OFFICIAL CALL

Mass Meeting
Isle of Wight County Republican Committee
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Isle of Wight County Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Michael Kemp, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Hope Presbyterian Church, 13490 Benns Church Blvd, Smithfield, VA 23430 or an alternate location starting at 7:00PM local time on April 25th, 2022 for the following purposes:

- 1. To elect a unit chairman and members to the unit committee;
- 2. And, for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Isle of Wight 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.

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 this 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 this 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.

Voters may be required to produce personal identification such as a valid photo ID in order to participate.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election for Chairman or as Members of the Isle of Wight County Republican Committee at the Mass Meeting shall file a written statement by mail at PO Box 1101, Smithfield, VA 23431, in person to Michael Kemp, 740 Chickahominy Loop Apt 203, Carrollton, VA 23314, or by email to info@iowgop.com which must be received not later than 6:00PM April 7th, 2022 and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks shall not govern.

Official filing forms are available online at iowgop.com/forms or by contacting Isle of Wight Republican Party, PO Box 1101, Smithfield, VA 23430, (757)598-4582, info@iowgop.com.

Candidacy filing fees are as follows:

- Unit Chairman \$250 (non-refundable)
- Unit Committee Member \$20.00 dues for One Year (To be paid with application)

Application forms for Unit Committee Members and related membership dues are found at iowgop.com and may be submitted to PO Box 1101, Smithfield, VA 23431. Prefile forms for Delegate/Alternate Delegate to the Second District Republican Convention may be submitted by email to info@iowgop.com.

Please make membership checks payable to the Isle of Wight County Republican Committee.

Uncontested Offices/Cancellation of Mass Meeting

If no more than one candidate files for election as Unit Chairman, that candidate will be declared elected and their filing fee shall be refunded. If fewer than the maximum number of unit committee members that Isle of Wight County Republican Committee has established pre-file, all properly pre-filed candidates shall be declared elected to the applicable unit committee membership position. If there are no contested offices to be voted upon at the mass meeting, then no mass meeting will be held. Notification of cancellation shall be posted online at iowgop.com/mass-meeting-2022, and via email to committee membership.

Registration Fees for Mass Meeting & Convention

There will be a no fee to participate in the Isle of Wight County Republican Committee Mass Meeting.

Waiving Newspaper Publishing

The committee has voted by at least a ¾ margin to waive newspaper publishing and will publish this call online at iowgop.com/mass-meeting-2022, on the Republican Party of Virginia official website, and on the Second Congressional District Republican Committee official website.

Paid for and Authorized by the Isle of Wight County Republican Committee
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