

County Committee Meeting Agenda
(Combined with Executive Board Meeting)
Tuesday, September 12, 2023
7:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order
 - a. Invocation – Cathy Vaught
 - b. Pledge – Randy Ognio
2. Secretary's Report
 - a. Cathy – Roll Call
3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Approval of the Minutes
5. Chairman's Commentary- Elaine elainekilgore@proton.me
 - Welcome and thanks for all your hard work.
 - Municipal vs State and Federal. Our Municipal Election is giving me hope. I think and hope we will see our candidates elected and see positive change at our local level.
 - 3 Great Candidates for Municipal Elections from our membership ranks Suzanne Brown, PTC, Cathy Vaught, Fayetteville, Jessica Whelan, Tyrone. They have been active in our party, have a backbone, and will represent the people in their community - Please support them by volunteering your time to door knock or poll watch and or helping them financially.
 - **We are doing a great push for expanding our Precinct Representation. We are also going to be adopting out orphan precincts. Let us know if you need help in your precincts. Let us know if you want to help an orphan precinct. With more members, we will have more help and possibly future Candidates for our other local elections. If you don't want to work hours but want to financially support this effort, please donate to this cause.**
 - In August we had 5 rentals, So far for September we have 4 rentals.
 - We also are hoping to automate our payments for the Event Center- so we are not relying on cash and checks. It is very labor intensive to continually come to the Event Center for follow up payments when we could use the Square App or something like Venmo.
6. Treasurer's Report- Treasurer Pily Oddo 770-880-4670 pilyofcgop@gmail.com
Rod Owen 770-596-3739 rod.owen@att.net
7. 5 minutes for VC Commentary- **brief** written reports should be presented to the board. Treasurers do not have to present anything as they have just presented their report. If Treasurers have anything additional to state or recommend about their area of expertise, please do so at the time of the Treasurer's report. Everyone will listen to each person's report and give feedback or motions as needed.
 - a. 1st VC – Dr. Yarde- 770-815-3306 wyarde1111@gmail.com
 - b. 2nd VC- Sherry Harris 203-650-3809 FCRPsIhnov@outlook.com
 - c. 3rd VC- Walt Hanley 404-307-0380 whanley@bellsouth.net
 - d. Secretary – Cathy Vaught 404-983-3682 vcathryn@aol.com
 - e. Immediate Past Chairman- Randy Ognio 678-414-7952 – randyofcgop@gmail.com

8. Denise Ognio- our **State Committee Representative** – Telling us about State GOP business and the upcoming convention cycle.

Tentative dates for the 2024 Convention Cycle:

Precinct Caucus- February 24th

County Convention – March 23rd

District Convention – April 20th

State Convention – May 16-19

9. Old Business:

- a. Discussion and possible action on membership procedures for 2024
- b. Membership business page and perks of being a member- Angela Bean's ideas:
Breakfast for members- 10, for nonmembers- 12 dollars, 20% off merchandise and rentals, 20 % off on events.

10. New Business

- a. We are buying items thermostats, smart locks, to upgrade our Event Center, servicing equipment, air conditioning with freon, our fire extinguisher yearly check, paying for insurance on the center and purchasing cleaning supplies. Many members have stepped up to the plate to repair damaged items around the event center. We are very thankful to all who have helped.
- b. Calvin Kilgore, my husband, is volunteering to clean the event center for free. Cost savings per month 300 dollars.
- c. We will have a Precinct Training meeting at the Men's Meeting 6:30 Tuesday, September 26th Ballot Chasing outstanding Absentee Ballots for 2024.
- d. Any questions or suggestions that you have.

A sincere thank you for all you do to help. Elaine Kilgore 770-714-9737 elainekilgore@proton.me