

OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting
Of the Amelia County Republican Committee
Of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Amelia County Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Martha Muniz, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the **Amelia County Administration Building , 16360 Dunn St, Amelia, VA 23002**, or its alternate site, starting at 7:00 P.M., Wednesday, March 30, 2022. Registration begins at **6:00 P.M.** and ends at **7:00 P.M.** for the following purposes:

1. Electing a Unit Chairman;
2. Electing members to the Amelia County Republican Committee
3. Electing up to 200 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the 5th District Convention to be held on Saturday, May 21, 2022, at, **the Kirby Field House located at Hampden-Sydney College, 198 Athletic Center Drive, Farmville, VA 23901** or alternate site, beginning at 10:00 A.M. for the purpose of:
 - a. Electing a District Chairman;
 - b. Nominating a Republican candidate for member of the U.S. House of Representatives to be voted for at the election on Tuesday, November 8, 2022;
 - c. and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Amelia 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 November 8, 2022 election may, as members of the Republican Party of Virginia, be elected as delegates or alternate delegates to this convention, subject to the provisions in Article I of the Plan of Organization.

Mass meeting participants must present one of the forms of identification listed in § 24.2-643 of the Code of Virginia in order to participate as a voting member at the mass meeting.

There will be NO Registration fee to attend the Mass Meeting and vote.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election or nomination at this Mass Meeting (Committee Membership, and Convention Delegates) shall file the proper forms to **Martha Muniz by mail to P.O. Box 101 Amelia, VA 23002**. All forms must be received **Thursday, March 17th at 5:00 P.M.**; postmarks do not govern. The statement for committee membership and/or delegate to Mass Meeting must be made on the Amelia County GOP official filing form, which is available on the RPV website at virginia.gop.

Candidates for election as a MEMBER of the Amelia County Republican Committee must file the written statement on the Amelia County GOP official form with a check in the amount of \$20 for one-year

membership, by Thursday, March 17th at 5:00 P.M. Anyone wishing to run as a candidate for office of the Chairman of the ACRC must file their Declaration of Candidacy for that office no later than 5:00 p.m. on February 11, 2022 at the same address. Postmark date will not be considered. There is a \$50 filing fee to run as a candidate for office of the Chairman of the ACRC.

Candidates for election as delegate or alternate delegate to the 5th District Republican Convention must file the 5th District convention delegate filing form **by Thursday, March 17, at 5:00 P.M.** A **voluntary** filing fee of \$25 is REQUESTED, but is not REQUIRED by the District Committee. If the filing fee is paid, it should be included with filing form. Checks for the voluntary filing fee shall be made out to the "5th District Republican Committee." The convention delegate filing form for the 5th District Republican Convention is attached to this call and is available at virginia.gop and at 5thdistrictva.gop/convention.

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 the Amelia County delegation according to candidate preference ballot. Instructions regarding the casting of candidate preference ballots are available in the Call for the Convention, which is available on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia, virginia.gop.

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 will also be cancelled. A notice of cancellation will be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia, virginia.gop.

Publication

This Call shall be posted on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia, virginia.gop and the website of the 5th District Republican Committee, 5thdistrictva.gop/convention.

Authorized and Paid for by the Republican Party of Amelia County