

Halifax County Republican Committee Party Canvass

As Chairman of the Halifax County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Joel Overly, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass (Firehouse Primary) to be held at the South Boston - Halifax County Museum of History, 1540 Wilborn Ave, South Boston, VA 24592 or an alternate site, if necessary, at 1:00 PM on Friday, March 4th for the following purposes:

- A. Electing up to 380 Delegates and an equal number of Alternate Delegates to the Fifth Congressional District Republican Convention, to be held on Saturday, May 21 at the Kirby Field House at Hampden-Sydney College at 198 Athletic Center Drive, Farmville, VA 23901, or an alternate site if necessary for the following purposes.
 - 1) Election of a candidate for the 2022 Congressional Election
 - 2) Election of a District Committee Chair
- B. Election of the Halifax County Republican Committee Chairman.
- C. Electing members of the Halifax County Republican Committee.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Halifax 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 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, 2017. 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.

Fifth District Republican Conventions Delegate Filing Requirements

Delegate candidates for election at said canvass shall pre-file a separate application for the Fifth District Republican Convention beginning February 17, 2022, and ending March 4, 2022, at 4:00 PM. Completed applications are to be delivered in person or by mail to Chairman Joel Overly, 1180 Cloverdale trl, Sutherlin VA 24594, by email at Joel.D.Overly@gmail.com by picture or pdf, or by text at 253-888-9801 by picture or pdf. It is the responsibility of the delegate to confirm receipt of application with the Chair. The application for the Fifth District Republican Convention is attached to this call.

Halifax County Republican Committee Membership

Candidates for committee membership at said canvass shall pre-file the application for membership to the Halifax County Republican Committee beginning February 17, 2022 and ending March 4, 2022 at 4:00 PM. Completed applications along with membership dues of \$10.00 are to be mailed to Polly Fraser, 7207 Mountain Rd, Halifax VA 24558 or delivered in person at party canvass. Checks need to be made out to the "Halifax County Republican Committee". Postmarks do not govern, and it is the responsibility of the prospective member to confirm receipt of application and dues. The membership application is attached to this call.

Halifax County Republican Committee Chairman Filing Requirements

Candidates for Unit Chairman at said canvass must file a written statement declaring intent to run, a \$100.50 filing fee to defray costs of the canvass, check written to The Halifax County Republican Committee, as well as a copy of a valid Virginia ID and Voter Registration Notice. Deliverable by mail only to Carolyn Slayton 5020 Mortons Ferry Rd, Nathalie 24577, and must be received by no later than 5:00 PM February 25, 2022. It is the responsibility of the candidate to confirm receipt of the declaration.

Conduct of the Canvass

The canvass will be conducted on Friday, March 4th from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Rules for the conduct of the canvass will be promulgated by the Halifax County Republican Committee. Voters offering to vote must be properly registered in Halifax County and must present a government issued photographic identification document. They must also sign a statement of intent to support the Republican Party's candidates in the general election on November 8, 2022. Persons who do not meet these requirements will not be allowed to participate.

Voluntary Filing Fees

The Fifth Congressional District Republican Committee is requesting a voluntary \$25 filing fee from all individuals seeking election as a Delegate to the Fifth Congressional District Convention. Checks need to be made out to the "Fifth District Republican Committee". All filing fees may be attached to the completed delegate filing form.

Cancellation Notification

Should fewer than 380 delegates pre-file for the Fifth District Republican Convention, then those candidates shall be duly elected by acclamation. Should only one candidate properly file under the direction of this call for Unit Chairman, then that candidate shall be duly elected as Unit Chairman and that candidate's filing fee will be refunded. The canvass may be cancelled by the Chairman should all of the above apply. Should the canvass be cancelled, all delegates to the Fifth District Republican Convention, all individuals who apply to become members of the unit committee and the Unit Chairman will be elected by acclamation.

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE VOTE ON

Paid for and Authorized by the Halifax County Republican Committee