Caucus to Convention Schedule

The caucus-to-convention process contains several key official meetings:

A. Precinct Caucuses meet Monday, February 7, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.

There are two legal functions that take place as outlined in Code of Iowa 43.4:

- 1. Election of Precinct Committee persons to the County Central Committee.
- 2. Election of delegates and alternates to the County Convention.
 - In addition to these two legal functions of the precinct caucuses, some counties
 require each precinct to elect an individual to the Rules, Platform, Credentialing, and
 Permanent Organization committees for the County Convention. Caucus participants
 will also have the opportunity to submit and debate caucus planks that will be
 forwarded to the County Platform Committee.
- B. County Conventions meet Saturday, March 12, 2022
 - 1. Elect delegates to the District and State Convention.
 - 2. Elect members to serve on the District Convention Committee.
 - 3. Adopt a County Platform.
- C. District Convention Committees meet Saturday, March 26, 2022
- D. The four Congressional District Conventions meet on Saturday, April 23, 2022
 - 1. Elect four persons to the State Central Committee from each congressional district.
 - 2. Elect members to serve on the State Convention Committee.
 - 3. Adopt a District Platform.
- E. State Convention Committees meet Saturday, April 30, 2022
- F. State Convention meets Saturday, June 11,2022
 - 1. Adopt a Republican State Platform.
 - 2. Nominate a candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

Official Resolution of the State Central Committee

Republican Party of Iowa SCC Organization Committee Meeting Approved Committee Motion Saturday, August 7, 2021

The SCC Organization Committee moves that:

- County's Delegate Assessment: Each County Central Committee will be assessed a district/state convention fee to cover RPI's cost for the events. The county fee is assessed to the county central committee and shall be based on the total number of delegates apportioned to the specific county. The county fee is not dependent on the number of delegates elected by the county or present at the district caucus or state convention. The county fee shall be assessed as a single, total amount, which is calculated by multiplying the number of state delegates apportioned to the county by \$75.
- 2. **State Convention Delegate Number:** There shall be 1,002 delegates and 1,002 alternates to the convention apportioned between the counties based on each county's percentage of popular vote for Donald Trump in the 2020 general election.
- 3. Non-payment Policy: Counties must pay the district/state convention fee in full to have any delegates seated. Any county that has not paid the district/state convention fee in full to RPI no later than one hour prior to the start of the District Caucus shall not have any delegates seated at the District Caucus. Any county that has not paid the district/state convention fee in full to RPI no later than 9:00 am on April 23, 2022 shall not have any delegates seated at the State Convention. Partial payment of district/state convention fee does not make partial county delegations eligible to be seated.
- 4. <u>Delegate List Deadline</u>: District/State Delegates and Alternates will be elected at the March 12, 2022 county conventions. Additional delegates/alternates may be added according to county convention rules up to the county's allotted number. Final delegate lists shall be submitted to RPI before 5:00 pm on March 25, 2022. After that time, no additions or changes to the district/state convention delegate/alternate list shall be allowed.
- 5. <u>State Convention Committees</u>: Each District Caucus shall elect members of the following State Convention Committees:

State Rules Committee 2 members
State Credentials Committee 2 members
State Platform Committee 4 members
State Convention Organization Committee 2 members

The State Committees shall meet at the RPI offices on Saturday, April 30 at 10:00 am. They shall submit a final report to RPI no later than 5:00 pm on Friday, May 6 for publication in the official State Convention tabloid.

The State Committees are tasked with the following assignments:

Rules: To prepare the proposed rules for governing the 2022 Iowa GOP

State Convention.

Credentials: To prepare the credentialing process for the 2022 Iowa GOP

State Convention.

Platform: To prepare the proposed platform for the 2022 Iowa GOP

State Convention.

Organization: To prepare a draft agenda and work with RPI staff on the organization

of the 2022 Iowa GOP State Convention.

6. <u>State Central Committee Elections</u>: In accordance with the RPI Constitution, each District Caucus shall elect four members of the RPI State Central Committee.

7. <u>District Convention Committees:</u> Each District Convention Committee shall meet on Saturday, April 23, 2022 at a location in their respective district.