### OFFICIAL CALL

# Mass Meeting of the Falls Church City Members of the Republican Party of Virginia March 22, 2024, at 7:30 PM (EST) American Legion Post 130, 400 N. Oak Street, Falls Church, Virginia 22046

As acting Chair of the Falls Church City Republican Committee ("FCCRC"), and pursuant to the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Shayam Menon, do hereby issue this call for a Mass Meeting to be held at American Legion Post 130, 400 N. Oak Street, Falls Church, Virginia 22046, starting at 7:30 PM (EST) on March 22, 2024, for the following purposes:

- 1. Electing a Unit Chairman;
- 2. Electing members of the FCCRC;
- Electing up to 60 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the District Convention of the 8<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, to be held on Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at the Alexandria Knights of Columbus Hall (8592 Richmond Highway, Alexandria, VA 22309) beginning at 6:00 PM (EST) for the purposes of:

A. Electing a District Chairman, for a term of two years, or until his successors is elected;B. Nominating a Republican candidate for elector for President and Vice President of the United States to be voted for at the election on Tuesday, November 5, 2024;

- C. Electing three members of the State Central Committee; and
- D. For the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.
- Electing up to 60 Delegates and an equal number of Alternates to the State Convention, to be held on May 31 and June 1, 2024, at the Hampton Roads Convention Center, 1610 Coliseum Dr, Hampton VA 23666, beginning at 2:30 PM (EST) on May 31, 2024, for the purpose of: A. Selecting two Electors At-Large to be voted for in the presidential election on November 5, 2024;
  - B. Electing a State Chairman;
  - C. Nominating a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman; and
  - D. for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention;
- 5. and such other business as may properly come before the mass meeting.

#### **Qualifications for Participation**

All legal and qualified voters of Falls Church City 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 this Mass Meeting, subject to the provisions in Article I of the Plan of Organization (Republican Party Plan). There is no registration fee for participants.

### Filing Requirements

Candidates for election as Unit Chair must agree to be a member of FCCRC and file a written statement that they are seeking to be elected as Unit Chair with Shayam Menon by e-mail at <a href="mailto:shayam@shayammenon.com">shayam@shayammenon.com</a> by March 15, 2024.

Candidates for election to membership of FCCRC, as delegates to the District Convention of the 8<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, and as delegates to the State Convention must file a written statement on the official filing form, which is available on the FCCRC website at <u>https://fallschurchgop.org/</u> and shall include with the official filing form a check or evidence of payment of the applicable filing fees as set forth on the official filing form. Filing will be accepted by mail (P.O. Box 234, Falls Church, VA 22040-0234) or physical delivery (contact Shayam Menon by e-mail at <u>shayam@shayammenon.com</u> for instructions if by physical delivery) if received with the fee or fees listed on the official filing form by 5:00 PM (EST) on March 18, 2024; postmarks shall not govern.

### All checks should be made payable to Falls Church City Republican Committee.

As permitted by the Republican Party of Virginia (RPV) Party Plan, FCCRC waived by a two-thirds (2/3) vote the Plan's requirement that this call be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Falls Church City.

### Military Members as Delegates

Military Members (any members of the Virginia National Guard, or the United States Armed Forces, Merchant Marine, or Coast Guard currently serving on active duty) who comply with these filing requirements shall not be required to be elected, but shall be declared delegates pursuant to Article VIII, Section H. of the Plan of Organization of the Republican Party of Virginia.

Military Member delegates or alternate delegates that are unable to attend the convention in person due to obligations of their official military orders, shall have their votes cast within their unit delegation according to candidate preference ballots. Instructions regarding the casting of candidate preference ballots are available in the Call for the Convention, which is available on the website of the Republican Party of Virginia (https://virginia.gop/).

# **Cancellation**

If not more than the number of persons to be nominated or elected shall file for any office, then such properly filed persons shall be declared nominated or elected as the case may be, and no election will occur for that office. Should all elections be cancelled, the Mass Meeting will also be cancelled.

Paid for and authorized by the Falls Church City Republican Committee.