

OFFICIAL CALL
Party Canvass
Wise county/City of Norton Republican Committee
Of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Wise County/City of Norton Republican committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the committee, I, Kimberly Mullins, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at Central High School, 5000 Warrior Drive, Wise, VA 24293, on May 6, 2023, 9:00AM – 4:00PM, for the following purposes:

1. To elect a Republican nominee for Sheriff, Clerk of Circuit Court, Commissioner of Revenue, Treasurer, Commonwealth's Attorney, and Board of Supervisors for District 1, District 2, District 3 and District 4.
2. And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the party canvass.

All legal and qualified voters of Wise County and the City of Norton 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 meeting, 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 than 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 in the future. Any voter that utilizes the forgoing 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 for Sheriff, Clerk of Circuit Court, Commissioner of Revenue, Treasurer, Commonwealth's Attorney, and Board of Supervisors for District 1, District 2, District 3 and District 4 shall file a written statement (prefile form) by mail or in person to Kimberly Mullins, PO Box 970, Norton VA 24273, or in person at 538 Park Ave NW, Norton VA 24273, which must be received not later than March 23th, 2023 at 5:00PM and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks will not govern.

Official filing forms are available at va9gop.org, rpv.org or by contacting Kim Mullins, 538 Park Ave NW, Norton VA 24273, 276-275-7388, or kimdmullins2011@hotmail.com.

Filing fees are as follows:

\$100.00 for Board of Supervisors

\$500.00 for Constitutional Offices

Please make checks payable to the Wise Co/City of Norton Republican Party.

UNCONTESTED OFFICES/CANCELLATION OF PARTY CANVASS

If no more than one candidate properly files for election to any office to be voted upon at the party canvass, that candidate will be declared elected. If there are no contested offices to be voted upon at the party canvass, then no canvass will be held.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR CANVASS

There will be no registration fee to participate in the Wise Co/City of Norton Republican Party Canvass.

Paid for and authorized by the Wise Co/City of Norton Republican Committee

Kimberly Mullins, Chairman

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