

OFFICIAL CALL  
Party Canvass of the Roanoke City Republican Committee  
of the Republican Party of Virginia

As Chairman of the Roanoke City Republican Committee of the Republican Party, and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Charles Nave, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at Berglund Hall, located at 710 Williamson Road, Roanoke, VA 24016, from 10:00am to 4:00pm local time on Saturday, July 23, 2022, for the purpose of nominating one (1) Republican candidate for the one office of City Council, unexpired term (said office having been vacated by Robert Jeffrey, Jr.) and which is to be voted for in the special election on November 8, 2022.

Qualifications for Participation

All legal and qualified voters in the City of Roanoke 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.

Candidate Filing Requirements

Candidates for nomination at said party canvass shall be qualified to be elected pursuant to Va. Code § 24.2-500 and shall file a written statement by mail to or in person with Charles Nave at 316 Mountain Ave SW, Roanoke VA 24016, which must be received not later than 2pm on May 10 and which must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the "Roanoke City Republican Committee" in the amount of \$500 for the filing fee. Applicants may contact Charles Nave at 540 354 3943 to arrange in-person delivery of statement and filing fee. Postmarks shall not govern.

Candidate Certification Committee

A Candidate Certification Committee shall review the statements and checks filed by all candidates for nomination. The Candidate Certification Committee shall certify only those candidates for nomination that:

- a) have properly and timely filed a statement and check;
- b) are qualified to be elected pursuant to Va. Code § 24.2-500;
- c) are in accord with the principles of the Republican Party; and
- d) credibly pledge to support the Republican nominees for City Council nominated by this Party Canvass and any other Republican Party Canvass in the November 8, 2022 general election

Only candidates certified by the Candidate Certification Committee may appear on the party canvass ballot. Write-in votes will not be counted.

The Candidate Certification Committee shall consist of the Executive Committee of the Roanoke City Republican Committee, provided that any person on said Executive Committee who is also seeking the nomination decided by this Party Canvass may not serve on the Candidate

Certification Committee. If the Candidate Certification Committee has an even number of members, the Chairman of the Roanoke City Republican Committee will appoint one additional person to the committee.

The Candidate Certification Committee shall release its preliminary findings within a week of the filing deadline. The Candidate Certification Committee shall publish its final list of certified candidates on June 10, 2022.

Cancellation of Party Canvass

If fewer than two candidates properly file and are certified by the Candidate Certification Committee, then that candidate shall be declared the Republican nominee and the party canvass will be cancelled.

Registration Fee

There shall be no registration fee required to participate in this party canvass.

Paid for and authorized by the Roanoke City Republican Committee.