

**City of Virginia Beach Republican Party**

**Official Call for a Party Canvass (2.0)**

**Issued February 13, 2026**

As Chairman of the Virginia Beach Republican Committee and pursuant to the Plan of Organization and as recommended and directed by the Virginia Beach City Committee, I, Larry Lane, do hereby issue this call for a Party Canvass to be held at the Cape Henry Church, 333 Edwin Drive, Virginia Beach, VA, 23452, or alternate site at my discretion from 10 AM to 3 PM local time on Saturday March 21, 2026 for the following purposes:

- A. Electing a Chairman for the Virginia Beach Republican Committee of Virginia Beach.
- B. Electing Precinct Members to the Virginia Beach Republican Committee and At Large Members of the Virginia Beach Republican Committee.
- C. For the transaction of other business that may come before the committee.

**Determination of the Number of Precinct Members to the City Committee.**

The number of Precinct Members is determined by a ratio of votes as defined in Article II, Section 14 and Article VIII Section G of the Party Plan. This ratio is also used to set the total number of members for each precinct, but all precincts are entitled to at least one Precinct Committee Member.

**Determination of the Number of At Large Members to the City Committee.**

At Large Memberships will be capped as a percent of the Precinct Membership in the Virginia Beach City Committee as outlined in Article VI, Section A, #3.

**Qualifications for Participation**

All Citizens of United States who are legal and eligible voters of Virginia Beach, 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 the Republican nominees for public office in the ensuing election, may participate as members of the Republican Party of Virginia in its mass meeting, party canvasses, convention or primaries encompassing their respective election districts.

## **Filing Requirements**

### **Candidates for Chairman.**

Candidates for the election to the office of unit Chairman, shall file a Declaration of Candidacy in person or by mail to Pat Davis, or her designee at the RPVB Office, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd., Ste 105, Virginia Beach no later than 5 PM local time on February 20, 2026. These forms can be mailed but postmarks do not govern.

Should only one candidate properly file by the deadline that candidate shall be declared the winner.

### **Membership in the Republican Party of Virginia Beach.**

Person filing to join or rejoin the Republican Party of Virginia Beach at this time must submit a completed filing form with Pat Davis, RPVB Office, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd., Ste 105, Virginia Beach, VA no later than 5 PM local time on March 2, 2026. Persons can file online or use the supplied form to join. Only original documents are acceptable. The form can be mailed but postmarks shall not govern. Dues of \$50.00 must be submitted with this application. Dues can be paid online, by check, or money order; no cash is accepted. Family members may pay by a single check.

If the number of persons filing as candidates for membership for election to the city committee does not exceed the combined total number of precinct and at large members then all candidates shall be declared elected to the city committee. Individuals not elected during the canvas will be admitted to the Republican Party of Virginia Beach in the normal two-step process of first being declared a candidate at one meeting and then at the next meeting being voted in by the party members.

If one of the stated purposes is to nominate persons for public office, then the declaration requirements for Military Members as per Article VIII, Section H, para 7, and Military Delegation Participation requirements as per Article VIII, Section H, para 7.

“Military Members who are certified as delegates pursuant to paragraph 6 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. Candidate preference ballots shall list the Military Member’s rank order preference among candidates (i.e., first choice, second choice, third choice, etc.). Their votes shall be cast for the highest ranked choice candidate who remains eligible to receive a vote in a particular round of voting. Candidate preference ballots shall be made available by the Official Committee calling the convention no less than twenty (20) days prior to the convention and returned to the Chairman of the Official Committee that called the convention not less than three (3) days prior to the convention.”

### **Cancellation of the Canvass.**

If both the number of persons filing for chairman and city committee membership does not exceed the number to be elected, the mass meeting will be cancelled.

## **FILING FEES & DUES**

Paid for and authorized by the Republican Party of Virginia Beach

**Candidate for Chairman.**

There will be a \$500.00 nonrefundable registration fee to participate as a candidate for Unit Chairman. The payment must be by check or money order and made payable to the Republican Party of Virginia Beach. This payment must be turned in with the Unit Chairman Declaration of Candidacy Form to Pat Davis, RPVB Office, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd., Ste 105, Virginia Beach, VA no later than 5 PM local time on Feb 20, 2026.

**Joining or Rejoining Republican Party of Virginia Beach.**

Should a person elect to join or rejoin as a Unit Committee Member (Precinct or At-Large) the dues are \$50.00. The payment can be online, by check or money order. Checks or money orders shall be made payable to the Republican Party of Virginia Beach and accompany the Filing Form. Electronic applications must be submitted prior to the filing deadline and include electronic payment. All payments are due by 5PM local time on March 2, 2026. Postmarks do not govern.

Assignment of members as Precinct Members or At-Large Members will take place following the canvass at subsequent city committee meetings.

**2026 Republican Party of Virginia Beach Filing Form for Chairman**

**Deadline to File: Feb. 20, 2026, at 5 PM local time. Postmarks do not govern.**

**Where to File: Pat Davis, RPVB Headquarters, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd, Ste 105, Virginia Beach, VA 23452.**

I am submitting the following application(s) as a voter of Virginia Beach. (Check all that apply).

File for Chairman of the Republican Party of Virginia Beach. (**\$500.00 Filing Fee**)

- I declare that I am in accord with the qualifications for participation set forth in the RPV Party Plan.
- I am a legally qualified voter of Virginia Beach.
- I am in accord with the principles of the Republican Party.
- I pledge to support all the Republican nominees in the upcoming general elections of November 2026.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ (as it appears on your voter registration)

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ Virginia Beach

ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Voter Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

All payments shall be made by check or money order to the Republican Party of Virginia Beach. Only original signed documents shall be accepted, no emails or photocopies. All applications are due by 5 PM Feb. 20, 2026. Postmarks will not govern.

**Republican Party of Virginia Beach of the Republican Party of Virginia Canvass March 21, 2026  
Agreement Form (February 6, 2026)**

Purpose: Application to seek election as a Precinct Member, Member At-Large, or Absentee At-Large Member of the RPVB City Committee via March 21, 2026, Canvass. Filing Requirements:

- Submit completed Agreement Form and Application Form.
- Include nonrefundable \$50 filing fee (payable to Republican Party of Virginia Beach).
- Deadline: No later than March 2, 2026, at 4:00 PM (postmarks not accepted).

Submission Options:

- Mail to: Patricia Davis, RPVB Secretary/Membership Chair, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd., Suite 105, Virginia Beach, VA 23452.
- Hand-deliver in person (cash fees in person only) to RPVB Headquarters at the above address.
- Submit online via RPVB website (with \$50 fee + credit card processing fee; receipt provided).

Qualifications & Certifications (as certified by applicant):

- Citizen of United States who is legal and eligible voter in Virginia Beach, Virginia.
- In accord with Virginia Republican Party principles.
- Intend to support all Republican nominees during term (if elected).
- Meet qualifications in Article I of the Republican Party of Virginia (RPV) Plan of Organization, RPVB Bylaws, standing rules, and addendums.

Duties & Obligations (if elected):

- Perform duties in good faith by RPV Plan of Organization, RPVB Bylaws, standing rules, and addendums (available on RPVB website).
- Actively support RPVB objectives: build the Party and elect its candidates.
- Precinct Members (residing in precinct): Appoint a Precinct Captain; assist the captain to the best of ability.
- All City Committee Members: Assist Precinct Captain in their residential precinct.

Membership Structure:

- Based on qualified Republican voters in Virginia Beach (not guaranteed).
- Precinct Members: One or more per precinct (based on votes for Republican Presidential/Gubernatorial candidates in most recent elections; minimum one (1) per precinct; must reside in the precinct).
- At-Large Members: Additional members (any precinct residence); limited to ≤30% precinct membership in accordance with authorized membership per RPV Plan and RPVB Bylaws.
- Restrictions: Spouse, child, or parent in same household as current precinct member ineligible for that precinct's seat (but eligible for At-Large).

Other:

- Reconstitution elects RPVB Chairman and Members by qualified Virginia Beach voters.
- All forms held in confidence; accessible only to those authorized by RPVB Chair; maintained by Secretary.
- Applications require accurate voter registration info (no P.O. boxes); include name, address, phone, email, employer, occupation, and address of employer.

I \_\_\_\_\_ hereby renounce affiliation with any other party.  
(Signature of Applicant)

I affirm that I am in accord with the principles of the Republican Party and intend to support the nominees and endorsees of the Republican Party in the future and agree to terms and conditions of Membership, on this date \_\_\_\_\_ of 2026.

**OFFICIAL REPUBLICAN PARTY OF VIRGINIA BEACH 2026 CANVASS**

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM (February 6, 2026)**

**Print**

**Name \*** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address \*** \_\_\_\_\_

**City \*** \_\_\_\_\_, **Virginia, ZIP CODE \*** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number (s) #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Employer Name\*** \_\_\_\_\_ **Occupation \*** \_\_\_\_\_

**City/State of Employment \*** \_\_\_\_\_

**Required For Virginia Department of Elections \***    **Required RPVB #**

**Completed Agreement and Application forms and returned by mail NO LATER THAN MARCH 2, 2026, by 4 pm with the \$50 filing fee: checks written to: Republican Party of Virginia Beach. A money order must identify individual applicants. Addressed to:**

**Patricia Davis, Secretary/Membership Chair  
2955 Virginia Beach Blvd. Suite 105  
Virginia Beach, VA 23452**

**Post Marks will not Govern.**

**All cash filing fees hand-delivered in person with \$50 filing fee (exact amount) between the hours of 10 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday to: 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd. Suite 105, Virginia Beach to the attention of Patricia Davis, Secretary/Membership Chair**

**All applications will be date stamped and initialized, receiving forms logged by person designated to receive forms at RPVB Headquarters. No other person is authorized to receive Agreement/Application forms or filing fee. Receipts will be issued to the applicant.**

**Application forms on-line with Republican Party of Virginia Beach and \$50 filing fee plus additional fee for credit card. An on-line receipt provided upon verification of payment via credit card.**

**ALL FORMS WILL BE HELD IN CONFIDENCE AND ASSESSIBLE TO ONLY THOSE AUTHORIZED and maintained by the Secretary/ Membership Chair.**

**Certified as Received: Payment Method \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Receiving Signature: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Secretary/Membership Chair (Initialed receipt) \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_**