



Mass Meeting
Alleghany County and City of Covington Republican Committee
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Alleghany County and City of Covington Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Tiffany K. Snedegar, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Alleghany Highlands Regional Library, 406 W. Riverside St, Covington, VA 24426, starting at 10:30 a.m. local time (with registration opening at 10:00 a.m.) on April 2, 2022 for the following purposes:

1. To elect a unit chairman, vice-chairman, treasurer, secretary and members to the unit committee;
2. Nominate a Republican candidate for the City of Covington City Council for District One and District Two;
3. Nominate three at large Republican candidates for the Town of Iron Gate Town Council and one Republican candidate for Mayor of the Town of Iron Gate;
4. Nominate three at large Republican candidates for the Town of Clifton Forge Town Council for the General Election on November 8, 2022;
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 Alleghany County and City of Covington 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, 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 this writing, to support the nominees 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 thereafter.

Voters may be required to produce personal identification such as a valid photo ID that is acceptable for voting purposes in order to participate.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election as Unit Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary and members of the Unit Committee as well as candidates for election to the City of Covington City Council, Clifton Forge Town Council, and Iron Gate Mayor and Town Council shall file a written statement by mail or in person to Tiffany K. Snedegar, 807 Kanawha Trail, Covington, VA 24426, which must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 25, 2022 and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks shall not govern.

Official filing forms are available online at www.covallgop.com or by contacting Tiffany K. Snedegar, 807 Kanawha Trail, Covington, VA 24426, 540-969-9298, tksnedegar@gmail.com

Candidacy filing fees are as follows:

- Unit Committee Chairman - No Fee
- Unit Vice Chairman, Treasurer, and Secretary - No Fee
- Unit Committee Member - No Fee
- City of Covington City Council - \$40.
- Clifton Forge Town Council - \$40
- Iron Gate Town Council - \$40
- Iron Gate Mayor - \$40

Uncontested Offices/Cancellation of Mass Meeting

If no more than one candidate properly files for election to any office to be voted upon at the mass meeting, that candidate will be declared elected. If fewer than the maximum number of candidates for election to the Unit Committee properly files, all pre-filed candidates shall be declared elected. If there are no contested offices to be voted upon at the mass meeting, then no mass meeting will be held.

Registration Fees for Mass Meeting

There is no registration fee to participate in the Alleghany County and the City of Covington Republican Committee Mass Meeting.

<p>Paid for and authorized by the Alleghany County and City of Covington Republican Committee Tiffany K. Snedegar, Chairman 540-969-9298, tksnedegar@gmail.com www.covallgop.com</p>
