

Motion to Endorse Candidates for Nonpartisan Races (revised)

I move that at the August 2024 meeting the RPVB vote to endorse one nonpartisan candidate for each of the following contests:

- City Council District 8
- School Board District 4

Candidates contending for the RPVB endorsement must make known their intention to seek the RPVB endorsement by completing the candidate filling form and submitting it to Chairman in person or mail at 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd. Suite 105 Virginia Beach, VA 23452 by the hard deadline of Monday, August 5th, 2024 at 5:00PM Eastern Time, postmarks do not govern.

A receipt of submittal will be issued to each candidate upon turning in their paperwork.

The Chairman will post electronically by 6PM on the filing deadline date the names of all candidates who properly submitted an application for endorsement.

Candidates will speak in alphabetical order within office sought. Candidates will have 3 minutes to speak with a hard stop kept by a timekeeper.

Voting will be by secret ballot, only members in good standing with the RPVB will be allowed to vote, or their approved proxy as in accordance with the RPVB bylaws.

Whichever candidate earns the most raw votes will win the RPVB endorsement. In the case of a tie, neither candidate will be endorsed at that time and a new election will take place for that specific office at a future meeting.

Ballots will be hand counted on site with the candidate or their one representative able to observe. The winners will be announced electronically within 1 hour of the close of voting.

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City of Virginia Beach Republican Party

Announcement of Party Endorsement in Nonpartisan Election

Issued July 8, 2024

As Chairman of the Virginia Beach Republican Committee as recommended and directed by the Committee, I, Laura Hughes, do hereby issue this announcement of Party Endorsement for local nonpartisan elections, to be held at our upcoming August 2024 business meeting as and when called.

Candidates seeking endorsement should complete and return the attached filing form.

A list of candidates who have filed will be published once the filing deadline passes.

At the meeting, filed candidates will be given an opportunity to address the body. Then members in good standing will vote by secret ballot on which candidates to endorse. A candidate receiving a plurality of the votes cast will receive the endorsement of the Republican Party of Virginia Beach.

Qualifications for Participation

All candidates who are legal and qualified 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, may apply for the endorsement of the members of the Republican Party of Virginia Beach.

Filing Requirements

Candidates for endorsement shall file a Declaration of Candidacy to:

Laura Hughes, RPVB Headquarters, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd, Ste 105, Virginia Beach, VA 23452.

With a copy to:

Donald Plaster
1305 White Marlin Ln
Virginia Beach VA 23464
email gop@plaster.hrcoxmail.com
mobile 757-238-5658
fax 423-374-0389

no later than 5 PM local time on August 5, 2024. Forms shall be printed, filled out, and signed. These forms may be mailed but postmarks do not govern. Forms may also be hand delivered, faxed or scanned and emailed. Confirmation of receipt will be provided – if not received in a timely manner please follow up via phone call with Mr Plaster.

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There will be no fee associated with this application.

2024 Republican Party of Virginia Beach Filing Form
Issued July 8, 2024

Deadline to File: August 5, 2024, at 5 PM local time. Postmarks do not govern.

Where to File: Laura Hughes, RPVB Headquarters, 2955 Virginia Beach Blvd, Ste 105, Virginia Beach, VA 23452. With a copy to Donald Plaster, 1305 White Marlin Ln, Virginia Beach VA 23464, email gop@plaster.hrcoxmail.com, mobile 757-238-5658, fax 423-374-0389

I am submitting the following application as a voter of Virginia Beach to seek endorsement of the Republican Party of Virginia.

- I declare that I am in accordance 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.

NAME: _____ (as it appears on your voter registration)

LEGAL VOTING ADDRESS: _____

Virginia Beach ZIP Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Office Sought: _____

District: _____

Candidate Signature: _____ Date: _____

All applications are due by 5 PM August 5, 2024. Postmarks will not govern. Confirmation of receipt will be provided – if not received in a timely manner please follow up via phone call with Mr Plaster.