# District Governor Steve Wieneke



**Governor 2022-23 Steve and Brenda Wieneke**

Steve Wieneke has been an active Rotarian since 1996 and has been a member in three different Rotary Clubs in District 6000. Steve has served as President in the Rotary Club of Johnston, President in the Rotary Club of Ankeny Evening Satellite Group, and Assistant Governor. He is a graduate of the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) and serves as the district RLI coordinator and facilitator. Steve is a graduate of the State of Iowa Leadership Institute (ILI). He has served in numerous leadership roles at St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church in Ankeny, the Knights of Columbus, the Iowa National Guard, and many professional educational organizations. Steve has served on district action teams to include Membership Development, Strategic Planning, Education, Community Service Grants, Global Grants, Growing Rotary, RLI, Literacy Promotion, and Youth Protection Officer.

Steve retired in October 2021, after serving as the Human Resource Manager for a private duty home health care agency, A Plus Home Care Services in Ankeny. Prior to this, he worked at Iowa State University for 7 years in the Office of Risk Management as the Youth Protection Officer. Steve served in the Iowa National Guard for 33 1/2 years and retired at the rank of Colonel in 2012. His first professional job was as a High School Agricultural Education Teacher and FFA Advisor at Solon and Tipton Iowa School Districts.

Brenda is a retired elementary school teacher with 38 years of teaching experience at East Union and Winterset Community Schools and at Apples of Gold in Ankeny. Brenda is currently an administrative assistant for a local realtor. She has been a Rotarian for 3 years and has served as the Rotary Club of Ankeny Satellite Group Secretary for the past two years. Brenda is a graduate of RLI, serves on the district Literacy Promotion action team and served as President of PEI at Winterset Schools. Steve and Brenda reside in Ankeny and share 5 adult children and 8 grandchildren.