

OFFICIAL CALL

Dickenson County Republican Party 2012 Mass Meeting

As Chairman of the Dickenson County Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia and as recommended and directed by the Dickenson County GOP, I, Joshua Evans, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the **Dickenson County Republican Headquarters**, 5309 Dickenson Hwy, Clintwood, Virginia, on **March 24th, 2012**. The Convention will convene at 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of delegate registration. Delegates will be escorted to the floor and seated. Delegate Registration will close at 4:00 p.m. **No delegates will be seated after close of Registration Table.**

The purpose of this mass meeting will be:

- A. Election of the following Dickenson County Republican Party Officers: Chairperson; 1st Vice Chairperson; 2nd Vice Chairperson; Secretary and Treasurer.
- B. Election of: Dickenson County District and Precinct Chairpersons, by their respective electoral districts and precincts.
- C. Electing Delegates and an equal number of alternate delegates to the Ninth District Convention Republican Committee on Saturday, April 28, 2012, 10:00 AM at George Wythe High School, #1 Maroon Way, Wytheville, VA 24382 for the purpose of:
 - I. Electing a District Chairman of the Ninth Congressional District Republican Committee;
 - II. Electing three (3) members of the State Central Committee;
 - III. Electing three (3) delegates and three (3) alternate delegates to the 2012 Republican National Convention to be held at the St. Petersburg Times Forum, in Tampa, Florida, or its alternate site from August 27 to August 30, 2012;
 - IV. Nominating one (1) Elector from the Ninth Congressional District of Virginia to serve in the 2012 Electoral College;

Dickenson County's voter strength is 22

D. Delegates and alternate delegates for the 2012 State Convention of the Republican Party of Virginia to be held on June 16, 2012 at 10:00AM Local Time at the Greater Richmond Convention Center – Exhibition Hall Room B; 403 North Third Street; Richmond, Virginia 23219 beginning at 10 a.m for the purposes of: electing a State Party Chairman, RNC National Committeeman, RNC National Committeewoman, and 13 At-Large Delegates and 13 At-Large Alternate Delegates to the RNC Convention, and two At-Large Presidential Electors. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election so that Dickenson County's vote strength is 22.

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 Dickenson County, Virginia 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 and/or in writing as may be required, their intent to support the majority choice for all offices in the ensuing election, may participate in this Mass Meeting.

In addition to the foregoing, to be in accord with the principles of the Republican Party, a person otherwise qualified shall not have participated in Virginia in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party after March 1, 2004, or in the last five years, whichever is more recent. A single exception to the foregoing prohibition on participation 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 the writing, to support the nominees of the Republican Party in the future. Any voter that utilizes the foregoing exception, and thereafter participates in the nomination process of a party other than the Republican Party, shall not have the benefit of the exception identified in the Party Plan thereafter.

A voluntary Five Dollars (\$5.00) registration fee is requested of each delegate to the Dickenson County Mass Meeting. Every person elected as a delegate or alternate to the Ninth District Convention will be asked to pay a voluntary registration fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) (for the 9th District). A voluntary registration fee of Thirty-Five Dollars (\$35.00) (for the Republican Party of Virginia) is requested of each delegate or alternate delegate to the State Convention.

Authorized By: Joshua Evans, Chairman

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Not authorized by any candidate or candidate's committee.