

"The mission of the Cache GOP is to promote and defend the Constitution and values of our party Platform through finding, electing and supporting principled Republicans in elected offices through the caucus-convention system. The Party also defends our Platform through media, social events, training, and education."



### **Convention Standing Rules, RR 59:27**

1. Debate time for the adoption of the agenda is limited to 10 minutes.
2. Each delegate to this meeting will be issued a credential card that is non-transferrable and must be displayed at the time of voting.
3. Only credentialed Republicans are allowed to speak unless approved by the chair per RR 61:19.
4. Candidate speaking time is 5 minutes each
5. For each election, the count of ballots cast is used as the denominator in calculating voting percentage. See bylaw 9A, RR 44:7-9.
6. Use multiple ballot methods in Auditor election (instead of preference or Ranked Choice voting. Choice required by State Party Constitution Article XII, 2H.
7. Elected Official and Auxiliary Reports: These addresses may occur at any time during the proceedings, as time allows, as determined by the chair.
8. In order to ensure the efficiency of the convention and respect of attendees time, items of business may be moved forward at the Chair's discretion, as time allows.
9. Bylaw/Platform Proposal Discussion: Maximum time limit for discussion on each proposal is 15 minutes. At the end of the discussion time, the body may motion to extend the debate time by a specific number of minutes by majority vote. Speakers are limited to 2 minutes each. Speakers may ask the person proposing the bylaw change questions, who may give short responses. At the end of the discussion period, all pending amendments are voted on in their current state after which the main motion is voted on. Speakers face the chair when making motions, and may face the body when presenting information.

### **Agenda Item 8**

Bylaw 6B5 Ex officio delegates to the state convention are subject to ratification by the county nominating convention.

### **Agenda Item 9**

Bylaw 9E Any candidate who is unopposed at the county convention must be confirmed by a majority vote at the convention to be the party's nominee for the respective office.

### **Voting Threshold Nominating Convention**

Bylaw 9D Any candidate for elected office who receives at least 70% of the votes cast for that office on any ballot at the county convention shall be the party's nominee for that position. If no candidate receives that total on the final ballot, then the two (2) candidates receiving the most votes will be certified for the primary election ballot, and the primary election results will determine the party's nominee.

### **Voting Threshold Special Elections**

Bylaw 9A: All matters to be voted upon by any committee established by these By-laws or any convention or precinct caucus shall be by majority vote of those present and authorized to vote, unless otherwise specified herein.

### **Voting Percentage Calculation**

Due to 9A requiring a "majority vote of those present," Roberts Rules 44:7-9 requires the denominator of the percentage calculation include all credentialed voters in the hall at the time of the vote. To comply with this requirement, the chair will ask if everyone has voted before closing balloting so the ballot count is the denominator.

**Quorum:** RR 3:4 "In the meetings of a convention, unless the bylaws of the organization provide otherwise, the quorum is a majority of the delegates who have registered at the convention as in attendance, irrespective of whether some have departed."

Ballot Count Procedure <https://www.cachegop.com/count>

Only candidates on the convention ballot are allowed to exhibit and campaign inside the venue.

Convention Only Candidate Booth Price: \$50

Other Candidates/approved Booth Price \$100