

# SPEAKERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1835-2023<sup>1</sup>

| Representative               | County of Residence | District             | Session Years |
|------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Ezra Convis                  | Calhoun             | Calhoun              | 1835-1836     |
| Charles W. Whipple           | Wayne               | Wayne                | 1837          |
| Kinsley S. Bingham           | Livingston          | Livingston           | 1838-1839     |
| Henry Acker                  | Jackson             | Jackson              | 1840          |
| Philo C. Fuller <sup>2</sup> | Lenawee             | Lenawee              | 1841          |
| John Biddle                  | Wayne               | Wayne                | 1841          |
| Kinsley S. Bingham           | Livingston          | Livingston           | 1842          |
| Robert McClelland            | Monroe              | Monroe               | 1843          |
| Edwin H. Lothrop             | Kalamazoo           | Kalamazoo            | 1844          |
| Alfred H. Hanscom            | Oakland             | Oakland              | 1845          |
| Isaac E. Crary               | Calhoun             | Calhoun              | 1846          |
| George W. Peck               | Livingston          | Livingston           | 1847          |
| Alexander W. Buel            | Wayne               | Wayne                | 1848          |
| Leander Chapman              | Jackson             | Jackson              | 1849          |
| Silas G. Harris              | Ottawa              | Ottawa/Kent          | 1850          |
| Jefferson G. Thurber         | Monroe              | Monroe               | 1851          |
| Daniel G. Quackenboss        | Lenawee             | 1st Lenawee          | 1853          |
| Cyrus Lovell                 | Ionia               | Ionia                | 1855          |
| Byron G. Stout               | Oakland             | 1st Oakland          | 1857-1858     |
| Henry A. Shaw                | Eaton               | 1st Eaton            | 1859          |
| Dexter Mussey                | Macomb              | 3rd Macomb           | 1861-1862     |
| Sullivan M. Cutcheon         | Washtenaw           | 1st Washtenaw        | 1863-1864     |
| Gilbert E. Read              | Kalamazoo           | 1st Kalamazoo        | 1865          |
| P. Dean Warner               | Oakland             | 3rd Oakland          | 1867          |
| Jonathan J. Woodman          | Van Buren           | 1st Van Buren        | 1869-1872     |
| Charles M. Crosswell         | Lenawee             | 4th Lenawee          | 1873-1874     |
| John P. Hoyt                 | Tuscola             | Tuscola              | 1875          |
| John T. Rich                 | Lapeer              | 1st Lapeer           | 1877-1879     |
| Seth C. Moffatt              | Gd. Traverse        | Gd. Traverse/Wexford | 1881-1882     |
| Sumner Howard                | Genesee             | 1st Genesee          | 1883          |
| Newcomb Clark                | Bay                 | 2nd Bay              | 1885          |
| Daniel P. Markey             | Ogemaw              | Ogemaw               | 1887          |
| Gerrit J. Diekema            | Ottawa              | 1st Ottawa           | 1889          |
| Philip B. Wachtel            | Cheboygan           | Cheboygan            | 1891-1892     |
| William A. Tateum            | Kent                | 1st Kent             | 1893          |
| William D. Gordon            | Midland             | Midland              | 1895-1898     |
| Edgar J. Adams               | Kent                | 1st Kent             | 1899-1900     |
| John J. Carton               | Genesee             | 2nd Genesee          | 1901-1903     |
| Sheridan F. Master           | Kalamazoo           | 1st Kalamazoo        | 1905          |
| Nicholas J. Whelan           | Ottawa              | 1st Ottawa           | 1907          |
| Colin P. Campbell            | Kent                | 3rd Kent             | 1909          |
| Herbert F. Baker             | Cheboygan           | Cheboygan            | 1911-1912     |
| Gilbert Archibald Currie     | Midland             | Midland              | 1913          |
| Charles Wallace Smith        | Lapeer              | Lapeer               | 1915          |
| Wayne R. Rice                | Newaygo             | Newaygo              | 1917          |
| Thomas Read                  | Oceana              | Oceana               | 1919          |
| Fred L. Warner               | Ionia               | Ionia                | 1921-1922     |
| George W. Welsh              | Kent                | 1st Kent             | 1923          |
| Fred B. Wells                | Cass                | Cass                 | 1925-1926     |
| Lynn C. Gardner              | Livingston          | Livingston           | 1927          |
| Fred R. Ming                 | Cheboygan           | Cheboygan            | 1929-1932     |
| Martin R. Bradley            | Menominee           | Menominee            | 1933-1934     |
| George A. Schroeder          | Wayne               | 1st Wayne            | 1935-1938     |
| Howard Nugent                | Huron               | Huron                | 1939-1946     |
| Victor A. Knox               | Chippewa            | Chippewa             | 1947-1952     |
| Wade Van Valkenburg          | Kalamazoo           | 1st Kalamazoo        | 1953-1956     |
| George M. Van Peurse         | Ottawa              | Ottawa               | 1957-1958     |
| Don R. Pears                 | Berrien             | 1st Berrien          | 1959-1962     |
| Allison Green                | Tuscola             | Tuscola              | 1963-1964     |
| Joseph J. Kowalski           | Wayne               | 19 <sup>3</sup>      | 1965-1966     |

<sup>1</sup> Elected by house peers, the speaker of the house of representatives is the presiding officer of that body. In addition to duties as chair, the adopted rules of the house of representatives specify other powers and duties of the post. The speaker is currently elected for a two-year term in the odd-numbered years in which the legislature convenes.

<sup>2</sup> Resigned April 3, 1841; succeeded by John Biddle.

<sup>3</sup> The Apportionment and Districting Plan of 1964 changed the method of naming legislative districts by counties to a numbering system. Under the previous system, the county was the basis for the district name, and each county, if qualified, had numbered districts within its borders. See Constitution of 1835, art. IV, sec. 3, 4; Constitution of 1850, art. IV, sec. 3, 4; Constitution of 1963, art. IV, sec. 3.

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| Representative                 | County of Residence | District | Session Years |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|----------|---------------|
| Robert E. Waldron              | Wayne               | 1        | 1967-1968     |
| William A. Ryan                | Wayne               | 3        | 1969-1974     |
| Bobby D. Crim                  | Genesee             | 82       | 1975-1982     |
| Gary Owen                      | Washtenaw           | 22       | 1983-1988     |
| Lewis N. Dodak                 | Saginaw             | 86       | 1989-1992     |
| Curtis Hertel <sup>4</sup>     | Wayne               | 2        | 1993-1994     |
| Paul Hillegonds <sup>4,5</sup> | Allegan             | 88       | 1993-1996     |
| Curtis Hertel                  | Wayne               | 2        | 1997-1998     |
| Charles R. Perricone           | Kalamazoo           | 61       | 1999-2000     |
| Rick Johnson                   | Osceola             | 102      | 2001-2004     |
| Craig M. DeRoche               | Oakland             | 38       | 2005-2006     |
| Andy Dillon                    | Wayne               | 17       | 2007-2010     |
| Jase Bolger                    | Calhoun             | 63       | 2011-2014     |
| Kevin Cotter                   | Isabella            | 99       | 2015-2016     |
| Tom Leonard                    | Clinton             | 93       | 2017-2018     |
| Lee Chatfield                  | Emmett              | 107      | 2019-2020     |
| Jason Wentworth                | Clare               | 97       | 2021-2022     |
| Joseph Tate                    | Detroit             | 10       | 2023-         |

<sup>4</sup> Elected co-speaker of the house January 13, 1993. Pursuant to the Standing Rules of the House of Representatives and the *Democratic/Republican Leadership Agreement re Organization of the Michigan House of Representatives*, both ratified by resolutions adopted January 13, 1993, Democratic and Republican co-speakers were elected by the Michigan House of Representatives and authorized to act as presiding officer of the house during alternating months until the election of a speaker by at least 56 votes or the conclusion of the 87th Legislature on December 31, 1994. See 1993 Journal of the House (No. 1, January 13, 1993).

<sup>5</sup> Elected speaker of the house January 11, 1995.

# SPEAKERS PRO TEMPORE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1835-2023<sup>1</sup>

| Representative                  | County of Residence | District      | Session Years |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Orrin Howe                      | Washtenaw           | Washtenaw     | 1835          |
| Hiram Alden                     | Branch              | Branch        | 1837          |
| Alexander W. Buel               | Wayne               | Wayne         | 1838          |
| Isaac Wixom                     | Oakland             | Oakland       | 1839          |
| Henry Acker <sup>2</sup>        | Jackson             | Jackson       | 1840          |
| Philo C. Fuller <sup>3</sup>    | Lenawee             | Lenawee       | 1841          |
| James B. Larue <sup>4</sup>     | Berrien             | Berrien       | 1841          |
| Edwin H. Lothrop                | Kalamazoo           | Kalamazoo     | 1842-1843     |
| Dewitt C. Walker                | Macomb              | Macomb        | 1844          |
| William A. Pratt                | Oakland             | Oakland       | 1845          |
| Augustus C. Baldwin             | Oakland             | Oakland       | 1846          |
| James L. Glenn                  | Cass                | Cass          | 1847          |
| Hiram Stone                     | Monroe              | Monroe        | 1848          |
| Charles M. O'Malley             | Mackinac            | Mackinac      | 1849          |
| Oliver C. Comstock <sup>5</sup> | Branch              | Branch        | 1849          |
| John Stockton                   | Macomb              | Macomb        | 1850          |
| Calvin Britain                  | Berrien             | Berrien       | 1851          |
| Edward G. Morton                | Monroe              | 2nd Monroe    | 1853          |
| Robert R. Beecher               | Lenawee             | 3rd Lenawee   | 1855          |
| William H. Gregory              | Wayne               | 4th Wayne     | 1857          |
| Charles Dickey                  | Calhoun             | 2nd Calhoun   | 1859          |
| William T. Howell               | Newaygo             | Newaygo       | 1861-1863     |
| Augustus D. Griswold            | Kent                | 3rd Kent      | 1865          |
| Jonathan J. Woodman             | Van Buren           | 1st Van Buren | 1867          |
| Benjamin W. Huston, Jr.         | Tuscola             | Tuscola       | 1869-1872     |
| Claudius B. Grant               | Washtenaw           | 1st Washtenaw | 1873-1874     |
| Erwin C. Watkins                | Kent                | 4th Kent      | 1875          |
| Nathaniel A. Hamilton           | Berrien             | 2nd Berrien   | 1877          |
| Edward P. Allen                 | Washtenaw           | 1st Washtenaw | 1879          |
| William Ball                    | Livingston          | Livingston    | 1881-1882     |
| George H. Hopkins               | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1883          |
| Leonard M. Sellers              | Kent                | 3rd Kent      | 1885          |
| Erastus N. Bates                | Allegan             | 2nd Allegan   | 1887          |
| Walter W. Williams              | Eaton               | 1st Eaton     | 1889          |
| George F. Richardson            | Ottawa              | 2nd Ottawa    | 1891          |
| Charles W. Moore                | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1893          |
| George W. Partridge             | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1895          |
| Oramel B. Fuller                | Delta               | Delta         | 1897-1898     |
| George E. Gillam                | Alcona              | Iosco         | 1899-1900     |
| Sherman T. Handy                | Iron                | Dickinson     | 1901          |
| Sheridan J. Colby               | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1903          |
| Nicholas J. Whelan              | Ottawa              | 1st Ottawa    | 1905          |
| Charles E. Ward                 | Shiawassee          | Shiawassee    | 1907          |
| James M. Monroe                 | Gogebic             | Gogebic       | 1909          |
| John M. Perry                   | Osceola             | Osceola       | 1911-1912     |
| Charles H. McBride              | Ottawa              | 1st Ottawa    | 1913          |
| Wayne R. Rice                   | Newaygo             | Newaygo       | 1915          |
| Lynn J. Lewis                   | Van Buren           | Van Buren     | 1917          |
| Franklin Moore                  | St. Clair           | 2nd St. Clair | 1919          |
| Fred E. Dunn                    | Wayne               | 2nd Wayne     | 1921-1922     |
| Thomas D. Meggison              | Antrim              | Antrim        | 1923          |
| Robert Bruce MacDonald          | Houghton            | 1st Houghton  | 1925-1926     |
| Milton R. Palmer                | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1927          |
| William J. Thomas               | Kent                | 3rd Kent      | 1929          |
| Vincent P. Dacey                | Wayne               | 1st Wayne     | 1931-1932     |
| Tracy W. Southworth             | Monroe              | Monroe        | 1933-1934     |
| Carl DeLano                     | Kalamazoo           | 2nd Kalamazoo | 1935-1936     |
| Frank Berka                     | Saginaw             | 1st Saginaw   | 1937-1938     |
| Maurice E. Post                 | Kent                | 3rd Kent      | 1939-1942     |
| Victor A. Knox                  | Chippewa            | Chippewa      | 1943-1946     |

<sup>1</sup> The speaker pro tem of the house of representatives acts as the presiding officer of that body in the absence of the speaker.

<sup>2</sup> Elected speaker of the house of representatives January 8, 1840.

<sup>3</sup> Elected speaker of the house of representatives January 6, 1841.

<sup>4</sup> Elected speaker pro tem April 3, 1841.

<sup>5</sup> Elected February 12, 1849, to preside in speaker's three-day absence.

**SPEAKERS PRO TEMPORE OF  
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1835-2023 (Cont.)**

| Representative                               | County of Residence  | District                  | Session Years |
|--|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Bert J. Storey . . . . .                     | Ionia . . . . .      | Ionia . . . . .           | 1947-1948     |
| Robert M. Montgomery . . . . .               | Ingham . . . . .     | 1st Ingham . . . . .      | 1949-1952     |
| William S. Broomfield . . . . .              | Oakland . . . . .    | 4th Oakland . . . . .     | 1953-1954     |
| Andrew Bolt . . . . .                        | Kent . . . . .       | 1st Kent . . . . .        | 1955-1956     |
| Don R. Pears . . . . .                       | Berrien . . . . .    | 1st Berrien . . . . .     | 1957-1958     |
| Charles A. Boyer . . . . .                   | Manistee . . . . .   | Wexford . . . . .         | 1959-1960     |
| Wilfred G. Bassett . . . . .                 | Jackson . . . . .    | 1st Jackson . . . . .     | 1961-1964     |
| Albert R. Horrigan . . . . .                 | Genesee . . . . .    | 19 <sup>6</sup> . . . . . | 1965-1966     |
| Martin D. Buth . . . . .                     | Kent . . . . .       | 90 . . . . .              | 1967-1968     |
| Stanley J. Davis . . . . .                   | Kent . . . . .       | 92 . . . . .              | 1969-1972     |
| Matthew McNeely . . . . .                    | Wayne . . . . .      | 16 . . . . .              | 1973-1986     |
| Teola P. Hunter <sup>7</sup> . . . . .       | Wayne . . . . .      | 5 . . . . .               | 1987-1992     |
| Raymond M. Murphy . . . . .                  | Wayne . . . . .      | 7 . . . . .               | 1992-1994     |
| Frank M. Fitzgerald <sup>8,5</sup> . . . . . | Eaton . . . . .      | 71 . . . . .              | 1993-1996     |
| Raymond M. Murphy . . . . .                  | Wayne . . . . .      | 7 . . . . .               | 1997-1998     |
| Patricia L. Birkholz . . . . .               | Allegan . . . . .    | 88 . . . . .              | 1999-2002     |
| Larry Julian . . . . .                       | Shiawassee . . . . . | 85 . . . . .              | 2003-2004     |
| Jerry O. Kooiman . . . . .                   | Kent . . . . .       | 75 . . . . .              | 2005-2006     |
| Michael G. Sak . . . . .                     | Kent . . . . .       | 76 . . . . .              | 2007-2008     |
| Pam Byrnes . . . . .                         | Washtenaw . . . . .  | 52 . . . . .              | 2009-2010     |
| John Walsh . . . . .                         | Wayne . . . . .      | 19 . . . . .              | 2011-2014     |
| Tom Leonard . . . . .                        | Clinton . . . . .    | 93 . . . . .              | 2015-2016     |
| Lee Chatfield . . . . .                      | Emmet . . . . .      | 107 . . . . .             | 2017-2018     |
| Jason Wentworth . . . . .                    | Clare . . . . .      | 97 . . . . .              | 2019-2020     |
| Pamela Hornberger . . . . .                  | Macomb . . . . .     | 32 . . . . .              | 2021-2022     |
| Laurie Pohutsky . . . . .                    | Livonia . . . . .    | 17 . . . . .              | 2023-         |

<sup>6</sup> The Apportionment and Districting Plan of 1964 changed the method of naming legislative districts by counties to a numbering system. Under the previous system, the county was the basis for the district name, and each county, if qualified, had numbered districts within its borders. See Constitution of 1835, art. IV, secs. 3, 4; Constitution of 1850, art. IV, secs. 3, 4; Constitution of 1963, art. IV, sec. 3.

<sup>7</sup> Resigned from the house of representatives January 17, 1992.

<sup>8</sup> Elected co-speaker pro tem January 13, 1993. Pursuant to the Standing Rules of the House of Representatives and the *Democratic/ Republican Leadership Agreement re Organization of the Michigan House of Representatives*, both ratified by resolutions adopted January 13, 1993, Democratic and Republican co-speakers pro tem were elected by the house of representatives and authorized to preside during alternating months. See 1993 Journal of the House (No. 1, January 13, 1993).

<sup>9</sup> Elected speaker pro tempore January 11, 1995.

# CLERKS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1835-2023<sup>1</sup>

| Session<br>Years | Name and Address                | Session<br>Years | Name and Address                             |
|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--|
| 1835-1836        | George R. Griswold, Detroit     | 1903-1907        | Charles S. Pierce, <sup>2</sup> Oscoda       |
| 1837             | Anthony Ten Eyck, Detroit       | 1907-1912        | Paul H. King, <sup>3</sup> Lansing           |
| 1838             | Jed P. C. Emmons, Detroit       | 1912-1927        | Charles S. Pierce, Lansing                   |
| 1839             | Elijah J. Roberts, Detroit      | 1929-1936        | Myles F. Gray, Lansing                       |
| 1840-1841        | Mark Howard, Ann Arbor          | 1937-1938        | T. Thomas Thatcher, Ravenna                  |
| 1841-1843        | Elijah J. Roberts, Detroit      | 1939-1944        | Myles F. Gray, Lansing                       |
| 1844             | Augustine W. Hovey, Pontiac     | 1945-1965        | Norman E. Philleo, <sup>4</sup> Lansing      |
| 1845             | Ezra Williams                   | 1966-1980        | T. Thomas Thatcher, Lansing                  |
| 1846-1849        | Augustine W. Hovey, Pontiac     | 1981-1983        | Thomas S. Husband, <sup>5</sup> East Lansing |
| 1850-1853        | Daniel P. Bushnell, Detroit     | 1983-1984        | William A. Ryan, Detroit                     |
| 1855             | Henry Barns, Detroit            | 1985-1994        | David H. Evans, <sup>6</sup> Haslett         |
| 1857-1859        | Charles V. DeLand, Jackson      | 1993-1996        | Melvin DeStigter, <sup>7,8</sup> Hudsonville |
| 1861-1863        | Edward W. Barber, Charlotte     | 1997-1998        | Mary Kay Scullion, Lansing                   |
| 1864-1872        | Nelson B. Jones, Lansing        | 1999-2006        | Gary L. Randall, Elwell                      |
| 1873-1889        | Daniel L. Crossman, Williamston | 2007-2010        | Richard J. Brown, Bessemer                   |
| 1891-1892        | Lyman A. Brant, Detroit         | 2011-2022        | Gary L. Randall, Elwell                      |
| 1893-1901        | Lewis M. Miller, Lansing        | 2023-            | Richard J. Brown, Bessemer                   |

<sup>1</sup> The office of clerk of the house of representatives is an elective position, by members of the house, in each odd-numbered year in which the legislature meets. The powers and duties of the post are established by the adopted rules of the house of representatives, which govern the day-to-day operations of that body.

<sup>2</sup> Resigned October 7, 1907; succeeded by Paul H. King.

<sup>3</sup> Resigned February 26, 1912; succeeded by Charles S. Pierce.

<sup>4</sup> Resigned January 1, 1966; succeeded by T. Thomas Thatcher.

<sup>5</sup> Resigned May 2, 1983; succeeded by William A. Ryan.

<sup>6</sup> Elected co-clerk of the house January 13, 1993. Pursuant to the Standing Rules of the House of Representatives and the *Democratic/ Republican Leadership Agreement re Organization of the Michigan House of Representatives*, both ratified by resolutions adopted January 13, 1993, Democratic and Republican co-clerks of the house were elected by the house of representatives and authorized to act during the periods prescribed in the agreement and the rules. See 1993 Journal of the House (No. 1, January 13, 1993).

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<sup>8</sup> Elected clerk of the house January 11, 1995.

# AUDITORS GENERAL, 1836-2023<sup>1</sup>

|   |           |   |           |
|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Robert Abbott <sup>2</sup> . . . . .      | 1836-1839 | Perry F. Powers. . . . .                            | 1901-1904 |
| Henry Howard <sup>3</sup> . . . . .       | 1839-1840 | James B. Bradley . . . . .                          | 1905-1908 |
| Eurotas P. Hastings . . . . .             | 1840-1842 | Oramel B. Fuller . . . . .                          | 1909-1932 |
| Alpheus Felch <sup>4</sup> . . . . .      | 1842      | John K. Stack Jr. <sup>10</sup> . . . . .           | 1933-1935 |
| Henry L. Whipple <sup>5</sup> . . . . .   | 1842      | John J. O'Hara <sup>11</sup> . . . . .              | 1935-1936 |
| Charles G. Hammond <sup>6</sup> . . . . . | 1842-1845 | George T. Gundry . . . . .                          | 1937-1938 |
| John J. Adam <sup>7</sup> . . . . .       | 1845-1846 | Vernon J. Brown . . . . .                           | 1939-1944 |
| Digby V. Bell <sup>8</sup> . . . . .      | 1846-1848 | John D. Morrison . . . . .                          | 1945-1946 |
| John J. Adam <sup>9</sup> . . . . .       | 1848-1851 | Murl K. Aten . . . . .                              | 1947-1950 |
| John Swegles, Jr. . . . .                 | 1851-1854 | John B. Martin Jr. . . . .                          | 1951-1954 |
| Whitney Jones. . . . .                    | 1855-1858 | Victor Targonski <sup>12</sup> . . . . .            | 1955-1956 |
| Daniel L. Case. . . . .                   | 1859-1860 | Frank S. Szymanski <sup>13</sup> . . . . .          | 1956-1959 |
| Langford G. Berry . . . . .               | 1861-1862 | William R. Hart (acting) <sup>14</sup> . . . . .    | 1959      |
| Emil Anneke . . . . .                     | 1863-1866 | Otis M. Smith <sup>15</sup> . . . . .               | 1959-1961 |
| William Humphrey . . . . .                | 1867-1874 | William A. Burgett (acting) <sup>16</sup> . . . . . | 1961      |
| Ralph Ely . . . . .                       | 1875-1878 | Billie S. Farnum <sup>17</sup> . . . . .            | 1961-1964 |
| W. Irving Latimer . . . . .               | 1879-1882 | Allison Green (acting) <sup>18</sup> . . . . .      | 1965      |
| William C. Stevens . . . . .              | 1883-1886 | Albert Lee <sup>19</sup> . . . . .                  | 1965-1982 |
| Henry H. Aplin. . . . .                   | 1887-1890 | Franklin C. Pinkelman <sup>20</sup> . . . . .       | 1982-1989 |
| George W. Stone . . . . .                 | 1891-1892 | Charles S. Jones (acting) <sup>21</sup> . . . . .   | 1989      |
| Stanley W. Turner . . . . .               | 1893-1896 | Thomas H. McTavish <sup>22</sup> . . . . .          | 1989-2014 |
| Roscoe D. Dix. . . . .                    | 1897-1900 | Doug A. Ringler <sup>23</sup> . . . . .             | 2014-     |

1 Auditors general were appointed by the governor for two-year terms prior to the adoption of the Constitution of 1850 which established the position as a statewide elected office. The Constitution of 1963 granted appointment authority to the legislature by concurrent resolution and extended the term to eight years.

2 Resigned May 1, 1839.

3 Appointed by the governor following the resignation of Robert Abbot.

4 Resigned April 1, 1842 following appointment to the Michigan Supreme Court.

5 Appointed by the governor April 4, 1842 to serve in a temporary capacity following the resignation of Alpheus Felch.

6 Appointed by the governor April 13, 1842 following the resignation of Alpheus Felch; Resigned May 31, 1845.

7 Appointed by the governor following the resignation of Charles G. Hammond.

8 Resigned March 20, 1848.

9 Appointed by the governor following the resignation of Digby V. Bell.

10 Died January 18, 1935.

11 Appointed by the governor January 22, 1935 following the death of John K. Stack.

12 Resigned May 17, 1956.

13 Appointed by the governor June 7, 1956 following the resignation of Victor Targonski; Resigned October 11, 1959.

14 Appointed acting auditor general by the governor October 12, 1959.

15 Appointed by the governor October 21, 1959; Resigned October 9, 1961.

16 Appointed acting auditor general by the governor October 10, 1961.

17 Appointed by the governor October 23, 1961.

18 Appointed acting auditor general by the governor to assume responsibilities that had previously belonged to the elected auditor general but had not been transferred to the legislatively-appointed auditor general created by the Constitution of 1963. Served until the adoption of the Executive Reorganization Act of 1965 which transferred those duties to the Department of Treasury.

19 Appointed by the legislature February 4, 1965. See House Concurrent Resolution No. 24.

20 Appointed acting auditor general by the legislature September 17, 1982; Appointed auditor general by the legislature December 8, 1982. See Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 825 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 940.

21 Appointed acting auditor general by the legislature February 6, 1989; Appointment extended through November 1, 1989. See Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 275.

22 Appointed by the legislature November 2, 1989. See House Concurrent Resolution No. 416.

23 Appointed by the legislature June 9, 2014. See House Concurrent Resolution No. 28.