May 18, 2021 Beaufort County Republican Party Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Chairman Carolyn Garris called the meeting to order at 6:34 PM. The invocation was given by Gail Breed. All joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

A quorum was established with twenty-five (25) members present.

See table below of attendance for the May 18, 2021 meeting.

Exec	utive Committe	
Present		
Last Name	First Name	
Adkins	David	
Adkins	Loretta	
Breed	Gail	
Brickhouse	Nancy	
Cauvin	Ruth	
Cayton	William	
Colleary	Nanci	
Cook	William	
Dunn	Tandy	
Forrest	Joanne	
Garris	Carolyn	
Garrison	Patricia	
Hickman	Charles	
Moate	Doris	
Morgan	Dolores	
Moore	Brodie	
Rebholz	John	
Richardson	Hood	
Richardson	Shirley	
Simon	Donna	
Taylor	Linda	

Paul

Frank

Kathy

Victor

Varcoe Waters

Waters

Williams

N	Member Attendance: May 18,2021		
	Excused Absence		
	Last Name	First Name	
	Brickhouse Norman	Lori	
	Knox	Joseph	
	Rose	Charlie	
	Trueblood	Jeffrey	
	VanEssendelft	Jessica	
	Roberson	Bobby	
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Unexcused Absence		
Last Name	First Name	
Ahearn	Ina Diane	
Bishop	Michael	
Coward	Joyce	
Cox	Kelly	
Kidwell	John Burton Proctor	
Roe	Daniel	
Shackelford	Wyatt	
Trueblood	Jean	
Trueblood	Phillip	
Whichard	Jimmie	
Williams	Wesley	

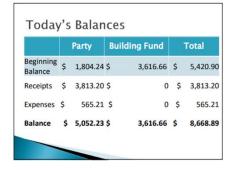
Public Attendees			
Last Name	First Name		
Briley	Elaine		
Hanrey	Michael		
Kidwell	Keith		
Sawyer	Johnathan		
Slann	Dawn		
West	Harvey		
Wortman	Donna		

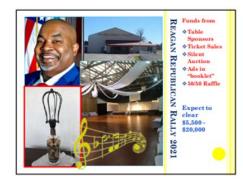
Meeting Minutes for April 20, 2021 were approved. Spelling errors were identified.

Without objection, the Executive Committee members voted to change the recurring meeting to the second Tuesday of each month beginning June 8,2021.

Treasurer, Anne Maatman provided a finance report including the current level of available funds. Additionally, an update on the Reagan Republican Rally registration as well as the donations to the Silent Auction.













Anne Maatman provided background on how the NCGOP lost approximately 5,500 the BC Republican email addresses during a system cleanup. They performed two corrective actions which resulted in recovery of approximately 200 Republican email addresses. A motion was made and passed to pay \$250.00 to Data Zap to work to identify and expected 4,000 emails for BC Database. A backup of the data will be managed by Anne Maatman.

Gail Breed provided updates on those registered for State Convention. President TRUMP will speak at the VIP dinner. Those that registered and paid the \$350 fee should receive an email from info@ncgop.org stating a seat was reserved in their name. Others may attend as a guest and register at

https://secure.anedot.com/ncgop/saturday-37194750. The minimum cost is \$1,000. An alternative idea was identified for those who can sponsor a table (\$2,500) with 10 seats.

Guest Speaker Harvey West reviewed the success of last year's County Picnic for judicial candidates indicating it will become an annual event. The event will be September 18, 2021 from 4-7 PM in Plymouth. Ticket costs were identified and a request made for BC Republican Party to be a sponsor. An agenda item will be placed on this topic for discussion and voting at the June 8,2021 meeting. He also identified there will be ten (10) expected changes to the State Plan of Organization. Clarification was provided on one change related to Party Officers, Affiliate groups, County Chair members and Central committee members running for office in relation to keeping or being deemed to resign.

Steve Rader presented information on a potential change to the voting system for elections of County Commissioners. A public hearing will be scheduled to share detailed information and approximately 5,000 signatures would be needed for it to be placed on the next ballet.

Old Business: Johnathan Sawyer, presented on the June 7,2021 event planned by the Inner Banks Young Republicans. They are the oldest political youth organization in the United States. Important to the growth of the Republican Party, the YRs reach out to registered Republicans and provide them with better political knowledge. Ages 18-40 are welcome to join. Those younger/older may also join as associate members. More information can be found at: https://beaufort.nc.gop/younggop

New Business: Develop a list of County Events and ensure the Republican Tents is used in order to increase Republican registration. Those needing hotel accommoda

Commissioner Frankie Waters identified the following dates regarding public meetings on the America Rescue Plan (stimulus money):

Blount's Creek Fire Dept – Tuesday, June 15, 2021 Old Ford Fire Dept – Tuesday, June 22, 2021 Pinetown Fire Dept – Monday, June 28, 2021

Upcoming Events:

Kidwell fundraising events: June 15 and June 28

August 7,2021 for 3rd District Monthly meeting hosted by Keith Kidwell at his residence The meeting adjourned at 7:57 PM.

Next meeting: June 8, 2021 @ 6:30 location: Warrens Hot Dog, Chocowinity