

## **Official Call for a Mass Meeting Richmond County Republican Committee**

As Chairman of the Richmond County Republican Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization, and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Debra Harper do hereby issue this notice and call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Richmond County Public Meeting Room, 101 Court Circle, Warsaw, VA 22572 starting at 7:00 p.m. local time on Monday, March 14, 2016.

1. Elect 70 Delegates and Alternates to represent the Committee at the State Convention of the Republican Party of Virginia which shall be held on April 29-30, 2016, at the James Madison University Convocation Center, 895 University Boulevard, Harrisonburg, VA 22807.
2. Elect 70 Delegates and Alternates to represent the Committee at the 1<sup>st</sup> District Republican Convention which shall be held on James Monroe High School, 2300 Washington Ave, Fredericksburg, VA 22401, Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 4:30 p.m. local time.
3. Elect a Chairman of the Richmond County Republican Committee.
4. Elect members of the Richmond County Republican Committee.
5. Transact such other business as may properly come before the Mass Meeting.

### **Qualifications for Participation**

All legal and qualified voters of Richmond 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.

### **Filing Requirements**

Candidates for election as Delegates and Alternates to the State Party Convention, Delegates and Alternates to the 1st Congressional District Convention, Chairman of the Richmond County Republican Committee, or Committee Members of the Richmond County Republican shall file a written statement of intention, by mail or in person, to Debra Harper, Chairman of the Richmond County Republican Committee, 6029 Newland Road, Warsaw, VA 22572. The form must be received no later than 6:00 p.m. Monday, March 7, 2016. The form for filing for any of the above is attached to this Call. **Postmarks do not govern.** More information may be obtained by contacting Chairman Harper at [dlharper56@yahoo.com](mailto:dlharper56@yahoo.com), or (804) 366-4989. All candidates seeking membership on the Richmond County Republican Committee are required to submit a \$20.00 filing fee, with checks to be made payable to the Richmond County Republican Committee.

### **Voluntary Filing Fees for the District and State Conventions**

A voluntary candidate filing fee of \$35.00 is requested of each person standing for election as a delegate or alternate delegate to the State Convention.

A voluntary candidate filing fee of \$5.00 is requested of each person standing for election as a delegate or alternate to the District Convention.

Failure to pay the requested voluntary filing fee will not result in disqualification.

The Chairman of the Richmond County Republican Committee recommends that all Delegates and Alternates to the District and State Conventions pay the voluntary fees.

**Election of Convention Delegates and Alternates, Chairman and Committee Members**

Persons seeking election as Convention Delegates, Convention Alternates, Committee Chairman and Committee Members are encouraged to be physically present at the Mass Meeting.

**Registration Fee**

There will be no registration fee to participate in the Mass Meeting. A photo ID will be required to be presented for participation at this Mass Meeting as well as at the First Congressional District Republican Convention.

Authorized by the Richmond County Republican Committee

**RICHMOND COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE**  
**2016 Official Richmond County Prefiling Form for the**  
**Mass Meeting to be Held on March 14, 2016**

I am filing as a (check all positions for which you are seeking)

- Delegate/Alternate to the Republican Party of Virginia First Congressional District Convention
- Delegate/Alternate to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention
- Chair, Richmond County Republican Committee
- Member, Richmond County Republican Committee - **Attached is my \$20.00 filing fee**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that I am a Candidate for the above selected position(s)

I certify that I am a qualified and registered voter in Richmond County, Virginia.

I am in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intend to support the Republican Nominees in the next General Election held on November 3, 2016.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Resident Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address if other than above (post office box)

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Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date and Time registration Form was received \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Form approved by Credentials Committee \_\_\_\_\_

**This pre-filing form must be delivered, by mail or in person, to: Debra L. Harper, 6029 Newland Rd., Warsaw, VA 22572. Said statement must be received, in hand - postmark notwithstanding, not later than 6:00 PM, Monday, March 7, 2016**

**Authorized and paid for by the Richmond County Republican Committee**