

OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting of the Hopewell Republican Committee (HRC)
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Hopewell Republican Committee (HRC) of the Republican Party of Virginia (RPV), and pursuant to Code of Virginia 24.2-510, the Virginia Republican Party's Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Hopewell Republican Committee, I, Brandon Howard, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Rosa's Italian Restaurant, 4098 Oaklawn Blvd, Hopewell VA 23860 registration starts at 5 p.m. local time and the meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. local time on June 01, 2019 for the purpose of electing the Nominee of the Republican Party for the Office of Clerk of Courts of the City of Hopewell, Virginia.

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 are required to express in open meeting orally and in writing to support all of the nominees of the Republican Party 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 are required to produce personal identification such as a valid Driver's License or other form of Photo ID Card. Attendance is required.

In addition to the foregoing, to be in accord with the principles of the Republican Party, unless otherwise stipulated by the appropriate Official Committee, a person otherwise qualified hereunder shall not have participated in Virginia in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party within the last five years. A single exception to this 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 nominee of the Republican Party in the future. Any 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 identified in this paragraph thereafter.

Every voting participant in the Mass Meeting shall sign a Statement of Intent, as noted above, before being registered to participate. A voluntary contribution of \$10.00 is asked of each participant to help defray the cost of the Mass Meeting. All persons declaring to be a voting participant must pre-file in accordance with this call.

Filing Requirements

- A. Candidates for election as the Republican Nominee of Clerk of Courts shall complete a pre-file form plus a mandatory \$150.00 Filing Fee in addition to your annual membership dues. If only one person meets the filing requirements the

Mass Meeting will be cancelled, that person will be declared the Republican Nominee of Clerk of Courts.

- B. The information and fees required in the above paragraphs for the Candidates for election as the Republican Nominee of Clerk of Courts shall be received by HRC Treasurer, Valerie Strickland, at 3830 River Rd, Hopewell, VA 23860, by 5:00 P.M. by April 05, 2019. Postmark does not govern. All fee are to be made payable to Hopewell Republican Committee.
- C. Voting Participant's for the election of the Republican Nominee of Clerk of Courts shall complete a pre-file form plus a voluntary \$10.00 Filing Fee.
- D. The information and voluntary fees in the above paragraphs for Voting Participant's for the election of the Republican Nominee of Clerk of Courts shall be received by HRC Treasurer, Valerie Strickland, at 3830 River Rd, Hopewell, VA 23860, by 5:00 P.M. by April 05, 2019. Postmark does not govern. All fee 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 will be deemed as a donation to HRC.

FEES

All fee collected are non-refundable and are deemed as a donation to the HRC.

CALL REVISIONS

The HRC Chairman is authorized to revise the issued Call to make any such technical or conforming changes in the event such changes are necessary. The City Chairman must promptly notify the City Committee of any such technical or conforming changes.

PUBLICATION OF CALL

Mass Meeting Call will be posted online on Hopewell Republican Committee's Face Book Page, <https://www.facebook.com/hopewell.gop/?ref=bookmarks>, as permitted by RPV Party Plan and distributed by other electronic means. Newspaper publication is waived.

Mass Meeting call will be provided to the Virginia Department of Elections.

Mass Meeting call will be provided to the Republican Party of Virginia.

Mass Meeting call will be provided to the City of Hopewell Voter Registrar and Electoral Board.

This document was approved by the Hopewell Republican Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia on March 14, 2019.

Paid for and authorized by the Hopewell Republican Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia.