**Mass Meeting of the Appomattox County Members of the Republican Party of Virginia**

Friday, March 31, 2023

Appomattox Community Center, 220 Community Lane, Appomattox, VA 24522

As Chairman of the Appomattox County Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of

Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Karen Angulo, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Appomattox Community Center, 220 Community Lane, Appomattox, VA 24522, or its alternate site, on Friday, March 31, 2023, at 7:00 pm. Registration begins at 6:00 pm and ends at 7:00 pm. All individuals in line at the designated time will be registered.

The purposes of the meeting are as follows:

1. Electing up to 255 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Virginia Senate 10th District Convention to be held on Saturday, May 6, 2023, at 10:30 AM at the Buckingham County High School, 78 Knights Road, Buckingham, Virginia 23921, or an alternate site if necessary, for the purpose of electing a Republican candidate for the 10th Senate District.
2. Electing up to 255 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Virginia House of Delegates 56th District Convention to be held on Saturday, May 20, 2023, at 2:00 PM at the Cumberland High School, 15 School Road, Cumberland, VA 23040, or an alternate site if necessary, for the purpose of electing a Republican candidate for the 56th House District.
3. 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 Appomattox 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 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.

Mass Meeting participants must present one of the forms of identification listed in the Code of Virginia in order to participate (a valid Virginia driver’s license, a valid United States passport, or any other photo identification issued by the Commonwealth, one of its political subdivisions, or the United States; any valid student identification card containing a photograph of the voter and issued by any institution of higher education located in the Commonwealth or any private school located in the Commonwealth; or any valid employee identification card containing a photograph of the voter and issued by an employer of the voter in the ordinary course of the employer’s business).

In addition to the foregoing, to be in accord with the principles of the Republican Party, a person otherwise qualified hereunder shall not have participated in Virginia in the nominating process of a party other than the Republican Party in the last five years from March 1, 2018. A single exception to this restriction shall be approved for a voter that renounces affiliation with any other party in writing, and who expresses in writing that they are in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intends to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future.

There is no charge to participate in this Mass Meeting.

Convention Delegate Filing Requirements

Persons running for Delegate to the House of Delegates 56th District and/or Senate 10th District Conventions must submit Official Delegate Application Forms by email to [AppomattoxChair@protonmail.com](mailto:AppomattoxChair@protonmail.com), or by mail to Appomattox County Republican Committee, PO Box 183, Concord, VA 24538, or by physical delivery to Robin Wolfskill (call 434-609-1234 for a delivery arrangement). **All Delegate forms must be received by 5:00 pm on Friday, March 17, 2023.**  Postmarks do not govern and are not evidence of receipt by the deadline. It is the responsibility of the Delegate to confirm receipt of the Application Form(s) with the Chairman.

Important Note: There are separate Forms for the House 56 and Senate 10 Conventions.

The Official Delegate Application Forms are attached and available on the RPV website at [http://virginia.go](http://virginia.gop/)​[p](file:///C:\Users\meadow\Documents\ACRC\Old%20meetings\2022%205th%20District%20Convention\Appomattox%20Mass%20Meeting%20docs\p), on the 5th Congressional District Republican Committee website at <https://5thdistrictva.gop/convention/>[,](http://www.5thdistrictva.gop/)​ or by contacting Karen Angulo, Chairman, at AppomattoxChair@protonmail.com.​

A voluntary contribution of $20.00 is requested to help cover Convention expenses. If you wish to contribute, include a check made payable to “Appomattox County Republican Committee” with the Official Delegate Application Form(s). Note that both House 56 and Senate 10 Conventions are requesting voluntary $20 contributions.

Resolutions

Resolutions shall not be considered at this Mass Meeting.

Military Members as Delegates

Military Members (any members of the Virginia National Guard, or the United States Armed Forces, Merchant Marine, or Coast Guard currently serving on active duty) who comply with these filing requirements shall not be required to be elected, but shall be declared delegates pursuant to Article VIII, Section H of the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia.

Military Member delegates or alternate delegates that are unable to attend the convention in person due to obligations of their official military orders, shall have their votes cast within their unit delegation according to candidate preference ballots.

Candidate preference ballots will be made available by the 56th House District Republican Committee no later than April 15, 2023 and will be made available on the Republican Party of Virginia website or upon request by e-mail to Buddy Bishop at buddy.bishop@1791.com. Candidate preference ballots must be received no later than May 10, 2023, by physical delivery to Buddy Bishop at 4555 Leakes Mill Road, Gum Spring, VA 23065.

Candidate preference ballots will be made available by the 10th Senate District Republican Committee no later than April 8, 2023 and will be made available on the Republican Party of Virginia website or upon request by e-mail to reatwilliams@gmail.com. Candidate preference ballots must be received no later than April 26, 2023, by physical delivery, postmarks will not govern, to R. T. “Torrey” Williams, III at P.O. Box 1787, 202 W. Main Street, Louisa, Virginia 23093.

Cancellation

If not more than the number of persons to be nominated or elected shall file for any office, then such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and no election will occur for that office. Should all elections be cancelled, the Mass Meeting may also be cancelled. Any notice of cancellation will be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia, [http://virginia.gop](http://virginia.gop/)​[,](http://virginia.gop/) and the 5th District Committee website, ​[http://www.5thdistrictva.gop](http://www.5thdistrictva.gop/)​.

Paid for and authorized by the Appomattox County Republican Committee.

Unanimously approved by the Appomattox County Republican Committee on February 21, 2023.