

**OFFICIAL CALL**  
**Mass Meeting**  
**Franklin County Republican Committee**  
**Republican Party of Virginia**

As Chairman of the Franklin County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Brian C. Hamilton, do hereby issue this Call for a Mass Meeting to be held:

**Pigg River Community Center**  
**Rocky Mount, VA**  
**OR an alternate site if necessary**  
**10:00 AM local time**  
**Saturday, March 19, 2016**

Mass Meeting Purposes:

- A. Electing up to 535 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia's State Convention, to be held April 29-30, 2016 James Madison Convocation Center, Harrisonburg, VA. Franklin County is entitled to 107 Delegate Votes.
- B. Electing up to 535 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the 5th Congressional District Republican Convention, to be held on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at the Nelson County High School, Lovingson, VA or an alternate site if necessary. Franklin County is entitled to 107 Delegate Votes.
- C. Election of Franklin County Republican Committee Unit Officers as follows: Chairman.
- D. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Mass Meeting.

All legal and qualified voters of Franklin County 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.

**State and 5th District Convention Delegate Filing Requirements**

Delegate candidates for election at said Mass Meeting shall file a separate application for each Convention beginning February 10, 2016 and ending March 14, 2016 at 7:00 PM. Each respective application is attached to this call and each is also available at rpv.org. Completed applications are to be mailed to Brian C. Hamilton, Chair, 100 Fralins RD, Rocky Mount, VA 24151. Postmarks do not govern and it is the responsibility of the delegate to confirm receipt of application with the Chair.

**Franklin County Republican Committee Unit Officers Filing Requirements**

Candidates for election or nomination at said Mass Meeting shall file a written statement declaring intent to run for a specific office by email to Brian C. Hamilton, Chairman at fcrcgop@gmail.com which must be received not later than 7:00 pm on March 14, 2016. It is the responsibility of the candidate to confirm receipt of the declaration with Chairman.

**Registration Fees**

The Republican Party of Virginia is requesting a **voluntary** \$35 filing fee from all individuals seeking election as a Delegate to the State Convention. Checks need to be made out to the "Republican Party of Virginia".

The Republican Committee of the 5th Congressional District is requesting a **voluntary** \$25 filing fee from all individuals seeking election as a Delegate to the 5th Congressional District Convention. Checks need to be made out to the "Franklin County Republican Committee".

All filing fees may be mailed to Rebekah Garrett, Treasurer FCRC, 56 Bernard RD, Rocky Mount, VA 24151.

**Cancellation of Mass Meeting**

The Mass Meeting may be cancelled if fewer than 535 delegates file for the RPV State Convention and the 5th District Convention respectively, and only one candidate each files for a listed Unit Office, and the pre-filed delegates and unit officer candidates shall be elected.

Paid for and authorized by the Franklin County Republican Committee