

OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting
Franklin County Republican Committee
Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Franklin County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Walter (Wally) W. Young do hereby issue this Call for a Mass Meeting to be held on Thursday, March 3, 2022 at 5:00 PM, (with registration from 4:30 to 5:00 p.m.), at the location of:

Callaway Church of God
5185 Callaway Road, Rocky Mount, VA.

The purpose of the Mass Meeting is to:

- A. Elect a Chairman of the Franklin County Republican Committee for a two-year term (2022-2024).
- B. Elect members of the unit committee and the following officers: Vice Chair, Second Vice Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer.
- C. For the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Mass Meeting.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION:

All legal and qualified voters of the Franklin 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 a member of the Republican Party of Virginia in this Franklin County Republican Committee Mass Meeting.

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 to participate.

FILING REQUIREMENTS - Franklin County Republican Committee

Candidates for election for UNIT CHAIRMAN, VICE-CHAIRMAN, SECOND VICE-CHAIRMAN, TREASURER, SECRETARY, Members of the Franklin County Republican Committee, at said mass meeting shall file a written statement by mail to the Franklin County Republican Committee, 180 Amt Tech Drive, Suite 8, Rocky Mount, VA 24151, which must be received not later than 5:00 pm, February 24, 2022 and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks shall not govern.

Candidacy filing fees are as follows:

Unit Chairman - \$25.00

Unit Committee Member – \$20.00

Please make checks payable to the Franklin County Republican Party.

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 unit committee members that Franklin County Republican Committee has established pre-file, all properly pre-filed candidates shall be declared elected to the applicable unit committee membership position. If fewer than the maximum number of Delegates that Franklin County is entitled to at any District convention pre-file, all properly 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 & Convention

There will be a VOLUNTARY registration fee of \$10.00 to participate in the Franklin County Republican Committee Mass Meeting. Please make checks payable to the Franklin County Republican Party.

Paid for by the Franklin County Republican Committee, Walter (Wally) W. Young, Chairman,
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