



OFFICIAL CALL
Mass Meeting
of Botetourt County Republican Committee
of the Republican Party of Virginia



As Chairman of the Botetourt County Republican Committee of the Republican Party of Virginia, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Todd L. Dodson, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at James River High School, 9906 Springwood Rd, Buchanan, VA 24066, starting at 2:00 p.m. local time on Saturday, March 17, 2018 for the following purposes:

1. Electing a Botetourt County Republican Committee Chairman for the 2018-2020 term;
2. Electing members of the Botetourt County Republican Committee for the 2018-2020 term;
3. Electing up to 1,115 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the Sixth District Convention, to be held at the James Madison University Convocation Center, 895 University Boulevard, Harrisonburg, VA 22807, or its alternate site, starting at 10:00 a.m. local time on May 19, 2018, for the following purposes:
 - a. Electing a Chair for the Sixth Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia for the 2018- 2020 term;
 - b. Electing a nominee to be the Sixth District Republican Congressional candidate;
 - c. Electing three Regional Vice Chairmen for the Sixth Congressional District of the Republican Party of Virginia for the 2018-2020 term;

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters of Botetourt 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

Membership in the Botetourt County Republican Committee:

Candidates for election for general membership to the Botetourt County Republican Committee shall file a pre-file form by mail to the Botetourt Country Republican Committee, PO Box 702, Daleville, VA 24083 or dropped off during normal business hours to the John Alderson Insurance Offices at 1215 Roanoke Road, Daleville, Virginia, 24083, received not later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 16, 2018; or submitted at the Mass Meeting location no earlier than 1:00 PM and no later than 2:00 PM on March 17, 2018. Membership dues of \$50.00 for the 2018-2020 term will be accepted with the pre-file form.

There shall be no nominations for membership from the floor.

Chairman:

Candidates for the election of Botetourt County Republican Committee Unit Chairman must file a written statement of candidacy by mail to the Botetourt Country Republican Committee, PO Box 702, Daleville, VA 24083, or dropped off during normal business hours to the John Alderson Insurance Offices at 1215 Roanoke Road, Daleville, Virginia, 24083, which must be received not later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 9, 2018. Post marks do not govern. There is no filing fee for chairman candidates.

There shall be no nominations from the floor for the office of Chair.

Delegates:

Candidates for election as Delegates and Alternates to the May 19th District Convention shall file a pre-file form by mail to the Botetourt Country Republican Committee, PO Box 702, Daleville, VA 24083 or dropped off during normal business hours to the John Alderson Insurance Offices at 1215 Roanoke Road, Daleville, Virginia, 24083, received not later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, March 16, 2018; or submitted at the Mass Meeting location no earlier than 1:00 Pm and no later than 2:00 PM on March 17, 2018.

There shall be no Delegate nominations from the floor.

Filing forms can be found at:

<https://botetourtgop.com/2018/02/06/official-filing-from-for-mass-meeting/>

<http://www.sixthdistrictgop.org/official-calls/>

<http://virginia.gov/events/category/official-call/month/>

If the number of persons seeking election as Chair of the Botetourt County Republican Committee, or as a member of the Committee or as a delegate to a district convention does not exceed the total number allowed by the State Party Plan, all candidates for such office shall be deemed elected. Therefore, persons who have pre-filed to be Committee members shall be automatically elected, and their attendance at the Mass Meeting is not required.

Persons who have pre-filed to be convention delegates or alternates shall be automatically elected if the number of those seeking to be delegates or alternates to each convention does not exceed 1115. In that case, attendance at the Mass Meeting is not required.

SPECIAL NOTE: If not more than 1 person pre-files for the office of Chairman and not more than 1115 people pre-file to be delegates to the 6th District Convention, then those who pre-filed shall be automatically elected and the Mass Meeting shall be cancelled. For more information, please contact Todd Dodson at (571) 276-2201 or toddsemail@tlenterprises.com.

Identification of Voters

Those who seek to participate in the mass meeting shall be required to meet the same Photo ID requirement for a General Election to participate.

Registration Fee and Additional Information

There will be NO registration fee to participate in this mass meeting; however, a \$5.00 contribution is requested to defray the costs. No resolutions shall be considered by the Mass Meeting.

To assist the operations of the Republican Party of Virginia in supporting Unit mass meetings and conventions, and the administration of the District Convention, a voluntary candidate filing contribution of \$20.00 is requested of each person standing for election as a delegate or alternate to the District Convention. Failure to pay the requested voluntary filing contribution will not result in disqualification.

Approval and Authorization

This Call was approved at a duly called meeting of the Botetourt County Republican Committee held on Tuesday, February 13, 2018.