48th House District Republican Mass Meeting

As Chairman of the 48th House District Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, pursuant to the Republican Party of Virginia Plan of Organization, and as directed by the District Committee, I, William Pace, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Pittsylvania County Community Center, 115 South Main Street, Chatham, VA 24531, or an alternative site, starting at 6:30 PM local time on Tuesday, May 9, 2023. Registration begins at 5:30 PM.

The sole purpose of the Mass Meeting is nominating a Republican Candidate for the Virginia House of Delegates.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of the 48th House District 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 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 nominating process of a party other than the Republican Party in the last five years from 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 they are in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intends to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future.

Candidate Filing Requirements

Candidates seeking nomination at said mass meeting shall file the following:

1. Candidate Filing Form
2. Filing fee of $700.00, via a check made payable to the “Pittsylvania County Republican Committee” fiscal agent for the 48th House District Republican Committee
3. Copy of Certificate of Candidate Qualification for the General Assembly
4. Proof of submission or receipt of Statement of Economic Interest

All required documentation must be mailed or hand delivered to Tinker Burkhardt at 220 Laurel Lane, Hurt, VA 24563, or hand delivered to Will Pace, no later than 12:00 PM on Tuesday, March 21, 2023. Postmarks will not govern, and it is the responsibility of the candidate to confirm receipt of their declaration. Available contact information to confirm receipt of the declaration is Will Pace at 804-694-6143. Nominations will not be permitted from the floor at the mass meeting. The Candidate Filing Form is attached to this call.

Registration Fee

There will be NO registration fee to participate in this Mass Meeting.

Resolutions

Resolutions shall not be considered at the 48th House District Republican Mass Meeting.

Cancellation Notification

Should only one candidate properly file for the Republican nomination for the House of Delegates, then such candidate shall be deemed elected and the mass meeting shall be cancelled. In the event of the mass meeting being cancelled, the Pittsylvania County Republican Committee shall contribute one-half of the filing fees collected for the mass meeting to the Henry County-Martinsville Republican Committee.

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Authorized by the 48th House District Republican Committee

**48th HOUSE DISTRICT**

**2023 REPUBLICAN PARTY MASS MEETING**

**Official Candidate Filing Form**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare my intention to seek election as nominee for the Virginia House of Delegates at the 48th House District 2023 Republican Party Mass Meeting.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am in accord with the Qualifications for Participation set forth in the Republican

 Party of Virginia Plan of Organization and the 48th District Call.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a legally qualified voter of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(County/City).

\_\_\_\_\_ I am in accord with the Republican Party Creed, and I will support all nominees of

 the Republican Party.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

A check for the filing fee of $700.00 made payable to the “Pittsylvania County Republican Committee”, fiscal agent for the 48th House District Republican Committee is attached.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that the filing fee is nonrefundable.

My voter registration address:

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Preferred phone number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Preferred email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

This completed and signed Declaration of Candidacy form must be received by the date and time specified in the call.

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