

Craighead County

Republican Committee

Request for Rules Review

1. Complaint and signature sheets
2. Evidence

a. Article I, Section 5(a) 1 violations

1. Minutes of CCRC meetings where candidates were awarded different amounts of money for similar races
2. Statement alleging coercion by Donna Eggers against a candidate for office if that candidate did not vote as directed support in the upcoming election would be withheld

b. Article I, Section 8: Violations

- 1 Record of a special meeting stating the special meeting was for the sole purpose of increasing support for candidates in the upcoming general election then voting to endorse in a non partisan election for mayor where 2 candidates were claiming to be republicans

c. Article II, Section 2(e) violations:

1. Memorandum detailing January 28, 2025 CCRC meeting where inactive members were denied the right to vote for officers

d. Article II Section 3(b)3: Violations

Social media posts detailing violations

e. Article II Section 9(a)2: Violations

Printouts of social media posts and text messages

f. Article II Section 5(c) Violations

Statement of CCRC member detailing secret meetings held at Chairman Eggers home and the purpose of said meetings

To: Chairman Joseph Wood, Republican Party of Arkansas

From: Tim Loggains, Lisa Loggains, Ann Ledgerwood, David Ledgerwood, Bradley Ledgerwood, Andrew Strickland, Christy McKeel, Jason Pannell, Wendy Pannell, Bill Hendrix, City Councilwoman Janice Porter, Revel Porter MD, Nancy Best, Commissioner Jerry Halsey, Richard Rogers, Vickie Strickland, Jerry Strickland, David Tennison, Jenny Crisler, Chad Niell, Sarah Baldwin, Jeannette Robertson, Audra House, Sarah Lamkin, Gary Harpole, Josh Longmire, Steve Cline, Kevin Williams, Alec Farmer, Landon Wilson, Danielle Shoen, Marvin Day, Kathy Humphrey, Kevin Humphrey, PHD

RE: Request for Review, Craighead County Republican Committee

Date: JANUARY 31, 2025

Chairman Wood:

We, the undersigned members of the Craighead County Republican Committee, representing at least 1/5 of the members of the committee, submit this "Request for Review" as described in Article VII, Section 1 of the RPA Rules for the ongoing actions and conduct of members of the Executive Committee of the Craighead County Republican Committee and other members of the committee. We, the undersigned do charge Chairman Barry Eggers, Donna Eggers (wife of Chairman Eggers and current moderator or admin of the CCRC Facebook page), 1st Vice Chair Steve Floyd, 2nd Vice Chair Linda Allison, Secretary Robin Martin, Delton Dunn, CCRC Facebook admin, and others of colluding to violate the Rules of the Republican Party of Arkansas by knowingly engaging in conduct that is detrimental to the RPA, and willfully disregarding the rules of the RPA. We also charge Lorri Justice of Pulaski County, who while acting as Parliamentarian at the January 28, 2025 meeting of the Craighead County Committee, did advise Chairman Eggers to ignore the rules and the direction of the Rules Committee. We respectfully ask that a Review Committee be appointed to address this matter.

We charge the above with violating the rules of the RPA, specifically:

Article I, Section 5(A)1: Showing favoritism to one candidate over another publicly.

Article I, Section 8: Failure to follow Parliamentary Procedures.

Article II Section 2(E): Failure to allow inactive members to vote contrary to a Rules Committee ruling and the actual words of the RPA Rules and Robert's Rules.

Article II Section 3(B)3: Failure to make every reasonable effort to accomplish the objectives of the Republican Party of Arkansas and failure to conduct the affairs of the County Committee in such a manner as will result in respect by the electorate,

Article II Section 9(A)2: Willful violation of these rules and working against the best interest of the Republican Party.

Article II, Section 5(C): Holding meetings outside of the regularly scheduled meetings without providing notice to each member of the committee.

The following actions constitute proof of the above charges:

1. Giving disparate amounts of financial support to Republican candidates in an attempt to punish those candidates who disagree with Chairman Eggers and the county executive committee.
2. Threatening future candidates with withholding support if that candidate refuses to vote a certain way in committee meetings.
3. Disregarding the Parliamentary rules by calling a special meeting with an agenda of helping candidates and then calling improperly for a vote to endorse a candidate for mayor.
4. Continual disregard for following Robert's Rules and exhibiting a complete inability to lead a meeting in compliance with the Rules of the RPA and in accordance with Robert's Rules.
5. Willful disregard for the rules concerning the right of inactive members to vote in person in county meetings and elections, despite being informed prior to the meeting and election of the Rules Committee guidance that inactive members can vote.
6. Conspiring with persons removed from the RPA such as Jimmy Cavin and others by sharing, posting on, and commenting on social media posts as Craighead County Republican Committee in a derogatory manner directed towards the RPA leadership, the Governor, and members of various committees (see attached documentation).
7. Constantly exhibiting divisiveness within the committee and fostering distrust by a continual pattern of "us vs them" in all decisions of the Chair, such as proxies, and publicly labeling those who disagree with the executive committee and their supporters as RINOS and worse, both in the meetings and on social media.
8. Engaging in secret meetings at the home of Chairman Eggers for the purpose of gaining and maintaining control of the county committee (see attached letter from CCRC member Roger Kidd)

Due to the egregious and willful actions of some members of the Craighead County Executive Committee and others within the committee, we seek as remedy for these violations:

The voiding of the election results of January 28th, 2025. The removal of Chairman Barry Eggers, 1st Vice Chair Steve Floyd, 2nd Vice Chair Linda Allison, Secretary Robin Martin, and Donna Eggers from leadership positions within the Craighead County Republican Committee for life, and dismissal from the Committee and the RPA for a period of time deemed appropriate by the committee. Due to the dysfunction and division within the Craighead County Republican Committee, we would appreciate any other actions the RPA Review Committee feels are appropriate and just.

Respectfully submitted:

Tim Loggains Tim Loggains
Ann Ledgerwood Ann Ledgerwood
Bradley Ledgerwood Bradley Ledgerwood
Christy McKeel Christy McKeel
Wendy Pannell Wendy Pannell
Janice Porter Janice Porter
Nancy Best Nancy Best
Richard Rogers Richard Rogers
Jerry Strickland Jerry Strickland
Jenny Crisler Jenny Crisler
Sara Baldwin Sara Baldwin
Audra House Audra House
Gary Harpole Gary Harpole
Steve Cline Steve Cline
Alec Farmer Alec Farmer

Lisa Loggains Lisa Loggains
David Ledgerwood David Ledgerwood
Andrew Strickland Andrew Strickland
Jason Pannell Jason Pannell
Bill Hendrix Bill Hendrix
Revel Porter Revel Porter
Jerry Halsey Jerry Halsey
Vickie Strickland Vickie Strickland
David Tennison David Tennison
Chad Niell Chad Niell
Jeannette Robertson Jeannette Robertson
Sarah Lamkin Sarah Lamkin
Josh Longmire Josh Longmire
Kevin Williams Kevin Williams
Landon Wilson Landon Wilson

Danielle ^{Schoen} Shoen Danielle Schoen

Marvin Day Marvin Day

Kathy Humphrey K. Humphrey

Kevin Humphrey Kevin Humphrey

Brad Noel

Evidence

Article I, Section 5(a) 1 violations

Steve Floyd is the First Vice Chair of the CCRC. Mr. Floyd ran against JP Richard Rogers in the 2024 Primary Election and lost. Chairman Barry Eggers then appointed Steve Floyd as the Chairman of the Finance Committee. As Chair of that committee Mr. Floyd led the effort to give Richard Rogers less money than other candidates which was supported by Chairman Eggers. Mr. Floyd also stated for the record, these political donations were not based on any criteria except the good he perceived the candidates performed in the CCRC. In other words, disparate donations based upon the good standing and wishes of the CCRC executive committee.

Craighead County Republican Committee Meeting

Minutes for Tuesday, August 27, 2024 at Lazzari's Italian Oven

Chairman Eggers called the meeting to order at 6 pm.

James Elwyn Hinds led the invocation followed by Chairman Eggers leading the pledge of allegiance.

Secretary Robin Martin then called roll establishing a quorum with 57 present and 17 proxies submitted.

Chairman Eggers entertained a motion for approval of the July minutes. Motion was made by Steve Floyd and 2nd by Melody Kennedy. Motion passed.

Treasurer Jamie Lawson gave the financial report. Beginning balance was \$30,194.85, income was \$11,124.93 for the month and expenses totaled \$8,553.16. Most of the income and expenses were for the Trump Store. Ending cash balance is \$32,766.62. Melody Kennedy made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. 2nd by Delton Dunn. Motion passed.

Chairman Eggers then recognized Bradley Ledgerwood for being appointed to the Arkansas State Rehabilitation Council by Governor Sanders. All congratulated him.

Chairman Eggers asked Representative Jack Ladyman to come give an update on his wife Linda and on attending the National Republican Convention. Representative Ladyman stated that Linda's health is slowly improving and thanked the group for the prayers and cards. He stated that Arkansas was well represented at the National Convention with US Senator Tom Cotton, Governor Sarah Huckabee Sanders, and National Republican Women President Julie Harris all speaking on Tuesday evening. He spoke very encouragingly on other aspects of the convention emphasizing that our governor is very popular nationally.

Chairman Eggers announced that we still have some name tags that have not been picked up. We will order tags for the new members next month. If others still need one, let the secretary know.

Chairman Eggers updated everyone on the New Movers program that we have been sending postcards out to each month. He said this RPA program has produced a great response as we have been getting several emails and phone calls from people wanting additional information and have had many guests at our meetings the last couple months.

Chairman Eggers informed the committee that he was on a recent zoom meeting with all committee chairs across the state concerning Justice Rhonda Wood. She was the justice who overturned the abortion amendment and she is being targeted by the Democrats because of this. They are asking each committee consider donating \$1,000 to Justice Wood's campaign and also consider donating \$100 to our District to go toward a text campaign for Justice Wood. Marvin Day made a motion that we donate \$1,000 to Justice Wood's campaign. This was 2nd by Skip Kelley. No discussion. Motion passed. Skip Kelley made a motion that we also donate \$100 to District 1 for the text campaign. Steve Floyd 2nd. Marvin Day expressed concern about what the district would do with this money. No other discussion. Motion passed.

Chairman Eggers recognized all of the members and some guests who have been helping at the Trump Store and commented on how exciting it has been to meet other Trump supporters. James Elwyn Hinds mentioned how well the Grand Opening went on August 24 recognizing Larry Hagar and Marquise Dodson for their work

on the grill for the event. Barry said that in three weeks we have had revenue of \$12,826 and mentioned that some of our suppliers are out of stock on some items. We are planning to join Senator Dan Sullivan at a space on September 28 at the BBQ Festival downtown and will take some of the Trump Store inventory there that day. Robin Martin volunteered to let the committee borrow a square reader to use that day to process credit card transactions. Chairman Eggers encouraged the committee to come help at the Trump Store, especially on September 28 since we will have two locations to man. Chairman Eggers reported that the Henry 22 rifle raffle is doing well with \$875 after eight days of selling tickets. Christy McKeel informed the committee that the official Trump Store online is selling 48 Trump Vance signs for \$200 if we need to use them to get additional sign mentioning that using them would provide some additional funds for the Trump Vance campaign. Cathy Tarver will be setting up a Sign-Up Genius for volunteers for September 28 and will continue to update it for Trump Store workers.

Christy McKeel gave an update on the Outreach Committee. They are doing a coat drive this Fall with the disbursement date being November 16. Committee members can bring new coats in sizes infant to 3X to the Republican Headquarter through election day or to our September and October meetings. In early October, they will promote this event on radio stations and through Facebook to get more coats donated. Then in November, they will use the radio to promote the disbursement date. Next month they will have a sign-up sheet available for members to volunteer to work on November 16. Linda Allison inquired on whether used coats will be accepted. Christy said that very gently used coats would be accepted.

Chairman Eggers updated the committee on poll worker and watcher training as Andrea Houk will be setting it up soon. He said that there have been people volunteering for the poll jobs in addition to door knocking and telemarketing through the New Movers program.

Chairman Eggers then recognized Campaign Finance Committee Chair Steve Floyd. Steve reported that the committee has the following recommendation: Arkansas Senate candidate Dan Sullivan \$0 as he has stated that he has adequate funding, Arkansas House candidate Jack Ladyman \$1,500, Secretary of State candidate John Thurston \$500, Jonesboro mayor candidate Jeremy Terrell \$500, Justice of the Peace candidates Linda Allison and David Tennison \$750 each, and Justice of the Peace candidates Richard Rogers, Brad Noel, Josh Longmire, and Rick Myers \$250 each for a total of \$5,000. Bill Hendrix recommended giving all of the JP candidates the same amount since the Trump Store was doing well. Tim Loggains asked why the committee is recommending different amounts for the JP candidates. Steve Floyd stated that the committee recommended differing amounts for the JP candidates because of the varying levels of involvement in the committee and in our fundraising events. Tim Loggains recommended giving them each the same amount. Cathy Tarver cautioned that we still have expenses related to the Headquarters and Trump Store coming out of the balance on hand and made a motion to table the additional donation amounts being considered. Tim Loggains made a point of information asking for clarification on Cathy's motion to table. Cathy clarified that she would like to table the additional donation amounts being considered. Chairman Eggers warned that the facility for our next gun show, if we do one, may not be free so we need to plan to leave some money in the account after campaign contributions. Christy McKeel informed the committee that Richard Rogers is running against a Democrat who is a socialist Marxist and voiced that we need to show strong support for our candidate to let them know we aren't going to allow a socialist to win here. Amy Cole-Cook called the question. Motion was made by Delton Dunn and 2nd by Cathy Tarver. Winner of the voice vote was not detectable so a vote by raising hands was completed. Ayes won 26-24. Chairman Eggers indicated that we could look at giving additional funds to candidates after we see how well the fundraising does over the next several weeks.

Chairman Eggers recognized Marvin Day. Marvin said that he had just received a text notifying him that Congressman Jim Jordan would be doing an event in Jonesboro in September. Marvin made a motion that the

Craighead County Republican Committee Meeting

Minutes for Tuesday, September 24, 2024 at Lazzari's Italian Oven

Chairman Eggers called the meeting to order at 6 pm.

Paul House Sr led the invocation followed by Chairman Eggers leading the pledge of allegiance.

Chairman Eggers then introduced Deborah Coots with Options On Main. She spoke on the wonderful work that they do for our community. Options On Main served 435 women in 2023 providing pregnancy tests and ultrasounds to them. Of these, 111 were abortion determined and 22 of them changed their mind prior to leaving the Options On Main facility. So far in 2024, they have served 359 women. She told some stories of the women who have been helped through their facility and gave a wonderful testimony of God's saving grace. She thanked our committee for supporting pro-life legislation and voting for these laws. Deborah also informed us of their annual gala on October 10 that we can register for. It is free with Nicole C Mullen's scheduled to be their honored guest.

Chairman Eggers then opened the floor to any candidates who wanted to speak. Candidates speaking included Rick Myers (Justice of the Peace District 5), Thomas Elwood (Jonesboro city mayor), Jeremy Terrell (Jonesboro city mayor), and Linda Allison (Justice of the Peace District 4).

Secretary Robin Martin then called roll establishing a quorum with 59 present and 25 proxies submitted.

Chairman Eggers entertained a motion for approval of the August minutes. Motion was made by Melody Kennedy and 2nd by Steve Floyd. Motion passed.

Treasurer Jamie Lawson gave the financial report. Beginning balance was \$32,766.62, income was \$19,954.23 for the month and expenses totaled \$17,367.99. Ending cash balance is \$35,352.86. Jamie said he has written another \$1,960.94 in expenses coming in after the reports were printed. Most of the income and expenses were for the Trump Store, gun raffle and campaign distributions. Melody Kennedy made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. 2nd by Delton Dunn. Motion passed.

Chairman Eggers then went into old business mentioning that there were still a few committee name badges that haven't been picked up. There are at the Trump store. He also mentioned if you are a member and do not have a badge, you can let the secretary know.

Chairman Eggers mentioned that attorney Josh Waters from Paragould created the partisan elected petition for us with an agreed upon fee of \$500. We ended up getting around 1,800 of the 4,200 necessary signatures so we were not able to get it put on the ballot. The Chairman informed the committee that Mr. Waters has decided to donate the petition rather than charging us for it. Chairman Eggers did recognize Andrea Houk for her work in gathering many of the signatures that we did get.

Chairman Eggers recognized the following people for their many hours of work and efforts to make our Trump Store a success: Amanda Lilly, Stacie Harrison, Heather McMinn, Sue Tiner, Rita French, Mark French, Steve Floyd, Ben Dallas, Delton Dunn, Marcia Alderman, Melody Kennedy, Joyce Cook, Sarah Lamkin, Sarah Baldwin, Leslie King, Cathy Tarver, Amy Cole-Cook, Jeremy Terrell, and Cynthia Wright. He announced that we had revenue of \$954 today bringing our total revenue to \$30,340. Also, the gun raffle has brought in \$2,215. The drawing for it will be on October 12. He discussed having supply issues on some items and expressed concern

with staying in stock on items through the election. He recognized Cathy Tarver for her hours of work with the inventory of the Trump store. Chairman Eggers then stated that he felt some radio ads would be good to help promote the Trump store and entertained a motion to spend up to \$850 on radio ads. Motion was made by Delton Dunn and 2nd by Amy Cole-Cook. Motion passed.

Chairman Eggers announced that the BBQ Fest would be held this coming weekend and that we would be taking some of the Trump store inventory downtown to sell there. We are sharing space with Dan Sullivan. He announced that we needed volunteers to work it and the Trump store. You can stop by the Trump store to volunteer for a few hours.

Delton Dunn commented the positive results of the Trump store mentioning how many people come in to ask questions and visit. He encouraged people to come in just to visit with people and answer questions if you don't want to work at selling the Trump merchandise.

Steve Floyd recognized Chairman Eggers and Donna Eggers for their work at the Trump store stating that Barry opens and closes the store each day and is there several times in between. The committee showed their appreciation to Barry and Donna.

Chairman Eggers then asked for a report from the Outreach Committee. Christy McKeel reported that we have been approved to use the E Boone Watson Center on November 16 for the event. We just need to pay the fee of \$340 to secure it. Once that is done, she will start marketing the event through the breakfast shows and social media posts. New and very like-new coats can be dropped off at the Republican Headquarters. Christy said that we need to have some flyers printed also. Chairman Eggers entertained a motion to spend up to \$500 for renting the facility and flyers. Robin Martin made the motion and Amy Cole-Cook 2nd. Motion passed.

Andrea Houk then updated the committee on the poll worker and poll watcher training. She will be sending out an email soon to set that up. She is also looking for volunteers for getting people to the polls and making phone calls.

Next Chairman Eggers recognized Steve Floyd, Chair of the Campaign Finance Committee. Steve said the committee met on September 19 with all members present. The committee made the following recommendation: Jack Ladyman (House) \$1,800, Johnny Rye (House) \$750, Fran Cavanaugh (House) \$250, Jeremy Terrell (mayor) \$1,500, Rick Myers (JP) \$500, and Josh Longmire (JP) \$500 in reserve for a total of \$5,300. Christy McKeel made a motion to make these campaign donations adding to give Fran Cavanaugh another \$500 and to give Richard Rogers (JP) \$500. Bradley Ledgerwood 2nd. Cathy Tarver, Dan Sullivan, Kevin Humphrey, Kathy Humphrey, Jancie Porter, Jason Pannell, Chairman Eggers and Andrea Houk all spoke about the motion with many in favor of using what money we could to help get our candidates elected and several expressing desires to give to candidates based on need and/or based on those who have supported the CCRC fundraising efforts. Amy Cole-Cook called the question. Chairman Eggers restated the motion of donating the \$6,300. Steve Floyd requested a standing vote. Motion passed 36 to 17.

Chairman Eggers then opened the floor to new member nominations. Donna Eggers nominated Dina Kahl with Donna Hager 2nd. Cynthia Wright nominated Brenda Rainwater with Donna Eggers 2nd. Christy McKeel nominated Kevin Humphrey, Kathy Humphrey, and Sarak Rickert and introduced guest Maria Willis. Ben Dallas nominated Amanda Lilly and Jeremy Terrell nominated Afton Coleman. Robin Martin 2nd. Guests Sue Tiner, Don and Evelyn Huckleby, Candy and Mike Morrison, and Tommy and Rita French were also introduced. Jeannette Robertson welcomed all of our guests.

Jan. 28th at the Republican
meeting. I was approached
by Sandra Eggen. She whispered
in my ear if you don't vote
for Barry that will be two
votes against you, mine &
Barry.
Barry Custer

PREFERRED CANDIDATES

- 1 State Committeeman:
Larry Hagar
- 2 State Committeewoman:
Donna Eggers

- 1 District Committeeman:
Paul House II
- 2 District Committeewoman:
Andrea Houk

State Convention
June 8, 2024 - Rogers, AR

District Convention
May 11, 2024 - Cabot, AR

District Committee Meetings
2 meetings a year (2 years)

State Convention

Delegates:

- 1 Marcia Alderson
- 2 Robbie Alderson
- 3 Sarah Baldwin
- 4 Kieth Boyd
- 5 Amy Cole-Cook
- 6 Darrell Cook
- 7 Rachel Cook
- 8 Deanne Copeland
- 9 Ben Dallas
- 10 Delton Dunn
- 11 Barry Eggers
- 12 Donna Eggers
- 13 Steve Floyd
- 14 Larry Hagar
- 15 Donna Hager
- 16 Andrea Houk
- 17 Paul House II
- 18 Paul M House
- 19 Crystal Jacobs
- 20 Bobby Kelley, Jr.
- 21 Melody Kennedy
- 22 Leslie King
- 23 Sarah Lamkin
- 24 Jamie Lawson, Jr.
- 25 Robin Martin
- 26 Herbert Ogles
- 27 Amber Richbourg
- 28 Cathy Tarver
- 29 Cynthia Wright

No State Convention
Alternates Available

District Convention

Delegates:

- 1 Darrell Cook
- 2 Rachel Cook
- 3 Ben Dallas
- 4 Delton Dunn
- 5 Steve Floyd
- 6 Larry Hagar
- 7 Donna Hager
- 8 Andrea Houk
- 9 Paul House II
- 10 Paul M House
- 11 Bobby Kelley, Jr.
- 12 Melody Kennedy
- 13 Jamie Lawson, Jr.
- 14 Robin Martin
- 15 Don Mullenix
- 16 Cathy Tarver
- 17 Beth Tennison
- 18 Ryan Tennison
- 19 Jeremy Terrell

No District Convention
Alternates Available

District Committee

Delegates:

- 1 Marcia Alderson
- 2 Linda Allison
- 3 Sarah Baldwin
- 4 Kieth Boyd
- 5 Amy Cole-Cook
- 6 Rachel Cook
- 7 Seth Copeland
- 8 Delton Dunn
- 9 Donna Eggers
- 10 Steve Floyd
- 11 Larry Hagar
- 12 Donna Hager
- 13 Paul M House
- 14 Leslie King
- 15 Sarah Lamkin
- 16 Robin Martin
- 17 Don Mullenix
- 18 Cathy Tarver
- 19 Beth Tennison
- 20 Ryan Tennison

Temporary District Committee Delegates:

- 1 Jeff Dressart
- 2 Benny Futrell
- 3 Melody Kennedy

Handout given @ the entrance of the March 27, 2024 CERC
Meeting selection telling members how to vote and who the
CERC leadership preferred.

Article I, Section 8: Violations

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CCRC SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE:

All CCRC members and guests --

Please read the information below from Chairman Eggers concerning having a Special Meeting on Tuesday, October 8 at 6:30 pm at Republican Headquarters (400 Southwest Drive, Jonesboro). I am including the link to the online and paper proxies if you need it.

From Chairman Eggers -- It has been brought to my attention that one or more candidates is in need of either donations from the committee and/or volunteers for calling and door knocking for their campaigns. I also checked into the old Jubilation building that was offered for us to use free of charge for our watch party on election night and possibly our Christmas Party in December and I believe it will be a great space for that. I hope to be able to get some pictures before the meeting. I wish we had addressed all of these items more at our meeting the other night. However, when looking at the calendar, I believe that if we wait until the next meeting, it will be too late to address these items. I would like to call a quick 20-30 minute special meeting to get approval from the county committee on these items so we can get to work on them. Because it will be such a quick meeting, I believe the Headquarters will be fine to meet and just do some quick business that needs to be done before the next meeting. RPA Rules, Article 2, Section 5, C allows us to call for a special meeting when a majority of the Executive Committee agrees to call it with a 10 day notice to the entire body. The Executive Committee is in total agreement. I am sending out notice that our special meeting will be Oct 8th at 6:30.

Link for online proxy -- <https://www.craigheadgop.org/>



Craighead County Republican Committee Special Meeting

Minutes for Tuesday, October 8, 2024 at Republican Headquarters

Chairman Eggers opened the meeting at 6:30 pm asking James Elwyn Hines to pray followed by leading the committee in the pledge of allegiance.

Chairman Eggers then discussed the offer from Ken Yarbrough allowing the committee to use the old Jubulation building for free with some food catered for an election night watch party on November 5. We would need to purchase chips, drinks, and desserts. James Elwin Hinds mentioned that the poll workers would be working late so we would need to keep food hot for them after working. Chairman Eggers said that Dan Sullivan was planning to help out with the party too. Ken is renting this facility out for \$600 to \$700 per night. He is offering it to us for a Christmas party for \$300 and would smoke a turkey for us too. Melody Kennedy made a motion that we use this facility for our election night watch party. Steve Floyd 2nd the motion. No additional discussion. Motion passed. More discussion about the facility followed with Chairman Eggers stating that the plumbing is working and that Ken was putting up TVs and would have tables and chairs for 140 people. Melody Kennedy informed us that the facility does have a ramp for the disabled but it does have some broken boards. Chairman Eggers said he would get with Ken about repairing those. It was recommended to have the party from 6 pm to 11 pm and we would need some volunteers to clean up after the party. We will have a sign up sheet at our next meeting to get volunteers for that.

Christy McKeel then discussed how nice the Christmas party at Revel and Janice Porter's house was last year and stated that the Porter's are willing to host the Christmas party again this year. Their house and the piano guy who came last year are available on December 20 or 21. Christy made a motion that we have our Christmas party there. Andrew Stricklin 2nd the motion. A voice vote was taken with the winning side undetectable. A paper ballot vote was then taken with the nays winning 27 to 26.

Chairman Eggers then discussed options for additional food for the watch party. Jason Pannell made a motion that we do a pot luck for the food that is not catered. Skip Kelley 2nd the motion. No additional discussion. Motion carried. We will do a sign-up sheet at our next meeting for this.

Larry Hagar then made a motion that we use the old Jubulation building for the Christmas Party. Chairman Eggers stated that it is available on December 14. Melody Kennedy 2nd the motion. No additional discussion. Motion carried.

We then discussed food for the Christmas party. Jason Pannell said he would donate a 15 lb ham. Christy McKeel made a motion that the committee purchase a smoked turkey and a ham from Ken Yarbrough and do a pot luck sign up for additional dishes. Amy Cole-Cook 2nd the motion. No other discussion. Motion carried.

Craighead County Republican Committee Special Meeting

Minutes for Tuesday, October 8, 2024 at Republican Headquarters

Chairman Eggers then discussed that we need additional volunteers to help our Republican candidates. He said that the new movers program has brought several volunteers in to help with poll watching, making calls, and door knocking. Dan Sullivan recognized a group of JHS students who did a lot of door knocking for him but stated that he does have additional door hangers that he needs help with. A sign-up sheet was passed around to volunteer. Linda Allison said she needed places to put additional signs up. David Tennison said that he had door knockers that he could use some help with. Richard Rogers said he was going out every evening with his information.

Chairman Eggers updated the committee on the gun raffle. We have collected over \$3,000 on it. The drawing will be held on October 12. He reminded everyone of the upcoming debates and other election activities – Political Animal Jonesboro Mayoral debate on October 18, Dan Sullivan debate at ASU (on KLEK) on October 18, swing state phone bank at 2 pm on October 19 at the Republican Headquarters, and Dan Sullivan's early election kick-off party at Divots Golf on October 21.

Kevin Jacobs then informed the committee that donations were being accepted for east Tennessee and North Carolina at 4200 South Caraway. They will be leaving on Saturday, October 12. Christy McKeel stated that Southwest Church of Christ was also collecting items through October 10. Donations can also be made through Amazon to United Cajun Navy.

Steve Floyd then spoke about the importance of the Jonesboro Mayor's race this election and made a motion to endorse Jeremy Terrell. Donna Eggers 2nd the motion. Tim Loggains inquired about Thomas Elwood being a Republican as his signs state that he is. Several members discussed that he is not a member of the CCRC and his voting record is not Republican. Kevin Humphrey asked if Jeremy was an eligible candidate for mayor. Jeremy stated that he had checked into the law concerning a check issue he had several years ago and stated that he is eligible to run. Delton Dunn called the question. Vote to call the question passed. And vote on the motion to endorse Jeremy Terrell for mayor passed.

Robin Martin made a motion to adjourn. Leslie King 2nd. Motion carried.

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7 People >

agrees to call it with a 10 day notice to the entire body. I would like to send a notice out by tomorrow and have the meeting Oct 8th. Please reply to this message with a Y (for yes) or N (for no) please.

BE

Robin Martin

RM

Y

Steve Floyd

SF

Y

Jamie Lawson

JL

Y

+1 (870) 530-2140

Y

+1 (870) 243-5825

Y

Y but I would like more specifics in advance as to what is being proposed.

Barry Eggers

Just trying to make sure all bases are covered and getting approval to use the Jubilation building. I thought i was clear.

BE



Text Message



10:41



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You mentioned further donations so I am wondering how much and to whom. I assumed you want a thinking committee rather than a bunch of yes men.

Barry Eggers

Janice I was just simply leaving that open. More concerns about getting help with volunteer with calling and door hanging. I explained all this in the first email. I have a bbq fest to prepare for. A Trump store to oversee and a business to run. I am simply doing the best i can to cover all the bases.

BE

For some reason I am not getting the ccrc emails so I have no idea what was in the email you sent (I sent an email to Robin Wednesday night in an effort to fix the problem. I know that it is too soon to expect resolution). I take my responsibility to exercise due diligence seriously. I am sorry if that seemed like a personal attack.

Robin Martin



Text Message



Article II, Section 2(e) violations

On January 28th, 2025, the Craighead County Republican Committee held it's monthly meeting, with the election of the county executive committee on the agenda. Prior to the commencement of the meeting, the RPA Rules committee released guidance that inactive members were eligible to vote in person at meetings. Chairman Eggers was informed of this ruling prior to the start of the meeting. Chairman Eggers informed Mrs. Lorrie Justice, whom he had invited to the meeting in the role of Parliamentarian of this ruling. Mrs. Justice stated: "they are trying to steal the election". Chairman Eggers was plainly informed that this was the ruling of the rules committee (that inactive members could vote), and was informed this opinion was in writing. Mrs. Jonelle Fulmer, past chair and former national committeewoman was a guest at this meeting and confirmed to Chairman Eggers, 1st Vice Chair Steve Floyd, and Lorie Justice the ruling that inactive members could vote. Despite being unable to show in the rules where inactive status meant the inability to vote, and refusing to contact the RPA Executive committee or the RPA rules Committee or even reviewing the text confirming the Rules committee position, Chairman Eggers stated he did not care what anyone said, he would not allow inactive member the right to vote. Chairman Eggers also invited Kenny Wallace to the meeting, who has since released a partial video of the meeting on RUMBLE, with several comments disparaging those attempting to inform the chair of the correct rules interpretation. Chairman Eggers disregarded the plain language of the RPA rules concerning inactive members, denied all inactive members present the right to vote, and incorrectly held election of the Executive Committee in a fraudulent manner in complete disregard of RPA rules.