



Precinct Committeeman or Precinct Committeewoman Candidate Application

Name and address on record with the Collier County Supervisor of Elections

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Zip _____

Voter ID number: _____

1. How were you referred to the CCREC? _____
2. How long have you been continuously registered as a Republican? _____
3. How long have you been a resident of Collier County? _____
4. Have you ever been a member of another political party? _____
If yes, explain here _____
5. Have you ever held an elected or Republican Party office? _____
If yes, describe here _____
6. Have you have served as a delegate to the Republican National Convention? _____
If yes, Describe here _____
7. Do you currently belong to any Republican Clubs or other GOP organizations? _____
If yes, describe here _____
8. Have you previously belonged to Republican organizations? _____
If yes, describe here _____
9. How much experience do you have as a campaign volunteer? _____
Explain here _____

The following information is optional (You may attache a résumé if you prefer)

1. Occupation, business, or employer (If retired, former occupation or employer)

2. Please describe other civic, political, social or professional organizations to which you belong _____



Our official notifications and meeting notices will be via email (unless you specifically request that they be mailed to you.)

Preferred email address for meeting notices _____

Information that you wish to appear in our Member Directory
It will be distributed to members via email (and not posted online).
(Indicate "Omit" if you do not want this information to be included.)

Name _____

email _____

Phone numbers (cell) _____ (home) _____

Mailing address _____

_____ Zip _____

Signature

Date

Return completed membership documents to:

CCREC Membership Committee
PO Box 7367
Naples, FL 34101

or scan and email to membership@colliergop.org

Virtual headquarters phone 239-732-0885

You are applying to be elected to fill a vacant seat on the Collier County Republican Executive Committee as a Precinct Committeeman or Precinct Committeewoman. You will have rights, duties and privileges as an elected member of the CCREC.

The following is from RPOF Party Rules of Procedure:

RULE 5 - Election of Precinct Committeemen and Women

A. (1) Each precinct within each county shall, except as otherwise provided in this rule, the party constitution, or state law, elect one man, who is a registered Republican, and one woman, who is a registered Republican, to serve as Precinct Committeeman and Precinct Committeewoman. However, any precinct with a total registration equal to or greater than 1000 registered voters shall be entitled to an additional Precinct Committeeman and Precinct Committeewoman for every increment of 1000 registered voters in the precinct, who shall serve for the full term of the office regardless of change in precinct population.

(2) The number of registered voters shall be determined at or just prior to the commencement of the qualifying period for such office as shown by the most recent voter registration records of the Supervisor of Elections in such County. At any time thereafter, should the number of registered voters increase so as to exceed 1000 voters, the County Executive Committee shall elect one additional Precinct Committeeman and Precinct Committeewoman in accordance with the procedures set forth below for the filling of vacancies and who shall serve until the commencement of the term of his or her successor, if any.

B. In counties divided into 40 or more precincts, the State Executive Committee may adopt a district unit of representation for such county Executive Committees. Upon adoption of a district unit of representation, the State Executive Committee shall request the supervisor of elections of that county, with approval of the Board of County Commissioners, to provide for an appropriate number of election districts as nearly equal in number of registered voters as possible. Where the district unit of representation has been adopted, district representatives shall be elected in the same manner as Precinct Committeemen and Committeewomen, and shall serve in place of precinct men and women.

C. The Precinct Committeemen and women or the district men and women elected in accordance with this rule shall constitute the County Executive Committee. Pursuant to the party constitution, and Florida Statutes, the State Committeeman and State Committeewoman, and all members of the Florida legislature who are residents of the county and members of the Republican Party, shall be voting members of the County Executive Committee. County Executive Committees shall not extend voting membership status to any other individuals. Each member of the committee shall be entitled to one vote.

D. Pursuant to Florida Statutes 103.091(5), in the event no county committeeman or committeewoman is elected or a vacancy occurs from any other cause in the County Executive Committee, the vacancy shall be filled by a majority vote of those present at a regular meeting at which a quorum is present. Such vacancy shall be filled by a qualified member of the political party residing in the district where the vacancy occurred and for the unexpired portion of the term and shall not be deemed a member until the name has been duly recorded with the Supervisor of Elections by the secretary of the County Executive Committee.

E. In accordance with Section 103.091, Florida Statutes, Precinct Committeemen and Precinct Committeewomen shall be elected for four-year terms which shall commence on the first day of the month following each general election (December 1). Within thirty days of the primary election, Precinct Committeemen and Precinct Committeewomen shall sign and file a loyalty oath as prescribed in Rule 9. Failure to file a completed loyalty oath is cause for immediate removal from office.

F. Candidates for Precinct Committeemen and Precinct Committeewomen shall qualify for office in accordance with Section 103.091, Florida Statutes.

G. The outgoing chairman of each County Executive Committee shall hold an organizational meeting of all newly elected precinct committee members and for the purpose of electing officers and said meeting shall take place within 30 days of the date the new members take office.

The following is from Florida Statutes:

103.131 Political party offices deemed vacant in certain cases.—Every political party office shall be deemed vacant in the following cases:

- (1) By the death of the incumbent.
- (2) By his or her resignation.
- (3) By his or her removal.
- (4) By his or her ceasing to be an inhabitant of the state, district, or precinct for which he or she shall have been elected or appointed.
- (5) By his or her refusal to accept the office.
- (6) The conviction of the incumbent of any felony.
- (7) The decision of a competent tribunal declaring void his or her election or appointment, and his or her removal by said tribunal.
- (8) By his or her failure to attend, without good and sufficient reason, three consecutive meetings, regular or called, of the committee of which he or she is a member.

103.141 Removal of county executive committee member for violation of oath.—If the county executive committee by at least a two-thirds majority vote of the members of the committee, attending a meeting held after due notice has been given and at which meeting a quorum is present, determines an incumbent county executive committee member is guilty of an offense involving a violation of the member's oath of office, the member shall be removed from office and the office shall be deemed vacant. However, if the county committee wrongfully removes a county committee member and the committee member wrongfully removed files suit in the circuit court alleging his or her removal was wrongful and wins the suit, the committee member shall be restored to office and the county committee shall pay the costs incurred by the wrongfully removed committee member in bringing the suit, including reasonable attorney's fees.

The following is from ARTICLE III of the CCREC Constitution:

No candidate for a vacancy on the committee who meets the registration and residence requirements and follows the rules of procedure prescribed for filling a vacancy can be rejected for consideration by a membership committee, board, or officer of the County Executive Committee. All such candidates must be voted upon by the County Executive Committee.

CANDIDATE OATH -

Committeemen and Committeewomen

Check applicable one:

- Precinct Committeeman or Committeewoman
- District Committeeman or Committeewoman
- State Committeeman or Committeewoman

OFFICE USE ONLY

Candidate Oath

(Sections 99.021(1)(a) and (2), Florida Statutes)

I, _____,

(Print name above as you wish it to appear on the ballot. If your last name consists of two or more names but has no hyphen, check box (see page 2 - Compound Last Names). No change can be made after the end of qualifying.)

am a candidate for the office of Committeeman Committeewoman

Precinct/District Number _____ (Not applicable to State Committeemen and State Committeewomen);

I am a qualified elector of Collier County, Florida; I am qualified under the Constitution and the Laws of Florida to hold the office to which I desire to be nominated or elected; and I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Statement of Party

(Section 99.021(1)(b), Florida Statutes)

I am a member of the Republican Party; I have been a registered member of this political party, for which I am seeking nomination as a candidate, for 365 days before the beginning of qualifying preceding the general election for which I seek to qualify; and I have paid the assessment levied against me, if any, by the executive committee of the above-stated political party.

Candidate's Florida Voter Registration Number (located on your voter information card): _____

Phonetic spelling for audio ballot: Print name phonetically on the line below as you wish it to be pronounced on the audio ballot as may be used by persons with disabilities (see instructions on page 2 of this form): [Not applicable to write-in candidates.]

X _____ ()
Signature of Candidate Telephone Number Email Address

Address City State ZIP Code

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF _____

Signature of Notary Public

Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public below:

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of
online notarization OR physical presence

this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Personally Known OR Produced Identification

Type of Identification Produced: _____



PARTY LOYALTY OATH

I, _____, swear or affirm that during my term of party office
Print Full Name Clearly

I will not actively, publicly, or financially support the election of any candidate seeking election against:

(1) The Republican Party’s nominee in a partisan unitary, general, or special election that includes a Republican nominee; or

(2) A registered Republican in a non-partisan election, except that this provision does not apply to judicial races under Chapter 105, Florida Statutes.

I further swear or affirm that, in a contested Republican primary election, I will not support the nomination of one Republican candidate over another in my capacity as a Republican Executive Committee member unless the Executive Committee has voted to endorse that candidate in accordance with RPOF Rule 8. This provision does not preclude me from supporting in any manner my personal Republican candidate of choice in a contested Republican primary election, provided I do not express such support with public reference to my title or office within the Republican Party of Florida.

Signature of Member

Date: _____

County/Precinct #: _____

Party Office: _____

(State Committeeman/Committeewoman; Precinct Committeeman/Committeewoman; or Alternate Precinct Committeeman/Committeewoman)

Street Address *(as appears on voter registration)*

City/Zip

Email

(Loyalty Oath Must Be Witnessed, Verified, or Notarized)

Signature of Witness

Printed Name of Witness