

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 Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church, 6470 Main Street, Gloucester, VA 23061, or alternate location, on Monday, March 16, 2020 starting promptly at 1:00 p.m. 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 61 Voting Members from the voting precincts, as follows:

101-Harcum	5 members	302-Roanes	7 members
102-Salem	4 members	401-Hayes	6 members
103-Peasley	3 members	402-Sarah's Creek	5 members
201-Courthouse	5 members	501-Achilles	8 members
202-Botetourt	7 members	502-Walker	5 members
301-White Marsh	6 members	At Large (Not to Exceed 30% of total)	
 - 2) Non-Voting Members (Includes Associate Members and Student Members)
- C. Electing up to 425 Delegates and an equal number of Alternate Delegates to the Quadrennial Convention of the 1st Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia to be held on Saturday, June 13, 2020, at Caroline County High School, 19155 Rogers Clark Boulevard, Milford, Virginia 22514-2055, beginning at 1:00 p.m. local time, with registration beginning at 10:30 a.m. local time, for the purposes of:
- 1) Electing a Chairman for the 1st Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia;
 - 2) Electing three (3) members of the State Central Committee for a term of four years or until their successors are elected;
 - 3) Electing three (3) delegates and three (3) alternate delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held in Charlotte, NC on August 24-27, 2020;
 - 4) Electing one (1) Republican candidate for Elector for President and Vice President of the United States to be voted for at the election on Tuesday, November 3, 2020; and
 - 5) 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 votes cast for Governor and President at their last election, so that the Gloucester County Republican Party is entitled to 85 Delegate Votes.
- D. Electing up to 425 Delegates and an equal number of Alternate Delegates to the Republican Party of Virginia 2020 Quadrennial State Convention, to be held on May 1-2, 2020, at the Greater Richmond Convention Center, Richmond, Virginia, beginning at 2:30 p.m. local time on May 1, 2020 for the following purposes:
- 1) Binding Virginia Delegates to the 2020 Republican National Convention as to their choice for President on the first ballot by a Presidential Preference Poll;

- 2) Electing twelve (12) At-Large Delegates ("National Delegates") and twelve (12) At-Large Alternate Delegates ("National Alternates") to the Republican National Convention to be held on August 24-27, 2020 at the Spectrum Center, Charlotte, NC (or its alternate site);
- 3) Nominating two (2) Electors At-Large to be voted for in the Presidential Election on November 3, 2020;
- 4) Electing a State Chairman;
- 5) Nominating a National Committee man and National Committeewoman;
- 6) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

The Convention will open on Friday May 1, 2020 at 2:30pm for the election of permanent Convention officers and adoption of rules. No other election shall occur prior to 12:00 noon on Saturday, May 2, 2020.

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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 in this party canvass, 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

All candidates for election at said Party Canvass shall pre-file the applicable and properly completed "*Official Gloucester County Republican Party Canvass Filing Form*" and filing fee(s) in the amount stated on the applicable application, with the Chairman, Gloucester County Republican Party, Pat Dunnington by physical delivery by mail or in person at 7215 Clements Avenue, Gloucester, VA 23061. Postmarks shall not govern. The applicable filing form and filing fee(s) for unit chairman and members must be received not later than Friday, February 21, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. local time. The applicable filing form and fee(s) for Gloucester Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the 1st Congressional District Convention and/or Republican Party of Virginia State Convention must be received not later than Friday, March 13, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. local time.

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

Publication of the Call

This Official Call shall be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia www.virginia.gov and the website of the 1st Congressional District Committee www.va01republicans.org

Registration Fee

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

Information: Instructions for Filing as a National Delegate/Alternate Delegate to the Republican National Convention

The Republican National Convention will be held on August 24-27, 2020 at the Spectrum Center, Charlotte, NC. Candidates may seek election for National Delegate/Alternate Delegate to the Republican National Convention at EITHER the RPV State Convention, OR at the 1st Congressional District Convention, but not both. Those seeking election as a National Delegate or National Alternate Delegate shall follow the filing instructions issued in the RPV State Convention Call <https://virginia.gov/event/republican-party-of-virginia-2020-quadrennial-convention/> OR the 1st Congressional District Convention Call <https://virginia.gov/event/1st-district-2020-quadrennial-convention/> and <https://www.va01republicans.org/event/1st-district-quadrennial-convention/>.

**OFFICIAL GLOUCESTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY CANVASS PRE-FILE FORM
and STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION
for Gloucester County Republican Committee Offices (2020-2022)**

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 _____ Precinct in _____ Magisterial District.
PRECINCT DISTRICT

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 April or May monthly meeting.

Email: _____ Telephone: H: _____ C: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

SIGNATURE DATE

**MUST be RECEIVED no later than Friday, February 21 at 11:00 a.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
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CANDIDATES FOR CONVENTION DELEGATE(S) & ALTERNATE DELEGATE(S)**

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FULL NAME (as shown on the Voter Registration)

Gloucester, Virginia, residing at _____
STREET, CITY, ZIP (PHYSICAL ADDRESS)

in the _____ Precinct in _____ Magisterial District.
PRECINCT DISTRICT

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Delegate from Gloucester County to the 1st Congressional District Convention
Included is my voluntary \$5.00 filing fee paid by: (circle one) CASH CHECK # _____

Alternate Delegate from Gloucester County to the 1st Congressional District Convention
Included is my voluntary \$5.00 filing fee paid by: (circle one) CASH CHECK # _____

Delegate from Gloucester County to the RPV State Convention
Included is my voluntary \$35.00 filing fee paid by: (circle one) CASH CHECK # _____

Alternate Delegate from Gloucester County to the RPV State Convention
Included is my voluntary \$35.00 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 Friday, March 13, 2020 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 1st 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