OFFICIAL CALL Roanoke City Republican Committee

As Chairman of the Roanoke City Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Charles Nave, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held in the Fellowship Hall of First Evangelical Presbyterian Church, located at 2101 Jefferson St. SW, Roanoke, VA 24014, from 10:00am to 4:00pm local time on May 29, 2021, for the purposes of:

- (a) nominating one (1) candidate for Commonwealth Attorney;
- (b) nominating one (1) candidate for Treasurer;
- (c) nominating one (1) candidate for Commissioner of the Revenue; and
- (d) nominating one (1) candidate for Sheriff.

Each of the aforementioned candidates would be voted for in the General election on November 2, 2021 to serve in the City of Roanoke.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters registered to vote in the City of Roanoke under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, regardless of race, religion, national origin, or sex, and 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.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for the nomination for the aforementioned offices shall file a written statement of intent by mail or personal delivery with Charles Nave at 316 Mountain Avenue SW, Roanoke, VA 24016. Proper and timely filed statements shall:

- (a) be accompanied by a \$500 certified check made out to the Roanoke City Republican Committee;
- (b) specify which office the candidate is seeking to be nominated for;
- (c) affirm that the candidate is a registered voter in the City of Roanoke and in accord with the principles of the Republican Party; and
- (d) be received by noon on May 19, 2021 (postmarks do not govern).

Any candidate withdrawals must be written, signed, notarized, and delivered to 316 Mountain Avenue SW, Roanoke, VA 24016 via USPS or scanned and emailed to roanokecitygop@gmail.com. Any such withdrawals are effective when received.

Registration Fee

There will be no registration fee to participate in this party canvass. All qualified voters who wish to participate in the party canvass must be in line by 4:00pm and have valid photo id.

Cancellation of Party Canvass

If fewer than two candidates properly file for any office and do not withdraw, then said candidates shall be declared the nominees for their respective offices and no party canvass will

be held for those offices. If no candidates properly file for any particular office, then no party canvass will be held for that office.

If the entire party canvass has not already been cancelled by operation of the preceding paragraph, and if any order issued by the Governor of Virginia prohibiting in-person meetings of a sufficient number of individuals to conduct the nomination process in a fair and equitable manner is still in effect as of May 29, 2021, then the party canvass shall be cancelled so that the Committee Chairman can issue a call to decide the nominations pursuant to Article VII, Section E of the State Party Plan before the deadline enforced by the State Board of Elections.

Publication

This call, along with notice(s) of candidate filing(s) and any notice of cancellation of the mass meeting, will be published at: <u>http://roanokegop.org/</u>, <u>http://virginia.gop</u>, and <u>http://sixthdistrictgop.org</u>

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