

OFFICIAL CALL

March 15, 2014 Mass Meeting of The Loudoun County Republican Party

As Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee (LCRC) of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as directed by the Committee, I, Mark Sell, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Harper Park Middle School, 701 Potomac Station Drive Leesburg, VA 20176, with registration from 9:30 AM until 10:30 AM; the meeting will start at 11:00 AM on Saturday, March 15, 2014, for the following purposes:

- A.) To elect a Loudoun County Republican Committee Chairman for a maximum term of 2 years.
- B.) To elect up to 381 precinct members, and up to 114 at large members of the Loudoun County Republican Committee for a maximum term of 2 years.
- C.) To elect up to 2,315 (463 votes x 5) Delegates and up to 2,315 Alternate Delegates to the 10th District Republican Convention to be held at 10:00AM, Saturday May 17, 2014, at Stone Bridge High School, 43100 Hay Road, Ashburn, VA 20147 for the purposes of electing a District Chairman. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that the Loudoun County Republican Committee is entitled to 463 Delegate Votes and may send up to five delegates for each vote.
- D.) To elect up to 2,315 (463 votes x 5) Delegates and up to 2,315 Alternate Delegates to the Republican Party of Virginia Convention to be held at 10:00AM, June 7, 2014 at the Roanoke Civic Center, 710 Williamson Road, Roanoke, Virginia 24016 or its alternate site, beginning at 10:00 a.m. local time for the purposes of nominating a Republican candidate for the United States Senate. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Loudoun County is entitled to 463 Delegate Votes and may send up to five delegates for each vote;
- E.) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting. There shall be no resolutions brought before the Loudoun County Republican Party Mass Meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters 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.

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 to the above paragraph shall be approved for a voter that 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 this exception thereafter.

A person who has made application for registration and meets all other requirements of the Qualifications for Participation, but whose name does not appear on the local registration books solely because of the books having been closed in connection with a local election, will nevertheless be deemed a legal and qualified voter.

All persons wishing to participate in the mass meeting must present themselves during registration times listed above to verify and receive their credentials. Those in line at the close of registration shall be permitted to register, but no one shall join the line after 10:30 AM.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for the above elections must meet the above qualifications, and shall file a fully executed official filing form available online at www.LoudounGOP.com, or by contacting Suzanne Volpe, Nominations Committee Chairman, 20547 Quarterpath Trace Circle, Sterling, VA 20165, (703) 406-6147, and return same with the appropriate fee(s) by U.S. mail to the Loudoun County Republican Committee, 20547 Quarterpath Trace Circle, Sterling, VA 20165 or by delivery to Suzanne Volpe, Nominations Committee Chairman, 20547 Quarterpath Trace Circle, Sterling, VA 20165, **not later than 5:00 PM on Sunday, March 2, 2014**. Postmarks shall not apply. Facsimiles and scanned documents will not be accepted. Only candidates who have properly filed by the stated date and time with the required fee shall be eligible for election. There shall be no nominations from the floor of the mass meeting. If the number of candidates who file for any office (Chairman, LCRC Member, Delegate to the 10th District Convention and Delegate to the State Convention) does not exceed the maximum number that can be elected, then all duly filed candidates for that office shall be deemed elected and no election held for that office. If the number of candidates who file for all offices to be elected at the Mass Meeting does not exceed the maximum number that can be elected, the mass meeting will be canceled.

Filing Fees

Candidates for the above elections shall pay a filing fee in accordance with the following schedule:

A.) Candidates for office of Chairman of the Loudoun County Republican Committee:	\$200.00
B.) Candidate for Member of the Loudoun County Republican Committee:	\$30.00
C.) Candidate for Delegate to 10 th District Convention (voluntary non-refundable fee for 10 th District Convention):	\$25.00
D.) Candidate for Delegate to Republican Party of Virginia Convention (voluntary non-refundable fee for RPV Convention):	\$35.00
E.) Mass Meeting Fee (voluntary non-refundable fee for LCRC Mass Meeting):	\$10.00

Mass Meeting Committees

Chairmen and members of the Mass Meeting Committees shall be appointed by the LCRC Chairman and shall meet in advance of the Mass Meeting on the call of the appointed Committee Chairmen and/or the LCRC Chairman to perform their duties. These committees shall include Nominations, Credentials, Rules and Tellers and any other committees that the LCRC Chairman deems necessary. The Mass Meeting Committees will be confirmed by the Mass Meeting and all recommendations of a Committee must be approved by the Mass Meeting.

This Call for a Mass Meeting shall be published on the Republican Party of Virginia website as well as the Loudoun County Republican Committee website. With the approval of this Call, the Loudoun County Republican Committee hereby waives publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Paid for and authorized by the Loudoun County Republican Committee.
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