



OFFICIAL CALL

March 23, 2023

Party Canvass of Culpeper County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairwoman of the Culpeper County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Lorraine Carter, Committee Chairwoman, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at 601 Madison Rd. Culpeper, VA, from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm local time on May 13th, 2023 for the following purpose of selecting Republican Nominees for the positions of Commonwealth Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer, Commissioner of the Revenue, Clerk of the Court, County Board of Supervisors, for the Catalpa, East Fairfax, Salem, and West Fairfax Districts of Culpeper County.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters in the County of Culpeper 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 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, a person otherwise qualified hereunder shall not have participated in Virginia in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party after March 1, 2018. A single exception to this restriction 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 the 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.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for nomination at said Party Canvass shall file a Candidate Consent Form by USPS mail, to CCRC Secretary, Beryl Thornton at PO Box 484, Culpeper, VA 22701, which must be received with the mandatory filing fee not later than 5:00 PM pm on Friday, May 5th, 2023. Postmarks will not govern. The Candidate Consent Form can be obtained from Beryl Thornton or her agent at 402 South Main St, Culpeper, VA 22701 and online at www.culpepergop.org (specified web page for forms).

If not more than one person files and is qualified for nomination in any given district, that person shall be declared the Republican Nominee for that district, and the Party Canvass will be held and pertain only to the other districts. If not more than one person files for nomination in each of all four districts, those persons who did file and are qualified shall be declared the Republican Nominees for their respective districts, and no Party Canvass will be held for such purpose. If no persons file or are qualified for nomination for any of the offices, then no Party Canvass will be held for such purpose.

Registration Fee

The Culpeper County Republican Committee requires a mandatory filing fee of \$500.00 from each individual seeking selection as a Republican Nominee in the May 13th, 2023 CCRC Party Canvass. Checks are to be made payable to the "Culpeper County Republican Committee" (CCRC) and must be submitted with the Candidate Consent Form.

Paid for and authorized by the Culpeper County Republican Committee.

APPENDIX A

CANDIDATE CONSENT FORM

I, _____, candidate for Republican
Nomination for the office of (mark one)

Commonwealth Attorney

Sheriff

Commissioner of the Revenue

Treasurer

Supervisor for Catalpa East Fairfax Salem West Fairfax District

I understand the duties of the office for which I am a candidate, and if elected to that office, agree to fulfill all duties and responsibilities of such office in accordance with the Republican Creed as contained in the Culpeper County Republican Committee Bylaws.

This form, properly completed and signed, must be submitted by mail to CCRC Secretary, Beryl Thornton, or her agent at PO Box 484, Culpeper, VA 22701, which must be received with the mandatory filing fee of \$500.00 not later than 5:00 pm on Friday, May 5th, 2023. Postmarks will not govern.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Accepted: _____
CCRC Recording Secretary

Date: _____

Time: _____