OFFICIAL CALL FOR A

MASS MEETING

of the Republican Party of Buchanan County Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Buchanan County Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Bobby L. May, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held in the Board of Supervisors Meeting Room (in basement) in the Buchanan County Courthouse located at the corner of Main and Walnut Streets, Grundy, VA 24614, starting at 6 p.m. local time on Tuesday, March 25th, 2014 for the following purposes:

- a) Electing Unit officers as follows: Chairman, First Vice-Chairman, Second Vice-Chairman, Recording Secretary, Correspondence Secretary, Treasurer and Parliamentarian.
- b) Electing members of the Unit Committee from the voting precincts in Buchanan County as follows: Blackey Pct. 1, Hurley Pct. 1, Grassy Pct. 1, Bull Pct. 1, Rocklick Pct. 1, Slate Pct. 1, North Grundy Pct. 1, South Grundy Pct. 1, Oakwood Pct. 1, Prater Pct. 1, Fox Pct. 1, Vansant Pct. 1, Council Pct. 1, Garden Pct. 1, Hurricane Pct. 1, Whitewood Pct. 1, Contrary Pct. 1, and up to 5 at-large members based upon the bylaws that allows for up to a number equaling 30% of the county committee membership.
- c) Electing up to 195 Delegates and up to an equal number of Alternates (if any) to the Republican Party of Virginia's State Convention, to be held on Saturday, June 7, 2014 at the Roanoke Civic Center, 710 Williamson Road, Roanoke, Virginia 24016 or its alternate site, beginning at 10 a.m. local time for the purposes of nominating a Republican candidate for the U.S. Senate and for the transaction of other such business as may properly come before the convention.
 - Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Buchanan County is entitled to 39 Delegate Votes; up to five delegates can be elected to cast each allotted delegate vote according to the bylaws of the Republican Party of Virginia.
- d) Electing up to 180 Delegates and up to an equal number of Alternates (if any) to the Ninth District Republican Convention, to be held on Saturday April 12 at George Wythe High School, #1 Maroon Way, Wytheville, VA, 24382, or its alternate site, beginning at 10:00 a.m. for the purposes of electing a District Chairman and for the transaction of other such business as may properly come before the convention.
 - Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Buchanan County is entitled to 36 Delegate Votes; up to five delegates can be elected to cast each allotted delegate vote according to the bylaws of the Republican Party of Virginia.
- e) 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 Buchanan 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.

Filing Requirements

There will be no pre-filing required for candidates seeking election to the county GOP committee, party offices or for delegate and alternate (if any) to the district and state conventions. Nominations will be accepted from the floor for all positions to be elected at the mass meeting.

Registration Fee

There will be NO registration fee to participate in this mass meeting. Proof of identification may be requested. Registration will begin at 5 p.m. and ends at 6 p.m. There is a <u>voluntary</u> registration fee of \$35 for delegates and/or alternates going to the State Convention and a voluntary registration fee of \$5 for delegates and/or alternates going to the 9th District Convention.

All Republicans are urged to attend!

Paid for and authorized by the Republican Party of Buchanan County, Virginia, Bobby L. May, Chairman (276) 566-8788