



Precinct Chairs:

- Help Promote and Grow the Local County Party.
- Work to Elect Republican Candidates to Office.
- Maximize the Republican Vote in your Precinct.

WHAT ARE PRECINCT CHAIR DUTIES?

OUR GOAL IS TO:

CONTACT EVERY VOTER & REGISTER NEW ONES

- Educate and engage the voters
- Learn how they plan to vote
- Do everything possible to make certain that our supporters make it to the polls.

THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT WORK WE DO. Perhaps the most important point is that, aside from casting votes at County Executive Committee meetings, all of this work may and really must be done by a team of volunteers recruited and coordinated by the Precinct Chair.

WHAT ARE DUTIES WITHIN THE COUNTY PARTY?

- Serve on the CEC which conducts important business such as ratifying the Chairman's appointments, approving an annual budget, and voting on resolutions and is made up of Precinct Chairs.
- Serve as an Officer, Committee Chair or Committee Member.
- Recruit Volunteers and Precinct Chairs for vacant precincts.
- Assist your County Chair as needed
- Help work precincts without Precinct Chairs

WHO CAN BE A CHAIR?

By Texas law, Precinct Chairs are:

- Required to be **registered to vote** in their resident precincts.
- **Cannot be candidates or serving public officials.**
- **Must be Republicans**, either by virtue of voting in the Primary or taking a special Oath of Affiliation.

They are elected during the Party Primary **every two years**, and they serve a two-year term that begins twenty days after the Party Primary runoff on May 24, 2022.

HOW CAN PRECINCT CHAIRS BE INVOLVED WITH PARTY CONVENTIONS?

Precinct Chairs are the temporary Chairs of their own Precinct Conventions, which are set by the CEC to convene at the various polling locations after the polls close on a Primary Voting day.

Chairs may or may not try to serve as delegates to the district and state conventions.

HOW CAN PRECINCT CHAIRS BE INVOLVED WITH ELECTIONS?

Precinct Chairs may or may not seek to serve as officials in the actual conduct of elections. But the Party is responsible for conducting an orderly and fair Primary Election and we obviously want to ensure the lawful and fair conduct of other elections and runoffs, including municipal "non-partisan" elections and the general elections in November. Precinct Judges, Alternate Judges, and Clerks are compensated, whereas Poll Watchers are not.

WHAT IF MY PRECINCT IS VACANT?

Any vacant Precinct Chairmanship can be filled for the remainder of the term by the CEC.

Interested candidates should complete the form on our website and submit the form to Secretary@bexargop.org at least one week prior to the next CEC meeting.

HOW CAN A CHAIR BE REMOVED?

Although Precinct Chairs are given formal notice of CEC meetings, which meets on the call of the County Chairman at least four times a year, they cannot be removed from office even if they fail to attend.