding Citizen* 2006; Wis. Public Health Assn. *Legislator of the Year* 2006; League of Municipalities Recognition 2006; Am. Cancer Soc. *Legislator of the Year* 2006; Alliance of Cities *Outstanding Legislator* 2005-06; Coalition of Aging Groups *Tommy G. Thompson Award for Service to the Elderly* 2006; Wis. Dental Assn. *Prereminent Citation* 2002; Wis. Grocers Assn. *Friend of Grocers* 2004, 2002; Wis. Manuf. and Commerce *Working for Wisconsin Award* 2006, 2004, 2002, 2000, 1998; Wis. Counties Assn. *Outstanding Legislator* 2003-04, 2001-02, 1999-2000, 1997-98, 1995-96 and *Legislator of the Year* 2006, 2005; Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce *Athena Award* 2001; Wis. Assn. of Homes and Services for the Aging *Distinguished Service in Elder Advocacy Award* 2000; AFSCME Local 2748 *Friend of Probation and Parole Agents* 1998; Lutheran Soc. Serv. *Leadership Award* 1997; Wis. State Council of Vietnam Veterans of Am. *Legislator of the Year* 1996; Wis. Hospital Assn. *Health Care Advocate Award* 1996; Prof. Fire Fighters of Wis. *Legislator of the Year* 1996; Wis. Alliance of Cities *Certificate of Merit* 1996; Am. Cancer Soc., Am. Heart Assn., and Am. Lung Assn. *Legislative Leadership Award* 1995; Nat. Fed. of Ind. Business *Wisconsin Guardian of Small Business Award* 2003-04, 1995-96, 1989-90; Farm Bureau Volunteers for Agriculture *A Friend of Agriculture* 2003-04, 1995-96, 1993-94; Wis. Head Start Assn. *Award of Excellence* 1993; Badger State Sheriffs Assn. *Law and Order Award* 1993; Catholic War Veterans *Legislator of the Year* 1993; Wis. Assn. for Retarded Citizens *Elected Official Award* 1993, 1992, 1990; Coalition of Wis. Aging Groups and Wis. Coalition for Advocacy *Appreciation Award* 1993; Wis. Assn. of County Aging Unit Directors *Outstanding Service Award* 1992; Wis. Council on Aeronautics Aviation *Leadership Award* 1992; Fond du Lac Area Assn. of Commerce *Special Service Award* 1992; Wis. Com. Action Program Assn. *William Steiger Human Service Award* 1989; UW-Oshkosh *Outstanding Alumnus of the Year* 1988.

Elected to Assembly 1982-86 (resigned 4/20/87); elected to Senate in April 1987 special election; reelected since 1988. Minority Caucus Vice Chairperson 2007. Biennial committee assignments: **2007** — Economic Development, Job Creation, Family Prosperity and Housing; Health and Human Services; Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Workforce Development, Technical Colleges and Consumer Protection. **2005** — Jt. Legis. Audit (co-chp., also 2003); Health, Children, Families, Aging and Long-Term Care (chp., also 2003); Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy; Wis. Building Commission (since 1989); Council on Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse (chp.).

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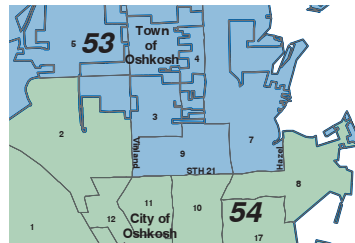
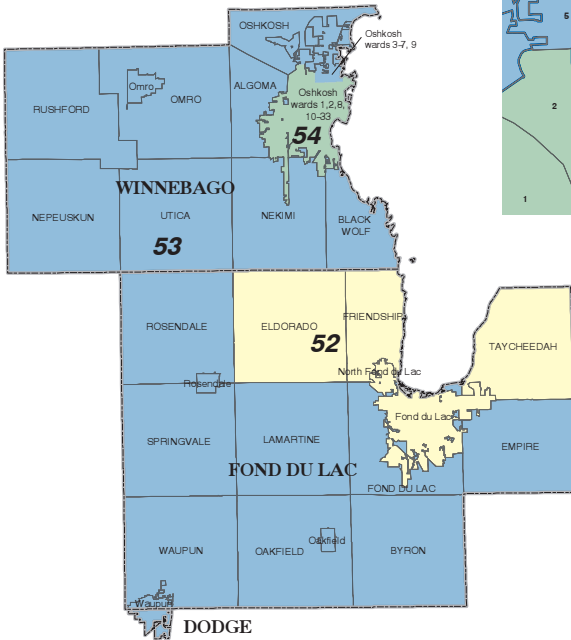
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Detail Map: Oshkosh Area



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