

OFFICIAL CALL

Mass Meeting of the Lee County Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Lee County Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, I, Jason Lee Grace, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Lee High School in the Slemp Auditorium, 200 Generals Lane, Jonesville, Virginia 24263, starting at 10:00 a.m. (with registration opening at 8:30 a.m.) on Saturday, July 19, 2014, for the following purposes:

- 1) Nominating a Republican Candidate for Lee County Clerk of Court to be voted upon in the Special Election to be held Tuesday, November 4, 2014;
- 2) And for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Lee 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 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 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 thereafter.

Voters may be required to produce personal identification such as a valid driver's license or voter registration card in order to participate in the aforementioned Mass Meeting.

Candidate Filing Requirements for Mass Meeting

Candidates seeking the nomination at the Mass Meeting shall be required to pay a filing fee in the amount of \$250.00 (Two-hundred, fifty dollars and no cents) to the Treasurer of the Lee County Republican Party of Virginia. Such filing fee must be submitted to the Secretary of the Lee County Republican Party by the pre-filing deadline. The filing fee shall be made by check and payable to the Republican Party of Lee County (place on check memo line "Filing Fee – Clerk of the Circuit Court). Filing fees are non-refundable once remitted. Pre-filing applications sent by correspondence should be sent to the following address:

The Lee County Republican Party
ATTN: Mr. Chris Parsons
33739 Main Street, Suite 102
P.O. Box 291
Jonesville, Virginia 24263

Any candidate seeking office in this mass meeting shall complete and return an "Official Registration Form" to the Secretary of the Lee County Republican Party **by 5:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on Tuesday July 1, 2014** along with a check for the filing fee.

Registration Fees

There will be no required registration fee for voters to participate in the Mass Meeting.

Pre-filing Stipulations

There will be no pre-filing requirement for voters to the mass meeting. Any candidate seeking to hold the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Lee County shall be required to pre-file as a candidate with the Republican Party of Lee County **by 5:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on Tuesday July 1, 2014**. If only one (1) candidate pre-files to run in this mass meeting, then the mass meeting shall be canceled. If no candidate pre-files to run in this mass meeting, then the meeting shall be canceled and the Republican Party of Lee County shall forward no candidate for the general election.

Paid for & Authorized by the
Republican Party of Lee County Virginia
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