

Twin Falls County Republican Central Committee Delegate Selection Rules

Pursuant to the Idaho Republican Party State Rules, Rules for selection of Delegates to Republican National Convention and the Republican State Convention, Article I, Section 1 (b), as amended January, 2016, the Twin Falls County Republican Central Committee hereby submits the following Delegate and Alternate Selection Rules from the Twin Falls County Republican Central Committee By-Laws to the State Party Headquarters:

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Article I: Conduct of the Election

Section 1: Elections for selection of delegates and alternates to the State Republican Convention will be conducted by the newly-elected County Chair, or in the Chair's absence, the newly-elected County Vice-Chair.

Article II: Entering of Names into Nomination

Section 1: Names of those seeking to be elected as delegates or alternates to the State Republican Convention may be entered into nomination by any Precinct Committee Member of the County. Nominations must be seconded by a Precinct Committee Member of the County.

Section 2: Delegates can be nominated individually, one at a time, or by means of a slate of more than one nominee at a time.

- (a) Slates may be composed of any number of nominees from two to the maximum number of available delegates or alternates.
- (b) More than one slate may be nominated at a time.
- (c) Individuals may be nominated to run against slates.
 - (1) If an individual receives more votes than a slate, the entire slate is deemed to have been defeated. Voting will then take place for each position one at a time, unless a new slate is nominated for the remaining positions.

Article III: Nominating Speeches

Section 1: Nominating speeches will not be allowed.

Article IV: Acceptance Speeches

Section 1: Acceptance speeches will not be allowed.

Article V: The Manner of Voting

Section 1: Except as herein provided, only Precinct Committee Members of the County shall be allowed to vote.

Section 2: Voting will be conducted by voice vote.

Section 3: A motion may be made from the floor by any Precinct Committee Member of the County to conduct a vote by show of hands.

(a) Such a motion will be dealt with as would any other motion before the Committee.

Section 4: A motion may be made from the floor by any Precinct Committee Member of the County to conduct a vote by secret ballot.

(a) Such a motion will be dealt with as would any other motion before the Committee.

Article VI: The Manner of Counting

Section 1: In the event that a secret ballot is required, the County Chair will select three (3) individuals to count the ballots.

(a) None of the three selected may be nominated in the election for which they are counting ballots.

Section 2: Any Precinct Committee Member of the County may observe the ballot counting.

Article VII: Tie Votes

Section 1: In the event of a tie, the County Chair, if not already voting as a Precinct Committee Member of the County, may break the tie.

Section 2: In the event of a tie where the County Chair has already voted as a Precinct Committee Member of the County, the County Vice-Chair, if not already voting as a Precinct Committee Member of the County, may break the tie.

Section 3: In the event of a tie where both the County Chair and the County Vice-Chair have voted as Precinct Committee Members of the County, a second vote shall be taken.

(a) If the second vote also results in a tie, the result shall be decided by a single coin flip.