

OFFICIAL CALL
For a
Mass Meeting of the Hopewell Republican Committee
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Hopewell Republican Committee, (HRC) of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Brandon Howard, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Rosa Italian Restaurant, 4098 Oaklawn Blvd, Hopewell, VA. 23860. Registration starts at 5:30 p.m. local time and the meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. local time, on February 8, 2016, for the purpose of:

- A. Electing a Unit Chairman for the Hopewell Republican Committee.
- B. Electing the Members for the Hopewell Republican Committee.
- C. Electing Delegates and Alternates to the 4th Congressional District convention to be held at a date, time, and location to be determined by the 4th Congressional District Committee:
 - (i) Electing a Republican 4th Congressional District Committee and
 - (ii) Transaction of any other business that may duly come before the Convention. The City of Hopewell is allocated 25 Delegate Votes with full voting strength of 125. A voluntary fee of \$10 is requested of each Delegate and Alternate.
- D. Electing Delegates and Alternates to the Virginia Republican Convention to be held at the James Madison University Convocation Center on April 29-30, 2016 for the following purposes:
 - (i) Electing 13 At-Large Delegates (“National Delegates”) and 13 At-Large Alternate Delegates (“National Alternates”) to the Republican National Convention to be held on July 18-21, 2016, at the Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland, Ohio (or its alternate site) (the “National Convention”);
 - (ii) Nominating two Electors At-Large to be voted for in the presidential election on November 8, 2016;
 - (iii) Electing a State Chairman;
 - (iv) Electing a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman;
 - (v) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention. The Convention will open on April 29 at 2:30 pm for the election of permanent Convention officers and adoption of rules.
 - (vi) No other election shall occur prior to 1:30 pm on April 30.
 - (vii) Hopewell is allocated 25 Delegate Votes. A voluntary fee of \$35 is requested of each Delegate and Alternate.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of The City of Hopewell under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, regardless of race, religion, national origin or sex, who are in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and who, if requested, express in an open meeting, either orally or in writing as may be required, their intent to support all of its nominees for public office in the ensuing election, may participate as members of the Republican Party of Virginia in its mass meetings, party canvasses, conventions or primaries encompassing their respective election districts. Voters will be required to produce personal identification, such as a valid driver's license and/or voter registration card. Attendance is required.

Filing Requirements

- A. Candidates for election as Unit Chairman of the HRC shall complete a pre-file form plus a \$35 Filing Fee in addition to your annual membership dues.
- B. Candidates for election as Committee Members shall complete a pre-file Membership Form and their annual dues (\$25-individual, \$30-couple, \$10-full-time student).
- C. Candidates for election as the 4th Congressional District and/or RPV Convention Delegates/Alternates shall file a pre-file form and their voluntary convention fee \$35 for RPV/ \$10 for 4th District.
- D. The information and fees required in the above paragraphs shall be received by HRC Chairman, Brandon Howard at 809 North Ave, Hopewell, VA 23860, by 5:00 P.M. by January 31, 2016. Postmark does not govern. All fees are to be made payable to Hopewell Republican Committee.
- E. Any Pre-file Forms received after the Pre-File deadline above are to be deemed invalid for consideration at Mass Meeting and all associated fees thereof, other than membership dues, will be deemed as a donation to HRC and/or RPV.
- F. If any pre-filed Delegate/Alternate is not chosen to serve as Delegate/Alternate fees will be deemed as a donation to HRC/RPV.

Registration Fee

There will be a voluntary registration fee to participate in the HRC Mass Meeting of \$10.00 to fund the costs of the Mass Meeting. Fees are to be collected at the Mass Meeting registration. Fees are to be made payable to Hopewell Republican Committee.

Revisions

In the event that the Call requires technical or conforming changes, the Unit Chair of the HRC is authorized to revise the Call to make any such technical changes. The Unit Chair shall promptly notify the Committee Members of any such technical changes. The Date, Time and Location will be added to this call by the HRC Chairman once it has been determined by the 4th District Committee. This document was approved by the Hopewell Republican Committee (HRC) of the Republican Party of Virginia on January 07, 2016

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