

NEW KENT COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE (NKCRC)

Regular Committee Meeting Minutes

Location: Providence Forge Recreation Center

Carriage Road, Providence Forge, VA 23140

October 21, 2025, at 7:00 pm

1. Call to Order and Welcome:

Mr. Chris Kelm, Unit Co-Chairman, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm

2. Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance, and RPV Creed:

a. The Invocation was led by Pastor Wayne Mead

b. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Chris Kelm

c. The Republican Creed was read by Mr. Chris Kelm

3. Quorum Declaration:

a. Mr. Chris Kelm appointed the following individuals to the Proxy Committee:

Pat Bell, Beth Trivette and Ginny Kelm

b. The Proxy Report yielded the following information:

153 approved members: 25% = 38

55 members in attendance

Campaign Updates:

Delegate Scott Wyatt, Delegate Ryan McDougal, Delegate Amanda Batton and Ryan Brown, a representative from the Sears campaign, gave brief updates on their campaigns.

Guest Speakers:

Helen Sharpe, The Virginia Young Republicans
Josiah VanFleet

4. Approval of Minutes:

Unapproved minutes will be up to date at the next meeting

5. Treasurer's Report:

Dr. George McBeath offered the Treasurer's Report which yielded the following information:

\$9,788.38 - starting balance

\$15,699.00 – deposits

\$15,854.62 – disbursements

\$9,632.76 – ending balance

6. Membership Report:

Mr. Leonard Erquiza offered the following membership update:

153 voting members

7. Fundraising Report:

Mrs. Ginny Kelm gave a brief update on the Gala. She also requested volunteers to assist at the various polling sites. Chris and Ginny Kelm reported that a \$3500 donation was given to the current candidates running for office.

8. Recognition of Elected Officials:

Delegate Amanda Batten

Delegate Scott Wyatt

Delegate Ryan McDougle

Thomas Evelyn, BOS

John Moyer, BOS

Amy Pearson, BOS

Ron Stiers, BOS

Jordan Stewart, BOS

9. Adjournment:

Lily Kuhn moved to adjourn the meeting. John Lockwood seconded the motion. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned.