



**Vern Tincher**  
Democrat  
House District 46

**Elected:** Elected 1982, re-elected 1984-92; elected 1996, re-elected 1998

**Counties represented:** Owen, Clay, Monroe, Vigo

**Born:** 6/23/36

**Spouse:** Linda

**Occupation:** Bricklayer; retired Indiana State Police Officer

**Education**

B.S. Indiana State University  
M.S. Indiana State University

**Committees**

Judiciary (V. Ch.)  
Ways & Means

**Ratings**

<b>Groups</b>	<b>agg.</b>	<b>'98</b>	<b>'97-'98</b>	<b>'97</b>
AFL-CIO	97%	100%		
Bankers Ass'n				80%
CCC			33%	11%
HEC			60%	
ICLU		40%	31%	
State Chamber	26%	36%		22%

**'98 Finances (1/1/98-10/9/98)**

<b>Raised</b>	<b>Spent</b>	<b>\$ left</b>	<b>Debt</b>	<b>Late \$ (10/10-10/29)</b>
\$153,266	\$149,994	\$20,786	\$0	\$4,000

**'95-96 Finances**

<b>Raised</b>	<b>Spent</b>	<b>% special interest</b>
\$118,758.38	\$124,032.41	96%

**1997-98 Key votes**

Prevailing wage repeal-Y	Any willing provider-Y
Mandated meet & confer-Y	Expanded wrongful death-Y
Expedited juvenile hearings-Y	Increase nursing home allowance-N
Teen license restrictions-N	Tuition tax credits-Y
DNA database-Y	

**Election results**

<b>1998</b>		<b>1996</b>	
Tincher	(D) 9,483	Tincher	(D) 9,858
Lohr	(R) 7,019	Lohr	(R) 9,759
		Minx	(I) 531

**Home**

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