

**POWHATAN COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE
DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY FOR
OFFICER AND MEMBER**

I, _____, a registered voter in Powhatan County, submit this form to Vice-Chair, Connie Thompson at 1920 Mill Quarter Road, Powhatan, VA 23139 for purposes of complying with the requirements set forth in the Official Call for a Party Canvass with respect to the following:

- I hereby file my candidacy for Membership in the Powhatan County Republican Committee. Attached is a check for annual dues in the amount of \$30.00 for the year 2026. Dues will be billed for the year 2026. Deadline for filing as member is March 12, 2026
- I wish to be elected Chairman of the Powhatan County Republican Committee. I have included my non-refundable filing fee of \$500.00 – Deadline for filing as Chairman is February 20, 2026, 5:00 pm

NOTE: Article VII, Section C of the Republican Party of Virginia’s Plan of Organization states the following about membership on a county committee:

A member of an Official Committee is held to a higher standard of support for nominees of the Republican Party than an individual who merely participates in a mass meeting, party canvass, convention or primary. Therefore, a member of an Official Committee is deemed to have resigned his Committee position if he (a) makes a reportable contribution to and/or (b) allows his name to be publicly used by and/or (c) makes a written or other public statement in support of a candidate in opposition to a Republican nominee in a Virginia General or Special Election.

By signing this form, I certify that I am a registered voter in Powhatan County, have read and understand the requirements above and that I intend to support all nominees of the Republican Party during this election (for convention delegates) and/or during my two-year term as a member of the Powhatan County Republican Committee. Also, I have read and understand other requirements herein including, but not limited to Article 1 of the Plan of Organization which states in part:

A voter who, subsequent to making a statement of intent, publicly supports a candidate in opposition to a Republican nominee shall not be qualified for participation in party actions as defined in Article I for a period of four (4) years.

Applicable laws require that the following information be submitted with any payment of money in connection with this form:

Name (print as it appears on the applicant’s voter registration) _____

Address _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Employer’s Address _____

Email (voluntary) _____ Cell phone # (voluntary) _____

Last four digits of Soc. Sec.# (voluntary) _____

Signature of applicant _____ Date _____

ADDITIONAL PREFILING INSTRUCTIONS: No Candidate Forms or fee payments will be accepted after 5:00 pm on Friday February 20, 2026. No Member forms or fee payments will be accepted after 5:00 PM on Wednesday, March 18, 2020. *Postmarks shall not govern either deadline.* All information must be provided as required, and this form must be legible and signed by the applicant to be valid. This form cannot be altered in any way; however, it may be photocopied. Make checks payable to the Powhatan County Republican Committee, Powhatan GOP or PCRC. Payments to the Powhatan County Republican Committee are not tax deductible.

Paid for and Authorized by the Powhatan County Republican Committee