

**OFFICIAL CALL**  
Loudoun County Republican Committee  
2022 Canvass

As Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee (LCRC) of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as directed by the Committee, I, Sharon Sadler, do hereby issue this call for a Canvass to be held at **the 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Republican Committee Headquarters, 20098 Ashbrook Place, Suite 150, Ashburn, VA 20148, or it's alternate site**, between **10:00 AM and 2:00 PM on Saturday, March 19, 2022**, for the following purposes:

- A.) To elect a Loudoun County Republican Committee Chairman.
- B.) To elect up to 342 precinct members, and up to 102 at-large members of the Loudoun County Republican Committee.
- B.) To elect Delegates and/or Alternate Delegates to the 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Republican Convention (*the number of which will be stated in the Convention Call to be issued by the 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Republican Committee*) to be held on Saturday, April 2, 2022 (*at a time and location to be stated in the Convention Call*) for the purposes of electing a District Chairman in the event that more than one candidate duly files.
- D.) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly be conducted during the Canvass. There shall be no resolutions brought to the Loudoun County Republican Committee Canvass.

**Qualifications for Participation**

All legal and qualified voters of Loudoun 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 this Canvass, subject to the provisions in Article I of the Plan of Organization.

**Filing Requirements for Committee Membership and Convention Delegate**

Candidates for Delegate to the 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Convention and/or membership to the Loudoun County Republican Committee must meet the above qualifications, and shall file a fully executed official filing form available at **www.LoudounGOP.com**, 1) by electronic form found at [www.LoudounGOP.com](http://www.LoudounGOP.com), and return same with the appropriate fee(s) through the **electronic form and payment option at [www.LoudounGOP.com](http://www.LoudounGOP.com)**, 2) by U.S. Mail to the **Sharon Sadler, LCRC, 215 Saint Johns Square, Sterling, VA 20164**, 804-516-6171, or 3) by delivery to **Sharon Sadler, 215 Saint Johns Square, Sterling, VA 20164**, 804-516-6171, **not later than 5:00 pm local time on Sunday, February 27, 2022.**

For mailed forms, postmarks shall not govern. The filing form will include a Statement of Qualification that must be signed by the person indicating his/her intent to support all Republican nominees in the ensuing election. Only candidates who have properly filed by the stated date and

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time with the required fee shall be eligible for election. There shall be no nominations during the Canvass.

**Filing Requirements for Loudoun County Republican Committee Chairman**

Candidates for office of Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee must meet the above qualifications, and shall file in writing a signed statement to that effect, and return same with the \$150 fee 1) by U.S. mail to the **Sharon Sadler, LCRC, 215 Saint Johns Square, Sterling, VA 20164**, 804-516-6171, or 2) by delivery to **Sharon Sadler, 215 Saint Johns Square, Sterling, VA 20164**, 804-516-6171, **not later than 5:00 PM local time on Sunday, February 20, 2022**. Postmarks shall not govern.

Only candidates who have properly filed by the stated date and time with the required fee shall be eligible for election. There shall be no nominations during the Canvass. In the event there shall be only one duly filed candidate for Chairman, he or she shall be deemed elected by acclamation.

**Balloting**

All persons wishing to participate in the LCRC Party Canvass to vote for LCRC Chairman must present themselves **between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM** to check-in and vote. Those in line at the close of the Canvass shall be permitted to check-in, but no one shall join the line after **2:00 PM**.

In order to receive a ballot, the voter must present a valid, non-expired photo identification issued by the Commonwealth of Virginia, one of its political subdivisions, the United States government, or a United States college or university.

A statement of intent, properly completed and signed by the voter or stated verbally, must be provided at the time of Party Canvass check-in. No ballot will be given to any voter who has not signed and submitted this statement of intent or delivered the statement of intent verbally.

No absentee voting, proxies, or provisional ballots are permitted.

No registration fees are required for voting in this Party Canvass.

Votes will be counted only for those candidates whose names appear on the official ballot. No write-in votes will be permitted. The Canvass will elect Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee by majority vote.

**Military Members as Delegates**

Military Members (any members of the Virginia National Guard, or the United States Armed Forces, Merchant Marine, or Coast Guard currently serving on active duty) who comply with these filing requirements shall not be required to be elected, but shall be declared delegates to the 10<sup>th</sup>

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Congressional District Convention pursuant to Article VIII, Section H. of the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia.

Military Member delegates or alternate delegates that are unable to attend the 10th Congressional District Convention for the election of District Committee Chairman in person due to obligations of their official military orders, shall have their votes cast within their unit delegation according to candidate preference ballots. Instructions regarding the casting of candidate preference ballots will be available in the Call for the Convention, which will be available on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia.

There are no Military Member absentee voting provisions for the Loudoun County Republican Committee Chairman Party Canvass.

**Filing Fees**

Candidates for the above elections shall pay a filing fee in accordance with the following schedule:

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| A.) Candidate for office of Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee:<br><i>(required non-refundable fee)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | \$150 |
| B.) Candidate for Member of the Loudoun County Republican Committee:<br><i>(required non-refundable fee)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | \$30  |
| C.) Candidate for Associate Member of the Loudoun County Republican Committee:<br><i>(required non-refundable fee)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | \$15  |
| D.) Candidate for Delegate to 10 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District Convention<br><i>Note: This Convention is ONLY for the election of the 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District Republican Committee Chairman; Nomination of House of Representatives candidate will be by Party Canvass on May 21, 2022 and does NOT require pre-registration and fee</i><br><i>(required non-refundable fee)</i> | \$25  |

**Cancellation**

If the number of candidates who file for all offices to be elected at the Canvass (Chairman, LCRC Member, and Delegate to the 10th District Convention) does not exceed the maximum number that can be elected, then all duly filed candidates shall be deemed elected and the Canvass will be canceled.

**Canvass Committees**

Chairmen and members of the Canvass Committees shall be appointed by the LCRC Chairman and shall meet in advance of the Canvass on the call of the appointed Committee Chairmen and/or the LCRC Chairman to perform their duties. These committees shall include Nominations,

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Credentials, Rules, Tellers, and/or other committees that the LCRC Chairman deems necessary.

This Call for a Canvass shall be published on the Republican Party of Virginia website as well as the Loudoun County Republican Committee website.

<p>Paid for and authorized by the Loudoun County Republican Committee. Post Office Box 547, Leesburg, Virginia 20178   703-627-5272   <a href="http://www.LoudounGOP.com">www.LoudounGOP.com</a></p>
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