As Chairman of the Williamsburg-James City County Republican Committee (WJCCRC) of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Dorothea E. Matthews, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at 7405 Richmond Road, Williamsburg, Virginia, starting at 7:00 p.m. local time, with registration beginning at 6:00 p.m., on Wednesday, March 31, 2021, for the following purposes:

1. Electing up to eight hundred fifty (850) Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Virginia State Republican Convention, to be held on Saturday, May 8, 2021, beginning at 9:00 a.m., for the purpose of nominating one (1) Republican candidate each for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and Attorney General in the November 2, 2021, General Election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per two hundred fifty (250) Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Williamsburg-James City County is entitled to one hundred seventy (170) Delegate Votes; and
2. For the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of the City of Williamsburg and James City 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 its mass meetings, party canvasses, conventions or primaries encompassing their respective election districts.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election at said mass meeting should complete and obtain a filing form at wjccrc.org, virginia.gop, or by emailing wjccrepublicancommittee@gmail.com. To be considered for election at said mass meeting, the signed filing form must be returned by mail to Dorothea E. Matthews, c/o WJCCRC, PO Box 2104, Williamsburg VA 23187-2104, or by email to wjccrepublicancommittee@gmail.com, which must be received not later than 9:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 24, 2021. Postmarks shall not govern.

In the event the number of candidates properly filed does not exceed the number of Delegates to be elected, those candidates shall be deemed elected and the Mass Meeting cancelled.

Registration Fee

There will be no registration fee to participate in this mass meeting.