OFFICIAL CALL

Party Canvass of the Chesapeake City Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Chesapeake City Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Nicholas D. Proffitt, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd, Chesapeake, VA 23322, (Voters in Zip Codes 23320, 23322, 23323, 23324, and 23325) and Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd, Chesapeake, VA 23321, (Voters in Zip Code 23321) or its alternate location(s), from 10:00am to 3:00pm local time on April 23, 2022 for the following purposes:

a) Electing a Unit Chairman;

b) Electing members of the Unit Committee

c) Electing up to 1505 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Second Congressional District Convention, to be held on TBD at TBD, beginning at TBD for the purposes of

a. Electing a District Chairman.

b. and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Chesapeake is entitled to 301 Delegate Votes.

d) Electing up to 770 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Third Congressional District Convention, to be held on May 21st at The Old SunTrust Building, 10814 Warwick Blvd., Newport News, VA 23601, or its alternate site, beginning at 10am for the purposes of

a. Electing a District Chairman.

b. and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Chesapeake is entitled to 154 Delegate Votes. PLEASE NOTE: THE THIRD DISTRICT CONVENTION HAS BEEN CANCELED.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Chesapeake 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 and endorsees 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. Every voting participant in the Party Canvass shall present a Government-Issued Photo ID in order to participate.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for the nomination or election at said canvass shall file a written statement with Nicholas Proffitt by e-mail at nproffitt712@gmail.com or by physical or mail delivery at 1001 Copper Stone Circle Chesapeake, Virginia 23320. The written statement must be received by the relevant deadline listed below; postmarks are not evidence of receipt by the deadline. The statement must be made on an official filing form, which is available on the RPV website at www.virginia.gop/events/ and on the RPC website at www.virginia.gop/events/ and on the

Candidates for election as Unit Chair must file the written statement "Unit Chair Pre-Filing Form" by Friday, March 18, 2022 at 5:00 PM local time.

Candidates for membership to the Chesapeake City Committee who are current members need only pay their annual dues of \$30.00 by Thursday, March 31, 2022 to be considered a candidate. Candidates for membership to the Chesapeake City Committee who are not current members must submit their annual dues of \$30.00 along with an "RPC Application" located on <u>www.chesapeakegop.org</u> by Thursday, March 31, 2022.

Candidates for election as delegate or alternate to the Second Congressional District Convention must file the written statement "Convention Delegate Pre-Filing Form" by Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 5:00 PM local time. There is no registration fee.

Candidates for election as delegate or alternate to the Third Congressional District Convention must file the written statement "Convention Delegate Pre-Filing Form" by Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 5:00 PM local time. There is a \$10.00 registration fee for convention delegates to be paid by check or money order made out to the Third Congressional District of Virginia and mailed with your Delegate form to your Unit Chair. Evidence of cash or electronic payment to be mailed with the same. PLEASE NOTE: THE THIRD DISTRICT CONVENTION HAS BEEN CANCELED.

Cancellation

If not more than the number of persons to be elected shall file for each office, then such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and no canvass will be held for such purpose. Should the Party Canvass be canceled, the current membership of the Chesapeake City Committee shall be deemed elected. Any properly submitted and properly notated new applications for membership will be considered at the next General Meeting of the Chesapeake City Committee.

Registration Fee

There will be a voluntary \$20 registration fee to participate in this canvass. Payment may be made online at <u>www.ChesapeakeGOP.org</u> or by check made out to Republican Party of Chesapeake.

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Paid for and authorized by the Republican Party of Chesapeake.