

**OFFICIAL CALL**  
**Party Canvass of the Gloucester County Republican Party**  
**of the Republican Party of Virginia**

As Chairman of the Gloucester County Republican Committee (GCRC) of the Republican Party of Virginia (RPV), and pursuant to the RPV Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the GCRC, I, Patricia L. Dunnington, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at the GOP HQ Office, 6888 George Washington Memorial Hwy, Gloucester, VA 23061, or alternate location, on Monday, February 5, 2024 starting promptly at 12:00 noon and ending promptly at 6:00 p.m. local time for the following purposes:

- A. Electing a Unit Chairman of the Gloucester County Republican Committee;
- B. Electing Members of the Gloucester County Republican Committee as follows:
  - 1) Up to 70 Voting Members from the voting precincts, as follows:

101-Harcum	6 members	302-Roanes	8 members
102-Salem	5 members	401-Hayes	7 members
103-Peasley	4 members	402-Sarah's Creek	5 members
201-Courthouse	6 members	501-Achilles	9 members
202-Botetourt	8 members	502-Walker	6 members
301-White Marsh	6 members	At Large (Not to Exceed 30% of total)	
  - 2) An unlimited number of Non-Voting Members (Includes Associate Members and Student Members)
- C. Electing up to 550 Delegates and an equal number of Alternate Delegates to the District Convention of the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia to be held at King William High School, 80 Cavalier Dr, King William, VA 23086-3657, or its alternate site, starting at 10:00 a.m. local time, with registration beginning at 8:00 a.m. local time, on Saturday, May 4, 2024 for the following purposes:
  - 1) Electing a District Chairman of the Republican Party;
  - 2) Electing three (3) Members of the State Central Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia;
  - 3) Electing a Republican candidate for Elector for President and Vice President of the United States for the election to be held on November 5, 2024; and
  - 4) For the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The District Convention shall be composed of delegates and alternate delegates of the respective units they represent. Representation shall be based on a percentage of the total number of Republican votes cast in each county and city in the last gubernatorial and presidential elections combined. Each unit is allowed one (1) Delegate Vote for each two hundred fifty (250) Republican votes cast or major portion thereof. Each unit shall be entitled to at least (1) Delegate Vote. The delegates and alternates shall be elected in county and city mass meetings, party canvasses or conventions that shall be called for this purpose in conformity with the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia by each unit committee. Each unit's maximum number of delegates is equal to up to five (5) times its respective Delegate Vote. The Gloucester County Delegate Vote is 110 multiplied by five which equals a maximum of 550 delegates and a maximum of 550 alternate delegates. To file to be a delegate from Gloucester County to the District Convention, follow the

pre-filing instruction on page 3 and submit the form on page 5 with the filing fee as specified. Candidates for the 1<sup>st</sup> District positions of Chairman, Members of the State Central Committee and Elector shall submit candidate declarations and fees in writing directly to the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District Republican Committee as specified in the “*Official Call - District Convention of the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia*” which is available online at <https://virginia.gov/assets/uploads/2024/01/20240101-CD1RC-Convention-Call-FINAL.pdf>

- D. Electing up to 550 Delegates and an equal number of Alternate Delegates to the Republican Party of Virginia 2024 Quadrennial Convention, to be held on May 31 and June 1, 2024 at the Hampton Roads Convention Center, 1610 Coliseum Drive, Hampton, VA 23666 for the following purposes:
- 1) Selecting two Electors At-Large to be voted for in the presidential election on November 5, 2024;
  - 2) Electing a State Chairman;
  - 3) Nominating a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman;
  - 4) and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.
- The Convention will open on Friday, May 31, 2024 at 2:30 p.m. for the election of permanent Convention officers and adoption of rules. No other election shall occur prior to 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 1, 2024.

The State Convention shall be composed of delegates and alternate delegates of the respective units they represent. Representation shall be based on a percentage of the total number of Republican votes cast in each county and city in the last gubernatorial and presidential elections combined. Each delegation’s voting strength shall equal one (1) Delegate Vote for each two hundred fifty (250) Republican votes cast or major portion thereof for the Republican candidate in the most recent elections for President and Governor. Each unit shall be entitled to at least (1) Delegate Vote. Each unit’s maximum number of delegates is equal to up to five (5) times its respective Delegate Vote. The Gloucester County Delegate Vote is 110 which, when multiplied by five (5), equals a maximum of 550 delegates and a maximum of 550 alternate delegates. The delegates and alternates shall be elected at county and city mass meetings, canvasses or conventions called by each unit for the purpose of electing delegates to their respective Quadrennial Congressional District Conventions. this purpose in conformity with the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia by each unit committee. To file to be a delegate from Gloucester County to the State Convention, follow the pre-filing instruction on page 3 and submit the form on page 5 with the filing fee as specified.

The complete Official Call for this convention includes additional information and can be found online at: <https://virginia.gov/assets/uploads/2023/12/2023-12-08-RPV-2024-Quadrennial-Convention-FINAL.pdf>

### **Qualifications for Participation**

All legal and qualified voters of Gloucester 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 members of the Republican Party of Virginia (RPV) in the Gloucester County Republican Party Canvass and/or the 1<sup>st</sup> District Convention and/or the RPV 2024 Quadrennial Convention subject to the provisions in Article I of the RPV Plan of Organization. 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 shall be approved for a voter who 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. Party Canvass voters must present one of the forms of identification listed in Title 24.2-643 of the Code of Virginia in order to participate.

**Filing Requirements for  
Gloucester County Republican Committee Unit Chairman and Members**

All candidates for election to positions in the Gloucester County Republican Committee at said Party Canvass shall pre-file the applicable and properly completed *“Official Gloucester County Republican Party Canvass Filing Form and Statement of Qualification for Gloucester County Republican Committee Offices (2024-2026)”* and applicable filing fee(s) in the amount stated on the applicable form, with the Chairman, Gloucester County Republican Party, Pat Dunnington by physical delivery by USPS mail or in person at 7215 Clements Avenue, Gloucester, VA 23061. The applicable filing form and filing fee(s) for unit chairman (\$200.00) and members (\$10.00) must accompany the filing form. Fees must be paid by check payable to “GCRC” or cash if paid in person, and shall be received not later than Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. local time. Postmarks shall not govern.

**Filing Requirements for Convention Delegates**

Candidates for Delegate or Alternate Delegate representing Gloucester County at the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District Convention and/or the RPV 2024 Quadrennial Convention shall utilize the attached form entitled *“Official Gloucester County Republican Party Canvass Pre-File Form and Statement of Qualification for Convention Delegate and Alternate Delegate.”* This form with the applicable filing fee(s) in the amount stated on the form, shall be filed with the Chairman, Gloucester County Republican Party, Pat Dunnington by physical delivery by either USPS mail or in person at 7215 Clements Avenue, Gloucester, VA 23061. The applicable filing form and filing fee(s) for the 1<sup>st</sup> District Convention (\$10.00) and for the State Convention (\$45.00) must be made payable to “GCRC” and shall be received not later than Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. local time. Postmarks shall not govern.

**Cancellation**

If not more than the number of persons to be nominated or elected shall pre-file for any office, then such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and no election will occur for that office. If not more than the number of persons to be nominated or elected shall pre-file for all offices listed for this Party Canvass, then all such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and this Party Canvass shall be cancelled. A notice of cancellation will be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia [www.virginia.gov/event](http://www.virginia.gov/event) .

**Publication of the Call**

This Official Call shall be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia [www.virginia.gov](http://www.virginia.gov) and the website of the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District Committee [www.va01republicans.org](http://www.va01republicans.org) and on the GCRC website [www.gloucestervagop.com](http://www.gloucestervagop.com) .

**Registration Fee**

There will be no registration fee to participate in this canvass.

**OFFICAL GLOUCESTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY**  
**CANVASS PRE-FILE FORM and STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION FOR**  
**Gloucester County Republican Committee Offices (2024-2026)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am a registered voter in the County of  
*FULL NAME (as shown on the Voter Registration)*

Gloucester, Virginia, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
*STREET, CITY, ZIP (PHYSICAL ADDRESS)*

in the \_\_\_\_\_ Magisterial District, \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.  
*DISTRICT PRECINCT*

I hereby certify that I am in accord with the Qualifications for Participation set forth in the Official Calls and Article I of the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia; I am in accord with principles of the Republican Party and hereby express my intent to support all of its nominees for public office in the ensuing election; I am hereby filing to be a candidate for the following party office(s) in the Gloucester County Republican Committee (GCRC): *[check all that apply]:*

**Unit Chairman** for the Gloucester County Republican Committee.  
Attached is Cash or Check# \_\_\_\_\_ for the required **\$200.00 filing fee.**

**Voting Member** of the Gloucester County Republican Committee  
Attached is Cash or Check# \_\_\_\_\_ for the required **\$10.00 filing fee.**

**Associate Member** of the Gloucester County Republican Committee  
Attached is Cash or Check# \_\_\_\_\_ for the required **\$10.00 filing fee.**

**Student Member** of the Gloucester County Republican Committee – **no filing fee required**  
Must list School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

*I understand that, in addition to this filing fee, there are annual dues for GCRC members, except student members, the amount of which (currently \$30/year) is set by the members and is paid at the March-April monthly meeting.*

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: H: \_\_\_\_\_ C: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE DATE

**MUST be RECEIVED no later than Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. local time**  
**by Patricia Dunnington, GCRC Chairman, 7215 Clements Ave., Gloucester, VA 23061**  
**(Make Checks Payable to: "GCRC")**

*[To be completed by GCRC Representative]*  
Received by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm

**OFFICIAL GLOUCESTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY**  
**CANVASS PRE-FILE FORM and STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION FOR**  
**Convention Delegate & Alternate Delegate**

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*FULL NAME (as shown on the Voter Registration)*

Gloucester, Virginia, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
*STREET, CITY, ZIP (PHYSICAL ADDRESS)*

in the \_\_\_\_\_ Magisterial District, \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct.  
*DISTRICT PRECINCT*

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**Delegate to the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District Convention** from Gloucester County  
Included is my **\$10.00** filing fee paid by: Circle one: CASH CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate Delegate to the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District Convention** from Gloucester County  
Included is my **\$10.00** filing fee paid by: Circle one: CASH CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

**Delegate to the RPV State Convention** from Gloucester County  
Included is my **\$45.00** required filing fee paid by: Circle one: CASH CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternate Delegate to the RPV State Convention** from Gloucester County  
Included is my **\$45.00** required filing fee paid by: Circle one: CASH CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_

*I understand I am responsible for my own expenses related to traveling to and attending this/these Convention(s).*

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: H: \_\_\_\_\_ C: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

**MUST be RECEIVED no later than Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. local time.**  
**by: Patricia Dunnington, GCRC Chairman, 7215 Clements Ave., Gloucester, VA 23061**  
**(Make Check Payable to: "GCRC")**

*To ensure accurate transmittal of Convention Fees, GCRC will total all fees paid and will send one check to the 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District and one check to the Republican Party of Virginia with separate reports for each Convention listing all fees paid by each individual.)*

*[To be completed by GCRC Representative]*

Received by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm