

OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting of Montgomery County
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Montgomery County Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Marcy Hernick, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at Montgomery County Government Center (Board of Supervisors Room), 755 Roanoke St., Christiansburg, starting at 2:00 PM local time on Saturday, March 24, 2012 for the following purposes:

- a) Electing a Unit Chairman;
- b) Electing members of the Unit Committee;
- c) Electing up to 610 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention, to be held on June 16 at the Greater Richmond Convention Center, 403 North Third Street, Richmond, beginning at 10 a.m. for the purposes of electing a State Party Chairman, RNC National Committeeman, RNC National Committeewoman, 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 Montgomery County is entitled to 122 Delegate Votes;
- d) Electing up to 610 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the 9th Congressional District Convention, to be held on Saturday, April 28, 2012 at George Wythe High School (1 Maroon Way, Wytheville, VA 24382), beginning at 10:00 AM for the purposes of electing a District Chairman, three Delegates and three Alternate Delegates to the RNC Convention, a Presidential Elector, and three members to the Republican Party of Virginia 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 Montgomery County is entitled to 122 Delegate Votes;
- 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 Montgomery 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

Candidates for election as a delegate or alternate delegate to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention and/or the 9th Congressional District Convention at said mass meeting shall file in advance a Delegate Filing Form, provided by the Montgomery County Unit Committee. The form may be obtained on the Montgomery County Republican web site at www.montvagop.org or by contacting Marcy Hernick (hernickm@gmail.com, 540-808-3920). The Delegate Filing Form must be delivered by mail or in person to: Marcy Hernick, 2673 Blossom Trail East, Blacksburg, VA 24060 by no later than March 16 at 6:00 p.m. local time. Postmarks do not govern.

Candidates for election as Chairman of the Montgomery County Republican Unit Committee must file a written statement, expressing their interest in running for election to Chairman, and stating that they intend to support all Republican nominees during the ensuing two-year term of office. The statement must be delivered by mail or in person to Marcy Hernick, 2673 Blossom Trail East, Blacksburg, VA 24060 by no later than March 16 at 6:00 p.m. local time. Postmarks do not govern.

Registration Fee

There will be no registration fee to participate in this mass meeting. Montgomery County Republican Unit Committee members are required to pay \$20 annual dues, with the first year's dues to be paid at the mass meeting. Please make checks payable to the Montgomery County Republican Committee.

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. The **voluntary registration fee of \$35** can be submitted to the unit Chairman, Marcy Hernick, with your Delegate Filing form or at the Mass Meeting on March 24.

Delegates and Alternates to the 9th Congressional District Convention are requested, but not required, to pay a **voluntary fee of \$5**. This voluntary fee will be paid either to the unit Chairman, Marcy Hernick, who will forward it to the Ninth District Committee, or the fee can be paid by the individual at the Convention during registration. Please make checks payable to the Ninth District Republican Committee.

Paid for and authorized by the Montgomery County Republican Committee.