



BLAND COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

OFFICIAL CALL for a MASS MEETING

May 11, 2015 at 7 PM

As Chairman of the Bland County Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, K. Adam Kidd do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting of the Bland County Republican Party to be held at the Bland County Courthouse in Bland, Virginia with registration starting at 6:30 PM local time on May 11, 2015, and the meeting called to order at 7:00 PM local time on May 11, 2015, for the following purposes:

1. Selecting a Republican nominee for each of the following offices to be voted on in the General Election on November 3, 2015:
 - a. Bland County Board of Supervisors - District 1 – Sharon (Bastian/Ceres);
 - b. Bland County Board of Supervisors - District 2 – Mechanicsburg;
 - c. Bland County Clerk of Court;
 - d. Bland County Commissioner of Revenue;
 - e. Bland County Commonwealth's Attorney;
 - f. Bland County Sheriff;
 - g. Bland County Treasurer;
2. For the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Bland 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 forgoing exception, and thereafter participants in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party, shall not have the benefit of the exception thereafter.

Voters will be required to produce a valid form of photo identification in order to participate in the aforementioned Mass Meeting.

Filing Requirements

All candidates for election for nomination at said Mass Meeting shall deliver a written statement to:

K. Adam Kidd, Chairman of the Bland County Republican Committee,
11548 Grapefield Road
Bastian, Virginia, 24314

By mail or in person, no later than April 25, 2015, at 7:00 PM local time. Postmarks will not govern. The required written statement shall be: the *Declaration of Candidacy for Bland County Republican Party Nomination*. Also included with the written statement shall be a nomination filing fee of \$50.00 for the Board of Supervisors and \$100.00 for a constitutional office for transmittal to the Treasurer. ONLY CHECKS will be accepted. Make checks payable to:

Bland County Republican Committee

Memo: Nomination Filing Fee.

Only pre-filed candidates will be considered for nomination at the Mass Meeting.

The Pre-File form (*Declaration of Candidacy for Bland County Republican Party Nomination*) can be obtained by contacting the Chairman of the Republican Party of Bland County at a_kidd91@yahoo.com, or downloaded from the Virginia 9th Congressional District Republican Committee's website at <http://va9gop.org/>.

There will be NO registration fee to participate in the mass meeting.

Call posted at <http://va9gop.org/> and at www.rpv.org .

PAID FOR AND AUTHORIZED BY THE REPUBLICAN PARTY OF BLAND COUNTY