

OFFICIAL CALL

Mass Meeting of Petersburg Republican Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Petersburg Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, John A. Marion, III, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at **The Mad Italian**, 2545 South Crater Road, Petersburg, Virginia 23805 starting at **7:00 p.m.** local time on **March 21, 2016** for the following purposes:

- A. Electing a Chairman for the Republican Committee
- B. Electing a Vice Chairman for the Republican Committee
- C. Electing a Secretary for the Republican Committee
- D. Electing a Treasurer for the Republican Committee

- E. Electing the members of the Petersburg Republican Committee

- F. Electing up to 45 Delegates and an equal number of alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia's 4th District Convention, to be held on **May 21, 2016** at the **Airfield Conference Ctr.**, 15189 Airfield Road, **Wakefield**, VA 23888 or its alternate site, beginning at **10:00 a.m.** local time for the following purposes:
 - a. Electing a Chairman for the 4th Congressional District Republican Committee;
 - b. Electing three National Delegates and three Alternate Delegates to the National Convention;
 - c. Nominating one Elector to be voted for in the presidential election on Nov. 8, 2016;
 - d. Electing three 4th District members to Republican Party of Virginia State Central Committee;
 - e. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

- G. Electing up to 45 Delegates and an equal number of alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia's State Convention, to be held beginning at **2:30 p.m. on Friday, April 29**, at the **James Madison, Convocation Ctr.**, 895 University Boulevard, **Harrisonburg**, VA or its alternate site for the following purposes.
 - a. Electing a State Chairman;
 - b. Electing 13 At-Large Delegates ("National Delegates") and 13 At-Large Alternate Delegates ("National Alternates") to the National Republican Convention to be held on July 18-21, 2016 at the Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland, Ohio (or its alternate site) (the National Convention);
 - c. Nominating two Electors At-Large to be voted for in the presidential election on Nov. 8, 2016;
 - d. Electing a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman;
 - e. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Petersburg is entitled to 9 Delegate Votes at each convention.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Petersburg 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.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election as Unit Chairman, Unit Vice Chairman, Unit Secretary, Unit Treasurer, or delegate to any convention at said mass meeting shall file a written statement, on the form provided, by mail or in person,

to Tammy L. Alexander, 110 Liberty Street, Petersburg, VA 23803, which **must be received not later than 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 20, 2016**. Postmarks will not govern. Filing forms can be picked up from Tammy L. Alexander, 110 Liberty Street, Petersburg, VA 23803 and online at www.RPV.org.

Active Duty Military

Any Military Member who is otherwise qualified to participate in Republican Party actions and who has filed the required form and produced at the time of filing valid military identification or other proof of active-duty status, shall be certified as a delegate to the convention(s) filed for, and shall not be required to be elected as a delegate.

Registration Fees

To assist the operations of the Republican Party of Virginia in supporting unit mass meetings and conventions, and the administration of the state Convention, a candidate filing fee of Thirty-Five Dollars (**\$35.00**) is requested of each person standing for election as a delegate or alternate delegate to the Convention. Failure to pay the requested filing fee will not result in disqualification. A voluntary fee of Twenty-Five Dollars (**\$25.00**) is requested for 4th District Convention. **Please make your check payable to the Petersburg Republican Committee and return with your Delegate Form. There is no fee required to participate in the Petersburg Committee Mass Meeting.**

Paid for and authorized by the Petersburg Republican Committee.
