## OFFICIAL CALL

Mass Meeting of Giles County of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Giles County Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Mae B. Midkiff, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Giles County Court House, Upper Floor, 120 North Main Street, Pearisburg, VA, starting at 6:30 p.m. for registration and 7:00 p.m. for the main meeting local time on Thursday, March 29, 2012 for the following purposes:

- a) Electing a Unit Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary for the Giles County Republican Committee:
- b) Electing up to 30 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention, to be held on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at the Greater Richmond Convention Center, beginning at 10 a.m. EDT for the purposes of electing a State Party Chairman, RNC National Committeewoman, 13 At-Large Delegates and 13 At-Large Alternate Delegates to the RNC Convention, and 2 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 Giles County is entitled to 30 Delegate Votes;
- c) Electing up to 30 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Ninth District Convention, to be held on Saturday, April 28, 2012 at George Wythe High School, #1 Maroon Way, Wytheville, VA or it's alternate side, beginning at 10 a.m. EDT for the purposes of electing a District Chairman, three Delegates and three Alternate Delegates to the RNC Convention, a Presidential Elector, and electing three members to the State Central Committee. Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes for Governor and President at their last election, so that Giles County Unit is entitled to 30 Delegate Votes;
- d) 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 Giles 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**

We have no pre-filing requirements but you can begin to register at 6:30 p.m. prior to the 7:00 p.m. starting time of our Mass Meeting.

## Registration Fee

There is no registration to participate in this Mass Meeting. However, there is a voluntary fee of \$35.00 to be a Delegate to the State Convention, making checks payable to Republican Party of Virginia. There is also a \$5 voluntary fee to be a delegate to the Ninth District Convention, making checks payable to the Giles Unit and we will forward the money to the District Committee or you may pay either fee at the time you register at the Conventions.

For information contact Mae B. Midkiff, 190 Midkiff Road, Staffordsville, VA 24167. Phone 1-540-921-2561. For more information on the Conventions please go to <a href="http://www.rpv.org/2012VaConvention">http://www.rpv.org/2012VaConvention</a> www.RPV.org/2012VaConvention or <a href="http://www.va9gop.org/">http://www.va9gop.org/</a>>www.va9gop.org

Mae B. Midkiff Mary-Paul 'Widget' Shannon

Chairman Secretary

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