Official Call to Mass Meeting Franklin County Republican Committee Republican Party of Virginia Issued July 29, 2022

As Chairman of the Franklin County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Walter (Wally) W. Young do hereby issue this Call for a Mass Meeting to be held on Saturday, **August 13, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.** (with registration from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.), at the location of:

Callaway Church of God 5185 Callaway Road, Rocky Mount, VA.

The purpose of the Mass Meeting is to:

A. Nominate the Republican Candidate for Franklin County Commonwealth's Attorney pursuant to the November 2022 election.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION:

All legal and qualified voters of the Franklin 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 its nominees for public office in the ensuing election, may participate as a member of the Republican Party of Virginia in this Franklin County Republican Committee Mass Meeting.

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 forgoing 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 shall be required to produce personal identification such as a valid photo ID that is acceptable for voting purposes to participate.

FILING REQUIREMENTS – Republican Candidates for Franklin County Commonwealth's Attorney must meet the following requirements:

- A. Be an attorney in good standing and a member of the Virginia State Bar Association.
- B. Reside in Franklin County, VA
- C. Be a Republican in good standing.
- D. Shall file a written statement expressing intent to run for the office of Franklin County Commonwealth's Attorney to the Franklin County Republican Committee;
 - -via email to FCRCGOP@gmail.com, which must be received no later than 5:00 pm, August 5, 2022 and accompanying filing fees must be received by the same deadline in person or mailed (mailing address below) or ;
 - -in person to FCRC Chairman Wally Young or to FCRC Vice-Chairman Barbara Chauncey which must be received no later than 5:00 pm, August 5, 2022 and accompanied by any fees required, or;
 - -by mail. Checks and accompanying letter of intent to run should be submitted to the Franklin County Republican Committee, 180 Amt Tech Drive, Suite 8, Rocky Mount, VA 24151, which must be received no later than 5:00 pm, August 5, 2022 and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks shall not govern

Candidacy filing fees are as follows:

Commonwealth Attorney - \$500.00 (Fees are due by the deadline.)

Please make checks payable to the Franklin County Republican Party.

Uncontested Offices/Cancellation of Mass Meeting

If no more than one candidate properly files for election to the office to be voted upon at the mass meeting, that candidate will be declared elected and the mass meeting cancelled.

Registration Fees for Mass Meeting

There will be a VOLUNTARY registration fee of \$10.00 to participate in the Franklin County Republican Committee Mass Meeting. Please make checks payable to the Franklin County Republican Party.

Paid for by the Franklin County Republican Committee, Walter (Wally) W. Young, Chairman, FCRCGOP@gmail.com