

OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting
City of Bristol Republican Committee
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Bristol Republican Committee, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Tim Boyer, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at the Bristol Virginia Courthouse, 497 Cumberland St, Bristol, VA 24202 starting at 7:00pm local time on Monday, April 8, 2024 for the following purposes:

1. To elect a unit chairman, vice chairman, treasurer, secretary, general counsel, and members to the unit committee;
2. Electing Delegates and Alternates to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention, to be held on Friday, May 31, 2024 and Saturday, June 1, 2024, at Hampton Roads Convention Center, 1610 Coliseum Dr., Hampton VA 23666, or its alternate site, opening at 2:30 p.m. on May 31 for the purposes of:
 - a. electing a State Chairman,
 - b. nominating a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman,
 - c. nominating 2 electors at-large to serve in the 2024 Electoral College, and
 - d. the transaction of other business as may properly come before the Convention.

Each unit is entitled to one (1) Delegate Vote per 250 Republican votes cast for Governor and President at their last election, so that Bristol is entitled to 36 Delegate Votes;

3. 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 the City of Bristol 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.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for election for unit chairman, vice chairman, treasurer, secretary, general counsel, unit committee member, or as a delegate or alternate delegate to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention at said mass meeting shall file a written statement by mail or in person, to Tim Boyer, 130 Long Crescent Dr., Bristol, VA 24201, email chairman@bristolvagop.org which must be received not later than 7:00pm on Monday, April 1, 2024 and accompanied by any fees required. Postmarks shall not govern.

Official filing forms are available online at www.virginia.gop or www.va9gop.org or by contacting Tim Boyer at (276) 645-7200 or via email at chairman@bristolvagop.org

Candidacy filing fees are as follows:

- Unit Chairman, vice chairman, secretary, treasurer, general counsel – No Filing Fee
- Unit Committee Member - \$10.00 membership dues for 1 year
- Delegate/Alternate Delegate to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention - \$45.00 registration fee (mandatory).

Please make checks payable to the Bristol Republican Committee.

Uncontested Offices/Cancellation of Mass Meeting

If no more than one candidate files for election to any office to be voted upon at the mass meeting, that candidate will be declared elected. If fewer than the maximum number of unit committee members that the Bristol Republican Committee has established pre-file, all properly pre-filed candidates shall be declared elected to the applicable unit committee membership position. If fewer than the maximum number of Delegates that Bristol is entitled to at any convention pre-file, all properly pre-filed candidates shall be declared elected. If there are no contested offices to be voted upon at the mass meeting, then no mass meeting will be held.

Registration Fees for Mass Meeting & Convention

There is no registration fee for participation in the Bristol Republican Mass Meeting.

There is a mandatory registration fee of \$45.00 for each delegate/alternate delegate elected to the Republican Party of Virginia State Convention. Please make checks payable to the Bristol Republican Committee, which will forward the registration fee to the Republican Party of Virginia.

<p>Paid for and authorized by the Bristol Republican Committee Tim Boyer, Chairman chairman@bristolvagop.org (276) 645-7200</p>

Bristol Republican Committee Mass Meeting Officer/Delegate Filing Form

I, _____ (print full name as registered to vote) hereby declare my intention to seek the following office(s) to be elected at the Bristol Republican Mass Meeting to be held on Monday, April 8, 2024. (check as applicable)

___ Unit Chairman

___ Vice Chairman

___ Secretary

___ Treasurer

___ General Counsel

___ Delegate/Alternate Delegate to RPV State Convention – \$45.00 Mandatory Registration Fee

IMPORTANT STATEMENT – READ CAREFULLY

In accordance with the Qualifications for Participation set forth in the Official Call and Article I of the RPV Plan of Organization, I do hereby certify that I am a registered voter of the appropriate election district, I am in accord with the principles of the Republican Party, and I intend to support all the Nominees of the Republican Party during my term of office. I also affirm that all the information provided on this form is true to the best of my knowledge.

Registered Voting Address:	(indicate both street address and P.O. Box, if one)
Phone:	
Email:	
Signature:	
Date Signed:	

*****DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT: April 1, 2024 by 7:00pm*****

Return completed form/filing fee(s) to:

Tim Boyer, Chairman
130 Long Crescent Dr., Bristol, VA 24201
Email: chairman@bristolvagop.org

Postmarks do not govern, actual receipt required by deadline

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