



GREENE COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE



Official Call for a Mass Meeting of Greene County By the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Greene County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee and the Executive Committee, I, Edward A. Yensho, do hereby issue this Call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the American Legion Hall Post 128, 636 Madison Road, Stanardsville, Virginia 22973 or its alternate site as determined by the Chairman, beginning at 7:00 pm EDT on March 16th, 2020. Registration begins at 5:30 EDT. The purpose of the Mass Meeting is:

- 1) Electing up to 200 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia's 2020 Quadrennial Convention, commencing at 2:30 pm EDT on May 1, 2020 and ending on May 2, 2020 at the Greater Richmond Convention Center, 403 N. Third Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219 or its alternate location, for the following purposes:
 - a) Binding Virginia Delegates to the 2020 Republican National Convention as to their choice for President on the first ballot by a Presidential Preference Poll;
 - b) Electing 12 At-Large Delegates ("National Delegates") and 12 At-Large Alternate Delegates ("National Alternates") to the Republican National Convention to be held on August 24-27, 2020 at the Spectrum Center, Charlotte, NC in (or its alternate site) (the "National Convention");
 - c) Nominating two Electors At-Large to be voted for in the presidential election on November 3, 2020;
 - d) Electing a State Chairman;
 - e) Nominating a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman;
 - f) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

Delegate Registration Fee

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 Delegate Registration Fee of \$35.00 (check or money order made payable to Greene County Republican Committee) is requested of each person standing for election as a delegate or alternate delegate to the state Convention. Any delegate who fails to pay the registration fee may only participate in the Presidential Preference Poll. Greene County is entitled to 40 Delegate Votes that will be equally distributed between actual Delegates that attend the Convention. Preferential seating at the Convention will be given to a Unit based on the percentage of its Pre-Certified Delegates remitting the Delegate Registration fee.

- 2) Electing up to 200 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia's 2020 Fifth Congressional District Convention, commencing at 10:00 AM EDT on April 25, 2020 at Tree of Life Ministries, 2812 Greenview Drive, Lynchburg, VA 24502 or its alternate site, for the following purposes:
 - a) Election of 3 National Delegates for the 2020 Republican National Convention
 - b) Election of 3 Alternate National Delegates for the 2020 Republican National Convention
 - c) Election of 1 Elector for the 2020 Presidential Election
 - d) Election of 3 State Central Committee Members
 - e) Election of District Committee Chairman
 - f) Election of Candidate for 2020 Congressional Election
 - g) Transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention

Delegate Registration Fee

A voluntary filing fee of \$25.00 (check or money order made payable to Greene County Republican Committee) is requested for each Delegate or Alternate. However, failure to pay the requested filing fee will not result in disqualification. Greene County is entitled to 40 Delegate Votes that will be equally distributed between actual Delegates that attend the Convention. Preferential seating at the Convention will be given to a Unit based on the percentage of its Pre-Certified Delegates remitting the voluntary fee.

- 3) Electing Members of the Greene County Republican Committee Unit;
- 4) Electing a Unit Chairman;
- 5) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Mass Meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Greene 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.

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 nominating process of a party other than the Republican Party in the last five years from March 1, 2015. A single exception to this restriction shall be approved for a voter that renounces affiliation with any other party in writing, and who expresses in writing that they are in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intends to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future.

For Mass Meeting registration, all participants shall be required to provide proof of identity in the form of a valid government or employer-issued photo identification, or by signing an affidavit of identity. Only those individuals who are registered at the Mass Meeting by 7:00 EDT on March 16, 2020, or who are in line for registration by that time, will be entitled to register and participate in the Mass Meeting.

Pre-filing Requirements for RPV 2020 Quadrennial Convention or the Fifth Congressional District Convention Delegates or Alternates

Candidates for election as a Convention Delegate or Alternate must submit the respective **original official form**, by mail only, to the Greene County Republican Committee, P.O. Box 933, Stanardsville, VA 22973. The official form can be downloaded at www.gcrcgop.com, www.virginia.gov, or <http://www.5thdistrictva.gov/District-Convention>. All official forms and the requested filing fee (checks or money orders made payable to Greene County Republican Committee) must be mailed and received by 5:00 p.m. EDT, March 10, 2020, and **postmarks will not govern**. A **single exception is granted for hand delivery** to Recording Secretary Aaron Moyer, 60 Dairy Road, Ruckersville, VA 22968 **only on the last day of filing, March 10, 2020 by 5:00 pm EDT**.

Pre-filing Requirements for Committee Membership

Candidates for Greene County Republican Committee membership may submit an official form, by mail only, to the Greene County Republican Committee, P.O. Box 933, Stanardsville, VA 22973. The official form can be downloaded at www.gcrcgop.com, www.virginia.gov, or <http://www.5thdistrictva.gov/District-Convention>. All official forms and a membership fee of \$30.00 (check or money order made payable to Greene County Republican Committee) must be mailed and **received** by 5:00 p.m. EST, March 2, 2020, and **postmarks will not govern**. Failure to pre-file for Unit membership shall not preclude election for membership at the Mass Meeting.

Pre-filing Requirements for Chairman

Candidates for Unit Chairman must submit an official form, by mail only, to the Greene County Republican Committee, P.O. Box 933, Stanardsville, VA 22973. The official form can be downloaded at www.gcrcgop.com, www.virginia.gov, or <http://www.5thdistrictva.gov/District-Convention>. All official forms and a non-refundable filing fee of \$200.00 (check or money order made payable to Greene County Republican Committee) must be mailed and received by 5:00 p.m. EST, March 2, 2020, and postmarks will not govern. Nominations for Unit Chairman will not be permitted from the floor of the Mass Meeting.

Pre-filing Requirements for Resolutions

All proposed resolutions must be received in typed format, by mail only, to the Greene County Republican Committee, P.O. Box 933, Stanardsville, VA 22973. All proposed resolutions must be mailed and received by 5:00 p.m. EST, March 2, 2020, and postmarks will not govern. Proposed resolutions will be reviewed by the Resolutions Committee at the Mass Meeting for consideration and adoption. No resolutions will be permitted from the floor of the Mass Meeting.

Publication

This Call shall be posted on the websites of the Republican Party of Virginia (<https://virginia.gov>), the 5th Congressional District of Virginia Republican Committee (<http://www.5thdistrictva.gov/District-Convention>), and the Greene County Republican Committee (www.gcrcgop.com). However, by a two thirds vote of the Greene County Republican Committee's membership, it will not be published anywhere else.

Registration Fee

For the Greene County Mass Meeting, there will be no registration fees required to participate.

Authorized and paid for by the Greene County Republican Committee