

OFFICIAL CALL  
Mass Meeting of the Danville Republican Committee  
Of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Danville Republican Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Betsy Young, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Mary's Diner, 1203 Piney Forest Road, Danville, Virginia 24540, starting at 6:00PM local time on March 22, 2016 for the following purposes:

1. Electing a Chairman for the Danville Republican Committee.
2. Electing officers of the Danville Republican Committee to consist of 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, and Parliamentarian.
3. Electing the members of the Danville Republican Committee.
4. Electing up to two-hundred and fifty (250) Delegates and an equal Number of Alternates to the 5th District Convention to be held on Saturday, May 14, 2016, at the Nelson County High School, Lovingston, Virginia 22949.
5. Electing up to two-hundred fifty (250) Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention to be held on April 29 & 30, 2016 at James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA 22807.
6. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting.

Qualifications

All legal and qualified voters of Danville, Virginia, 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 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. In addition to the foregoing, to be in accord with the principles of the Republican Party, a person otherwise qualified hereunder shall not have participated in Virginia in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party in the last five years. A single exception to the above shall be approved for a voter that renounces affiliation with any other party in writing, and who expresses in writing that he/she is in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intends, at the time of the writing, to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future. A voter that utilizes the foregoing exception, and thereafter participates in the nomination process of a Party other than the Republican Party, shall not have the benefit of the exception as identified in this paragraph thereafter. In order to be eligible for election as a Delegate or Alternate Delegate to any convention, an individual must be registered to vote no later than the pre-filing deadline established by the Official Committee, or if pre-filing is not a requirement, no later than the date of election as a Delegate. A person who has made application for registration and meets all other requirements herein, but whose name does not appear on the local registration books solely because of the books having been closed in connection with a local election, will nevertheless be deemed a legal and qualified voter.

### Filing Requirements

Candidates for election to the position of Chairman of The Danville Republican Committee, other Committee Offices, Delegates (and alternates) to the May 14, 2016 District Convention and/or the April 30, 2016 State Convention shall file a written statement of intent and/or Pre-file Delegate Form provided by the Committee to Betsy Young, 117 Parkmoor Court, Danville, Virginia 24541. All forms must be received no later than March 18, 2016, 6:00PM, either in person or by mail to Betsy Young. Postmarks do not govern.

Pre-filing forms are available on the Republican Party of Virginia website, [www.virginia.gop](http://www.virginia.gop). Forms are also available by calling the Chairman at 904-382-1912.

### Registration and Fees

The doors will open at 5:30PM. Any participant in line at 6:00PM will be allowed to register for the mass meeting. There will be no registration fee to participate in this mass meeting. There is a voluntary registration fee of \$35.00 to participate in the RPV State Convention. There will be a voluntary fee of \$25.00 to participate in the 5<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Convention. Checks will be made payable to the Danville Republican Committee.