## OFFICIAL CALL

38th Senate District Mass Meeting of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the 38th Senate District Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Ruth Groten do hereby issue this call for a Legislative District Mass Meeting to be held at Nuckolls Hall, Tazewell County Fairgrounds, 713 Fairgrounds Road, Rt. 19, Tazewell, VA 24651, starting **promptly at nine a.m**. on July eleventh two thousand and eleven for the purposes of:

(a) Nominating a Republican candidate for the office of Virginia Senate to be voted for in the General Election on November 8, 2011.

## Qualifications for Participation:

All legal and qualified voters of the 38th Senate District 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.

Voters who have participated in the nomination process of another party since March 1, 2004 shall not be qualified to participate unless that voter 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, having made such a pledge after March 1, 2004 and having since participated in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party shall not be qualified for participation under this section.

## Filing Requirement

Candidates seeking the Republican nomination at said canvass shall file a candidate pre-file form, candidate filing fee and Candidate Declaration form by mail or in person, to Ruth Groten, 319 Brierwood Drive, Bluefield VA 24605, which must be received starting Monday, June 6<sup>th</sup> 2011 at 9:00 AM and ending no later than 5:00 pm Monday, June 13<sup>th</sup> 2011 local time. Post marks do not govern

Candidate pre-file forms can be obtained from Ruth Groten, or can be downloaded from RPV.org. There is no filing fee.

If only one candidate properly files, then said candidate shall be declared the Republican nominee and no mass meeting will be held.

Questions may be addressed to Ruth Groten at (276) 326-6248 or hoganruth@comcast.net.

There will be no registration fee to participate in this Mass Meeting.

## **CANDIDATE PRE-FILING FORM**

38TH SENATE DISTRICT MASS MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF VIRGINIA

I,,
a legal and qualified resident of the 38 <sup>th</sup> District currently residing at
in the City/County of
, do hereby declare myself to be a candidate for the
Republican nomination for the office of Virginia Senate in the 38 <sup>th</sup> District at the Mass Meeting
of the Republican Party of Virginia scheduled to be held on 11 July 2011.
I further declare that I will abide by the decision of the Mass Meeting and will support the
Republican nominee for the office of Virginia Senate in the 38 <sup>th</sup> District in the general election to
be held on 8 November 2011.
Given under my hand this day of June, 2011.
SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE
PRINTED NAME OF CANDIDATE