**Official Call**

Issued Monday, March 22, 2021
2021 Party Canvass of the Montgomery County Republican Party for Board of Supervisor Districts A, C & D

As Chairman of the Montgomery County Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Harry Collins, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at Montgomery County Government Center, 755 Roanoke Street, Christiansburg or its alternate location. The canvas will run **from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 24, 2021** for the purpose of nominating Republican candidates for the office of Board of Supervisor for the Districts of A, C and D. Voters can only participate in the district election in which they are registered to vote.

**Qualifications for Participation.** All legal and qualified voters of Montgomery County and who live in Districts A, C & D 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 meetings, party canvasses, conventions or primaries encompassing their respective election districts. Voters will be required to present a validly issued photographic identification as defined by the Virginia Department of Elections. No voter who refuses to present such identification will be permitted to vote.

**Filing Requirements** Candidates for the nomination or election at said canvass shall file a written statement by mail or in person (application attached), and pay a $100 filing fee to Harry Collins, 450 Tower Rd., Christiansburg, VA 24073 which must be **received not later than** **5 p.m. on Friday, April 2**. If not more than the number of persons to be elected shall file for each office, then such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and no canvass will be held for such purpose. Postmarks shall not govern. Checks should be made payable to the Montgomery County Republican Party.

The Montgomery County Republican Party committee voted at a duly called meeting on February 18, 2021, to approve the terms of this Call, authorize the chair to make technical changes required to fulfill the purpose of the call as needed and to waive publication of this Call in a newspaper.

**Additional Information**

For more information please contact Harry Collins at (540) 815-1126 or at harryfcollins@gmail.com

 Paid for and authorized by the Montgomery County Republican Committee

**Republican Nominee for Montgomery County Board of Supervisor for Districts A, C and D**

***Declaration and Statement of Qualifications***

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby indicate my intention to seek election as the Republican nominee for the Board of Supervisor for District \_\_ at the April 24, 2021 Montgomery County Republican Party Canvass.  Please indicate your affirmation of these questions and principles by answering the following questions.

\_\_\_\_ I am a registered voter in District \_\_;

\_\_\_\_ I am in accord with the principles of the Republican Party;

\_\_\_\_ I pledge to support the entire Republican ticket in the November 2, 2021 general election;

\_\_\_\_ I give my solemn word that I will NOT stand for office against any Republican nominee in the November 2, 2021 general election;

\_\_\_\_ I understand that if I publicly support a candidate in opposition to a Republican nominee subsequent to a statement of support that I shall not be qualified to participate in party actions for a period of four years;

\_\_\_\_ I have included a $100 mandatory filing fee made out to the Montgomery County Republican Party; and

\_\_\_\_ I have NOT participated in the nominating process of another party in the last five years; OR

\_\_\_\_ I have participated in the nominating process of another party in the last five years, but I renounce affiliation with any party other than the Republican Party, intend to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future and understand that the Montgomery County Republican Party shall provide a copy of this signed renunciation statement to the Republican Party of Virginia, to be maintained for a period of five years.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Home Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and return it and the required payment (checks payable to the Montgomery County Republican Party) by mail, POSTMARKS DO NOT GOVERN, or in person to Harry Collins at 450 Tower Rd., Christiansburg, VA 24073 which must be received not later than 5 p.m. on Friday, April 2. Mr. Collins can be reached at 540-815-1126 or harryfcollins@gmail.com . If only one candidate properly files, then said candidate shall be declared the Republican nominee and no canvass will be held.