



MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN PARTY

Memorandum

TO: County Chairs & Secretaries
FROM: Kim Jorns – Executive Director
CC: Steven Ostrow – Political Director
Gary Koutsoubos – Deputy Political Director
DATE: March 28, 2012
RE: County Convention Materials

The State Convention will be held at Cobo Center in Detroit on May 18th & 19th for the purpose of electing Michigan's delegates to the National Convention, as well as our National Committeeman and National Committeewoman.

Enclosed, you will find informational and reporting materials for your County Conventions to be held on **THURSDAY, May 3rd at 7:30PM**. This date and time is set by state law and convention rules therefore all County Conventions **MUST** be held accordingly. Details on the County Conventions and a sample Call are enclosed.

PLEASE NOTE:

- **PRECINCT DELEGATE ELEVATION, either temporary or permanent, is prohibited prior to vote on State Convention Delegates & Alternates.** ONLY current precinct delegates, as of the last County Convention, and At-Large Delegates may vote on State Convention delegates & alternates. (See Rule 5B, page 3 of the enclosed Rules). You may fill vacant precinct delegate spots on a permanent basis at the end of your convention, after the conclusion of all voting on state convention delegates.
- There is a **PRECINCT DELEGATE PREFERENCE** for attending the State Convention. Those current Precinct Delegates wishing to attend the State Convention shall receive preference before a non-Precinct Delegate. (See Rule 9, page 6 of the enclosed Rules).
- **DELEGATE LISTS SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY:** PLEASE use the enclosed reporting template to electronically report your Delegate and Alternate names in Microsoft Excel format. Lists should be emailed to Gary Koutsoubos at gkoutsoubos@migop.org. If no one on your county executive committee has access to Excel, please contact Gary to make alternative arrangements.
- **AUTOMATIC ELEVATION OF ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT STATE CONVENTION:** Alternate delegates **MUST** be listed in the order in which you would like the alternate delegates selected from the list should a delegate vacancy occur. For example, if a delegate from your county is absent on either day of the convention, convention officers **MUST** elevate the first alternate on your list to fill that spot, then the second name, then the third name for subsequent vacancies.

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- **PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE FORM:** All candidates for National convention delegates and alternates MUST complete the Presidential Preference Form and return to Credentials Committee (cc: Gary Koutsoubos at gkoutsoubos@migop.org) prior to 6pm, Friday, May 18th. This form will serve as the delegate's automatic vote should they be elected to the National Convention.
- **DELEGATE PACKETS WILL NOT BE MAILED.** Due to the short amount of time between the county and state conventions, information packets will NOT be mailed to state convention delegates. PLEASE DISTRIBUTE all necessary information (forms provided) to convention delegates at your County Convention. We will email convention information following the county conventions.

This packet contains the following materials:

1. Sample Call to County Convention
2. Sample County Convention Agenda
3. Sample Report for the Committee on Permanent Organization
4. Sample Report for the Committee on Credentials
5. County Convention Reporting Procedures
6. Delegate Certification Form
7. Precinct Delegate Preference
8. Precinct Delegate Elevation Information Sheet
9. Precinct Delegate Vacancies Filled on a Permanent Basis Reporting Information
10. Sample Reporting Form and Instructions
11. State Convention Delegate Apportionment Memo
12. State Convention Apportionment breakdown by County
13. State Convention Apportionment breakdown by District
- 14. Call to the 2012 Congressional District Caucuses**
- 15. Call to the 2012 Spring State Convention**
- 16. Tentative State Convention Agenda**
- 17. Hotel Information Sheet & Map**
- 18. Presidential Preference Form to be completed by candidates for National Convention delegate and alternate positions**
19. Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternatives to the 2012 Republican County, State, and National Conventions (sent as a separate attachment)

Please distribute the bolded/italicized documents listed above to State Convention delegates.

If you have any questions concerning the County Convention or the State Convention, please contact Gary Koutsoubos at 517-487-5413 or gkoutsoubos@migop.org



Date and Call of County Conventions

County conventions shall be held at 7:30 p.m. Local Time, Thursday, May 3, 2012 throughout the state at locations registered with the Michigan Republican Party (MRP) by Monday, April 16, 2012.

The location, time and date of the meeting of all such county conventions shall be designated in the call issued for such convention by the chair of the county executive committee (whose term of office commenced January 1, 2011), by Monday, April 16, 2012. For the purposes of these Rules, the term "county committee" shall be read to include the congressional district committees in Wayne County and the congressional district portion committees within the boundaries of Wayne County.

The county executive committee must forward by first class mail a copy of such call to the most recent Republican nominees for state legislative office, the most recent Republican nominees for county office, each precinct delegate duly elected at the August 3, 2010 primary election, and those precinct delegates elected to permanently fill vacancies at all subsequent county conventions. In addition, such call shall be sent to all Republican incumbent members of the State Legislature and the Michigan Congressional delegation, Statewide Officeholders, the Republican National Committeeman and National Committeewoman from Michigan and Michigan Republican Party Officers (see Rule 5C), where such person resides in the county in question.

A copy of the official call for county conventions must be sent to the County Clerk and the Michigan Republican Party (MRP) Headquarters, Attn: Gary Koutsoubos, 520 Seymour Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48933, by Monday, April 16, 2012. A SAMPLE CALL IS FOUND BELOW.

If MRP does not receive the official call by Monday, April 16, 2012, the State Party Chair is authorized to rescind any call which may have been or will be issued by the chair of the county executive committee, and is further authorized to issue a call to that county convention.

SAMPLE CALL

_____ County Republicans

Official Call to the ____ (county name) _____ County Convention. There shall be a meeting of the duly elected Precinct Delegates and the At-Large Delegates to the County Convention at 7:30pm on Thursday, May 3, 2012 at _____ (fill in location) _____.

The purpose of this meeting shall be to elect Delegates and Alternates to the May 18 – 19, 2012 State Convention to be held at Cobo Center in the City of Detroit. The purpose of the State Convention is to elect delegates to the 2012 Republican National Convention, and to elect our National Committeeman and Committeewoman.

Only Precinct Delegates elected at the August 3, 2010 Primary Election, the last recent Republican nominees for County and State Legislative offices, the Michigan Congressional Delegation, the Republican National Committeeman and National Committeewoman from Michigan and Michigan Republican Party Officers (see Rule 5C) where such person resides in the county in question and Precinct Delegates elected to permanently fill vacancies at all subsequent county conventions will be seated and considered eligible to vote at this convention.

Signed, _____
Chairman, _____ County Republican Executive Committee

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County Convention Agenda

SAMPLE AGENDA

1. Temporary Chairman calls convention to order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Introduction and appointment of Temporary Secretary
5. Temporary Secretary reads Call to Convention
6. Temporary Chairman appoints:
 - Temporary Parliamentarian
 - Temporary Sergeant-At-Arms (as needed)
 - Temporary Tellers (as needed)
7. Election of Permanent Convention Chairman
8. Permanent Chairman appoints:
 - Parliamentarian
 - Sergeant-At-Arms (as needed)
 - Tellers (as needed)
9. Nomination of Permanent Secretary
10. Election of Permanent Secretary
11. Oath of Office administered to all Permanent Convention Officers:

OATH: "I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of _____ according to the best of my ability."
12. Permanent Chairman may appoint the following standing committees:
 - Committee on Permanent Organization
 - Committee on Credentials
 - Any other optional committees (e.g.: Slate Committee, etc.)
13. Committee on Credentials submits report for convention approval (See attached sample.)

14. Committee on Permanent Organization submits report for convention approval (See attached sample.)
15. County Convention Delegates select Delegates to the State Convention. *(NOTE: ONLY current precinct delegates (and At-Large Delegates) may vote. Delegates can NOT be elevated at this convention until AFTER the conclusion of the delegate selection process)*

--In counties with more than one congressional district, delegates will be asked to caucus by congressional district for Delegate and Alternate selection.
16. Delegates reassemble in full county convention
17. Delegates fill any vacancies in State Convention Delegate or Alternate slots. (NOTE: Delegates and Alternates must live in the County and Congressional District that they will represent.)
18. **Permanent Chairman distributes convention packets to all convention delegates and alternates** and announces convention details:

--Date of the State Convention, May 18 – 19, 2012
--Convention Headquarters, Cobo Center, Detroit, MI
--Caucus Date and Time, May 18th at 7pm.
--Hotel Information, see Hotel Information Sheet
19. Filling of Precinct Delegate vacancies (See Rule 5B of the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State and National Conventions)
20. Permanent Chairman asks for any further business
21. A motion is made, seconded and voted upon to adjourn.
22. Chairman declares convention adjourned.



Report for the Committee on Permanent Organization

SAMPLE REPORT

Mr. Chairman, the Committee on Permanent Organization reports:

1. That the appointments of Parliamentarian, Sergeant-At-Arms and Tellers by the Permanent Chairman are confirmed.
2. That the Report of the Credentials Committee has been accepted.
3. That the vacant Precinct Delegate positions be (or have not been filled) on a temporary (or permanent) basis after all voting is taken with respect to State Convention delegates.
4. That the reports of any other relevant committees shall be received.
5. That the Chairman of the delegation automatically fill, on a numerical basis, any vacancies in the delegation at the State Convention. (See Rule 14 of the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State, and National Conventions.)
6. That _____ be the Chairman of the delegation at the State Convention.
7. That Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised shall govern the proceedings at this convention.

Mr. Chairman, I rule the adoption of this report.



Report for the Committee on Credentials

SAMPLE REPORT

Mr. Chairman, the Committee on Credentials reports:

1. "The Committee on Credentials has examined the credentials of the Delegates present at this convention and it is recommended that the Delegates that have been elected be seated at the County Convention."

Or, if applicable:

1. "The following delegate(s) credentials have been denied:"

2. "The following precincts have Delegates who are not present:"

3. "The following precincts have no elected Delegates:"

Mr. Chairman, I move the adoption of this report.



County Convention Reporting Procedures

Following your county convention, the following forms must be sent* the State Party

- Official List of Elected Delegates
- Official List of Elected Alternates
- Precinct Delegate Filled on a Permanent Basis Form (if any)

*Due to the limited time between the county and state conventions, **PLEASE email, in Microsoft Excel format, your delegate forms by midnight on the evening of the county conventions.** A template Excel sheet is enclosed in this packet and will be emailed to chairs and secretaries.

If you do not have access to Excel, please contact Gary Koutsoubos to make alternate arrangements to submit via fax.

DEADLINE TO RETURN REPORTING FORMS:

Rule 10 of the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 County, State, and National Conventions indicates that Any forms not received electronically in Excel format by the MRP by 5:00 PM, Eastern Time, on Monday, May 7, 2012, will not be received and therefore will have to be presented before the Credentials Committee (see Rule 9C) prior to seating any delegate from the county convention in question.

If you have any questions on the reporting procedures please contact Gary Koutsoubos at (517) 487-5413 or gkoutsoubos@migop.org.



Delegate Certification Form

We the Chairman and Secretary of the _____ County (or district portion of the county) Republican Convention, held on the 3rd day of May, 2012, do hereby certify that the names of those on the attached list are duly elected delegates and alternates from this County (District) to the Republican State Convention, to be held in the City of Detroit, May 18 – 19, 2012.

Our signature certifies that we are submitting the proper number of delegates and alternates (see enclosed apportionment breakdown), and that they were elected in the manner provided in the rules for the Selection of the Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State and National Conventions.

We hereby understand that the order in which we have listed the Alternate Delegates is our intended order for elevation should a delegate vacancy occurs at the State Convention.

Signed,

Chairman of the County or District Portion Convention

Secretary of the County or District Portion Convention

NOTE: We recommend this form be emailed or faxed immediately upon completion of the County Convention to Gary Koutsoubos (gkoutsoubos@migop.org) or fax: 517-487-0090.

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Precinct Delegate Preference

The following is an excerpt from Rule 9 of the Rules for Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State and National Conventions (found page 6). This subsection deals with "Precinct Delegate Preference" provision.

Please read the below language very carefully.

A certified list of Precinct Delegates for your county is enclosed. This list is based on the results of the August 2010 Precinct Delegate elections, and any paperwork filed following the permanent elevation of delegates at a subsequent County Convention. Those appearing on this list are eligible to receive preference.

9. METHOD OF ELECTING DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION

...In order to recognize the importance of precinct delegates, in the event that: (1) a precinct delegate duly elected at the August 3, 2010 primary election or elected to permanently fill a vacancy at a subsequent county convention; (2) attends the May 3, 2012 county convention; and (3) desires to attend the State Convention as a delegate (or as an alternate if State Convention delegate positions are filled by precinct delegates attending the county convention), then such precinct delegate shall be given preference (over a non-precinct delegate or a precinct delegate who does not attend the county convention) to be elected as a delegate or alternate to the State Convention. Between two or more such precinct delegates who attend the county convention, no preference shall be given. In order to recognize hard-working Republicans, who may not be precinct delegates, a county convention, acting as one body, may authorize the election of up to two eligible individuals per county or congressional district portion not subject to this preference, as though they were, to attend the State Convention as delegates or alternates. In counties containing more than one congressional district or congressional district portion, the actual selection of individuals to whom this preference shall be granted, if authorized by the full county convention, shall be executed in the respective district caucuses of the county convention. Under this paragraph, no preference is given to anyone who does not attend the county convention. Violation of this preference requirement is subject to challenge pursuant to Rule 9C.

Any person is eligible to run for delegate or alternate to the State Convention irrespective of whether they are precinct delegates or in attendance.

*****Also, please note that Precinct Delegate vacancies CANNOT be filled prior to the election of State Convention delegates and alternates.**

The filling of open Precinct Delegate vacancies may only occur at the end of the County Convention (see enclosed sample agenda).

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Precinct Delegate Elevation Information Sheet

Rule 5B of the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State, and National Conventions indicates the following:

B. Filling of Precinct Delegate Vacancies

For purposes of filling a vacancy in precincts where no precinct delegate was ever elected, a county convention may fill such vacancy for the balance of the unexpired term by a majority vote of the precinct delegates present, provided that the vacancy shall be filled by a person who is a qualified registered elector residing in the precinct in which such vacancy occurs.

For purposes of filling a vacancy in precincts where a vacancy results from a precinct delegate, duly elected, having died, resigned, or changed voter registration out of the precinct from which the precinct delegate was elected, a county convention may fill such vacancy for the balance of the unexpired term by a majority vote of the precinct delegates present, provided that the vacancy shall be filled by a person who is a qualified registered elector residing in the precinct in which such vacancy occurs.

For purposes of filling a vacancy in precincts where a precinct delegate, duly elected, fails to attend this particular county convention or, if the convention wishes, the vacancies described above, such convention may fill such vacancy on a temporary basis for only this convention by a majority vote of the precinct delegates present, provided that the vacancy shall be filled by a person who is a qualified registered elector residing in the precinct in which such vacancy occurs.

For purposes of filling a vacancy in precincts where a precinct delegate, duly elected, is also a delegate at-large, a county convention may fill such vacancy on a temporary basis by a majority vote of the precinct delegates present, provided that the vacancy shall be filled by a person who is a qualified registered elector residing in the precinct in which such vacancy occurs.

Where a precinct delegate vacancy is filled on a permanent basis, the convention chair and secretary shall forward such names and addresses with precincts/wards indicated to the MRP headquarters by Friday, May 4, 2012, along with the certified list of delegates and alternates to the State Convention. Failure to forward such names in this manner shall mean that the vacancy was filled temporarily.

In a county convention, the convention, acting as one body, shall determine whether to fill precinct delegate vacancies, and shall, if it shall so determine, fill such vacancies. **In no event shall a precinct delegate vacancy be filled, either on a permanent or temporary basis, until after all voting for State Convention delegates or alternates is completely finished**



Precinct Delegate Vacancy Reporting Information Sheet

Rule 5B of the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State, and National Conventions states the following:

“Where a precinct delegate vacancy is filled on a permanent basis, the convention chair and secretary shall forward such names and addresses with precincts/wards indicated to the MRP headquarters by Friday, May 4, 2012, along with the certified list of delegates and alternates to the State Convention. Failure to forward such names in this manner shall mean that the vacancy was filled temporarily.”

NOTE: Precinct Delegate vacancies may **ONLY** be filled **AFTER** the completion of all State Convention delegate and alternate voting.

A **Precinct Delegate Vacancies Form** is included in an attached Excel workbook with the **Delegate Reporting Form** and the **Alternate Reporting Form**, and must be returned to the MRP along with the other convention reporting documents.

This form does not need to be returned if no precinct delegate vacancies were filled on a permanent basis.

Sample Reporting Form and Instructions

20 Reporting Forms - Microsoft Excel

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2012 Michigan Republican State Convention
Delegate Reporting Form

Instructions: Please use this template to report the Delegates to the State Convention elected at your county convention. DO NOT MAKE ANY CHANGES TO THE OUTLINE OF THIS TEMPLATE.
Two examples are included below in yellow. This information is provided only as an example and should be deleted from your final submission to the MRP.
DO NOT INCLUDE ALTERNATES ON THIS SHEET. Please click the alternates tab at the bottom left and include them there.

CD	County	FirstName	LastName	Address1	Address2	City	Zip	Phone	Email
8	Ingham	Bobby	Schostak	520 Seymour Avenue	Apartment 7	Lansing		48933 517-487-5413	rschostak@migop.org
8	Ingham	Sharon	Wise	520 Seymour Avenue		Lansing		48933 517-487-5413	swise@migop.org

DELEGATES ALTERNATES PD Vacancies Filled

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The **Delegate Reporting Form**, **Alternate Reporting Form**, and **Precinct Delegate Vacancies Form** are included on three separate sheets in the attached Excel Workbook.

PLEASE NOTE: You must include all of the requested information in order for the form to be processed properly.



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Memorandum

TO: County Chairs & Secretaries
FROM: Kim Jorns – Executive Director
CC: Steven Ostrow – Political Director
Gary Koutsoubos – Deputy Political Director
DATE: March 28, 2012
RE: Delegate Apportionment for the 2012 State Convention

The attached Delegate Apportionment Information sheets contains a breakdown, by county and Congressional district, of the number of delegates to the May 18 – 19 State Convention.

IMPORTANT NOTE: If your county is split between one or more congressional districts, please reference both districts for the total delegate count. This applies to: Allegan, Kent, Macomb, Mason, Montcalm, Oakland, Saginaw, Tuscola, Washtenaw and Wayne counties.

The number of delegates is based upon the number of Republican votes cast for the Secretary of State in the 2010 general election as per the Rules for Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State and National Conventions (enclosed).

NOTE: the Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Education Board members, members of Congress, the State Senate, the State House and MRP Officers are automatic, at-large delegates and do NOT need to be elected at the county conventions. Do not include these officials in your delegate lists.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 517-487-5413 or gkoutsoubos@migop.org.

DELEGATES BY COUNTY*

County	CD	Johnson Vote	Delegates	Alternates
Alcona	1	2,734	3	3
Alger	1	1,838	2	2
Allegan (Part)	2	522	1	1
Allegan (Part)	6	23,294	29	29
Alpena	1	5,356	7	7
Antrim	1	6,434	8	8
Arenac	5	2,902	4	4
Baraga	1	1,402	2	2
Barry	3	13,098	16	16
Bay	5	18,600	23	23
Benzie	1	4,024	5	5
Berrien	6	27,401	34	34
Branch	7	7,885	10	10
Calhoun	3	21,425	27	27
Cass	6	8,524	11	11
Charlevoix	1	6,249	8	8
Cheboygan	1	5,888	7	7
Chippewa	1	6,373	8	8
Clare	4	5,221	6	6
Clinton	4	16,400	20	20
Crawford	1	2,786	3	3
Delta	1	6,820	8	8
Dickinson	1	5,481	7	7
Eaton	7	21,634	27	27
Emmet	1	8,082	10	10
Gd. Traverse	1	20,013	25	25
Genesee	5	52,945	66	66
Gladwin	4	4,909	6	6
Gogebic	1	2,409	3	3
Gratiot	4	6,285	8	8
Hillsdale	7	9,155	11	11
Houghton	1	6,627	8	8
Huron	10	7,032	9	9
Ingham	8	36,703	46	46
Ionia	3	11,190	14	14
Iosco	5	5,202	6	6
Iron	1	2,298	3	3
Isabella	4	8,207	10	10
Jackson	7	28,288	35	35
Kalamazoo	6	39,596	49	49
Kalkaska	1	3,610	4	4
Kent (Part)	2	28,604	36	36
Kent (Part)	3	88,593	110	110
Keweenaw	1	636	1	1
Lake	2	1,909	2	2
Lapeer	10	17,689	22	22
Leelanau	1	6,333	8	8
Lenawee	7	17,862	22	22
Livingston	8	44,627	55	55
Luce	1	1,153	1	1
Mackinac	1	2,707	3	3
Macomb (Part)	9	70,851	88	88
Macomb (Part)	10	66,144	82	82
Manistee	1	4,741	6	6
Marquette	1	9,618	12	12
Mason (part)	1	1,627	2	2
Mason (part)	2	4,250	5	5
Mecosta	4	7,214	9	9

County	CD	Johnson Vote	Delegates	Alternates
Menominee	1	3,839	5	5
Midland	4	17,520	22	22
Missaukee	4	3,718	5	5
Monroe	7	25,119	31	31
Montcalm (Part)	3	797	1	1
Montcalm (Part)	4	9,587	12	12
Montmorency	1	2,300	3	3
Muskegon	2	23,317	29	29
Newaygo	2	9,303	12	12
Oakland (Part)	8	61,713	77	77
Oakland (Part)	9	41,177	51	51
Oakland (Part)	11	99,865	124	124
Oakland (Part)	14	32,127	40	40
Oceana	2	4,947	6	6
Ogemaw	4	3,978	5	5
Ontonagon	1	1,450	2	2
Osceola	4	4,888	6	6
Oscoda	1	1,820	2	2
Otsego	1	5,479	7	7
Ottawa	2	66,073	82	82
Presque Isle	1	2,936	4	4
Roscommon	4	5,487	7	7
Saginaw (Part)	4	19,014	24	24
Saginaw (Part)	5	13,408	17	17
Sanilac	10	8,494	11	11
Schoolcraft	1	1,629	2	2
Shiawassee	4	12,293	15	15
St. Clair	10	29,474	37	37
St. Joseph	6	9,600	12	12
Tuscola (Part)	5	3,719	5	5
Tuscola (Part)	10	6,860	9	9
Van Buren	6	12,155	15	15
Washtenaw (Part)	7	21,308	27	27
Washtenaw (Part)	12	22,909	28	28
Wayne (Part)	11	54,688	68	68
Wayne (Part)	12	57,669	72	72
Wayne (Part)	13	32,521	40	40
Wayne (Part)	14	19,251	24	24
Wexford	4	6,438	8	8
TOTAL			2000	2000

**PLEASE NOTE: At-large delegates are NOT included*

DELEGATES BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

County	District	Johnson Vote	Delegates	*At-Large Delegates					TOTAL	
				Statewide	Party Officers	Congress	Senate	House		
FIRST DISTRICT				179	0	2	1	2	7	191
	Alcona	1	2,734	3						3
	Alger	1	1,838	2						2
	Alpena	1	5,356	7						7
	Antrim	1	6,434	8					1	9
	Baraga	1	1,402	2						2
	Benzie	1	4,024	5						5
	Charlevoix	1	6,249	8						8
	Cheboygan	1	5,888	7						7
	Chippewa	1	6,373	8						8
	Crawford	1	2,786	3						3
	Delta	1	6,820	8				1		9
	Dickinson	1	5,481	7					1	8
	Emmet	1	8,082	10					1	11
	Gogebic	1	2,409	3						3
	Gd. Traverse	1	20,013	25				1	1	27
	Houghton	1	6,627	8					1	9
	Iron	1	2,298	3			1			4
	Kalkaska	1	3,610	4						4
	Keweenaw	1	636	1						1
	Leelanau	1	6,333	8		1				9
	Luce	1	1,153	1						1
	Mackinac	1	2,707	3						3
	Manistee	1	4,741	6					1	7
	Marquette	1	9,618	12						12
	Mason (Part)	1	1,627	2						2
	Menominee	1	3,839	5						5
	Montmorency	1	2,300	3						3
	Ontonagon	1	1,450	2						2
	Oscoda	1	1,820	2						2
	Otsego	1	5,479	7						7
	Presque Isle	1	2,936	4		1			1	6
	Schoolcraft	1	1,629	2						2

SECOND DISTRICT				173	0	3	1	2	5	184
	Allegan (Part)	2	522	1						1
	Kent (Part)	2	28,604	36		1			1	38
	Lake	2	1,909	2						2
	Mason (Part)	2	4,250	5						5
	Muskegon	2	23,317	29		1			1	31
	Newaygo	2	9,303	12					1	13
	Oceana	2	4,947	6				1		7
	Ottawa	2	66,073	82		1	1	1	2	87

THIRD DISTRICT				168	2	4	1	3	6	184
	Barry	3	13,098	16					1	17
	Calhoun	3	21,425	27				1	1	29
	Ionia	3	11,190	14	1					15
	Kent (Part)	3	88,593	110	1	4	1	2	4	122
	Montcalm (Part)	3	797	1						1

FOURTH DISTRICT				163	1	1	1	4	9	179
	Clare	4	5,221	6					1	7
	Clinton	4	16,400	20					1	21
	Gladwin	4	4,909	6						6
	Gratiot	4	6,285	8						8
	Isabella	4	8,207	10					1	11
	Mecosta	4	7,214	9						9
	Midland	4	17,520	22	1	1	1	1	1	27
	Missaukee	4	3,718	5					1	6
	Montcalm (Part)	4	9,587	12				1	1	14
	Ogemaw	4	3,978	5						5
	Osceola	4	4,888	6				1		7
	Roscommon	4	5,487	7						7
	Saginaw (Part)	4	19,014	24				1	1	26
	Shiawassee	4	12,293	15					1	16
	Wexford	4	6,438	8					1	9

County	District	Johnson Vote	Delegates	*At-Large Delegates					TOTAL	
				Statewide	Party Officers	Congress	Senate	House		
FIFTH DISTRICT				121	0	1	0	1	1	124
	Arenac	5	2,902	4						4
	Bay	5	18,600	23						23
	Genesee	5	52,945	66		1		1	1	69
	Iosco	5	5,202	6						6
	Saginaw (Part)	5	13,408	17						17
	Tuscola (Part)	5	3,719	5						5
SIXTH DISTRICT				150	0	2	1	2	6	161
	Allegan (Part)	6	23,294	29					1	30
	Berrien	6	27,401	34			1	1	2	38
	Cass	6	8,524	11						11
	Kalamazoo	6	39,596	49		1			1	51
	St. Joseph	6	9,600	12		1			1	14
	Van Buren	6	12,155	15				1	1	17
SEVENTH DISTRICT				163	0	2	1	3	7	176
	Branch	7	7,885	10					1	11
	Eaton	7	21,634	27		1		1	1	30
	Hillsdale	7	9,155	11				1		12
	Jackson	7	28,288	35					2	37
	Lenawee	7	17,862	22			1		1	24
	Monroe	7	25,119	31				1	1	33
	Washtenaw (Part)	7	21,308	27		1			1	29
EIGHTH DISTRICT				178	5	4	1	2	4	194
	Ingham	8	36,703	46	3	2				51
	Livingston	8	44,627	55		1	1	1	2	60
	Oakland (Part)	8	61,713	77	2	1		1	2	83
NINTH DISTRICT				139	0	2	0	1	0	142
	Macomb (Part)	9	70,851	88		1		1		90
	Oakland (Part)	9	41,177	51		1				52
TENTH DISTRICT				170	0	1	1	3	9	184
	Huron	10	7,032	9					1	10
	Lapeer	10	17,689	22					1	23
	Macomb (Part)	10	66,144	82		1	1	1	5	90
	Sanilac	10	8,494	11					1	12
	St. Clair	10	29,474	37				1	1	39
	Tuscola (Part)	10	6,860	9				1		10
ELEVENTH DISTRICT				192	0	2	1	3	7	205
	Oakland (Part)	11	99,865	124		1		2	5	132
	Wayne (Part)	11	54,688	68		1	1	1	2	73
TWELFTH DISTRICT				100	3	3	0	0	2	108
	Washtenaw (Part)	12	22,909	28	3				1	32
	Wayne (Part)	12	57,669	72		3			1	76
THIRTEENTH DISTRICT				40	1	1	0	0	0	42
	Wayne (Part)	13	32,521	40	1	1				42
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT				64	2	1	0	0	0	67
	Oakland (Part)	14	32,127	40	1	1				42
	Wayne (Part)	14	19,251	24	1					25

*TOTAL RUTH JOHNSON VOTE:

1,608,270

				<i>*At-Large Delegates</i>					
County	District	Johnson Vote	Delegates	Statewide	Party Officers	Congress	Senate	House	TOTAL
TOTAL DELEGATES			2,000	14	29	9	26	63	2141
	Delegates	Alternates	At Large						
DISTRICT 1	179	179	12						
DISTRICT 2	173	173	11						
DISTRICT 3	168	168	16						
DISTRICT 4	163	163	16						
DISTRICT 5	121	121	3						
DISTRICT 6	150	150	11						
DISTRICT 7	163	163	13						
DISTRICT 8	178	178	16						
DISTRICT 9	139	139	3						
DISTRICT 10	170	170	14						
DISTRICT 11	192	192	13						
DISTRICT 12	100	100	8						
DISTRICT 13	40	40	2						
DISTRICT 14	64	64	3						
TOTAL	2000	2000	141						



Official Call to Congressional District Caucuses

The delegates and alternates to the State Convention shall caucus in fourteen (14) congressional district caucuses to be held at 7:00pm on Friday, May 18th 2012, in the City of Detroit for the following purposes of:

- electing one (1) Convention Vice Chair (to preside as Chair of the District Caucus)
- electing one (1) Assistant Secretary (to serve as Secretary of the District Caucus)
- electing three (3) National Convention delegates
- electing three (3) National Convention alternate delegates

Each congressional district caucus report shall be submitted to the Secretary of the Michigan Republican State Committee prior to the convening of the State Convention at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time on Saturday, May 19, 2012.

Each congressional district caucus report shall list the names and mailing addresses of the Convention Vice-Chairperson, Assistant Secretary and the two members of the Rules Committee.

By order of the Michigan Republican State Committee as set forth in the Rules for the Selection of Delegates and Alternates to the 2012 Republican County, State, and National Conventions.

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Robert "Bobby" Schostak, Chairman
Michigan Republican Party

Handwritten signature of Henry G. Fuhs.

Henry G. Fuhs, Secretary
Michigan Republican Party



Official Call to Michigan Republican Spring State Convention

The Michigan Republican State Committee directs that the State Convention of the delegated representatives of the Republican Party of Michigan shall be held in the City of Detroit, on **Saturday, May 19, 2012**, at 9:00 a.m. Local Time, for the following purposes:

- The election of fourteen (14) National Convention at-large delegates and electing fourteen (14) National Convention at-large alternate delegates
- Receiving reports of the election in the fourteen (14) congressional district caucuses of:
 - 42 National Convention delegates (3 per congressional district)
 - 42 National Convention alternate delegates (3 per congressional district)
 - 14 Convention Vice Chairs (1 per congressional district)
 - 14 Assistant Secretaries (1 per congressional district)
- The election of a National Committeeman and National Committeewoman
- The transaction of other such business as may properly come before the State Convention

All convention activities will be held at **Cobo Center, 1 Washington Blvd., Detroit, MI 48226**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bobby Schostak".

Robert "Bobby" Schostak, Chairman
Michigan Republican Party

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Henry G. Fuhs".

Henry G. Fuhs, Secretary
Michigan Republican Party



Tentative Convention Schedule

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2012

5:00 – 7:15 pm

REGISTRATION OPENS AT CAUCUS ROOMS
Cobo Center

7:00pm

DISTRICT CAUCUSES
Cobo Center

- Specific room assignments to be announced

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2012

7:00 – 9:30 am

REGISTRATION OPEN
Cobo Center

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION
Cobo Center

12:00 – 12:30 pm

MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE MEETING
Cobo Center

* More information will be provided before the County Conventions

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May 18-19, 2012
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HOTEL ROOM BLOCKS

The Michigan Republican Party has arranged for special group rates at the following hotel for the 2012 Michigan Republican State Convention. Guests should contact the hotel directly to make arrangements. Please be certain to use the group code noted in order to receive the special group rate. Rooms will be available on a first come, first served basis, so you are encouraged to make your reservations as soon as possible. If you have questions, please contact us at convention@migop.org. We look forward to seeing you in Detroit!

HOST HOTEL

- ① **Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center**
400 Renaissance Drive
Detroit, MI 48243



For reservations online, please follow this link: [Detroit Marriott at the Renaissance Center >>](#)

For reservations by phone, you MUST call: 313.568.8000

Group Code: Michigan Republican Party 2012 Convention

(Event date: May 18-19, 2012)

(Cutoff date: May 11, 2012)

Group Rate: \$129 per night, plus tax

Parking Options:

- *On-site parking fee: \$5 per hour; \$25 daily*
- *Valet parking fee: \$25 daily*
- *Off-site parking fee: \$5 per hour; \$20 daily*
- *Self Parking available in nearby garages*
 - *Beaubien Garage: \$3 per hour; \$15 daily*
 - *Miller Garage: \$5 per hour; \$20 daily*
 - *Port Atwater Garage: \$3 per hour; \$15 daily*

**Room rates are subject to availability. Parking rates are subject to change at the discretion of the hotels or parking garage management companies.*

**If there are any updates to this information, we will be sure to include it future packets.*

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PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE FORM

Name: _____

Registered Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____
(Optional)

Congressional District: _____ County: _____

*Please complete **either** the "Committed Delegate" or "Uncommitted Delegate" section below (**not both**), sign the certification section, and file with the Credentials Committee by 6:00 pm on May 18, 2012 (if a candidate for National Convention delegate/alternate at the district caucus), or with the Credentials Committee by 11:00 pm on May 18, 2012 (if a candidate for National Convention at-large delegate/alternate). Once filed, forms **cannot** be amended.*

COMMITTED DELEGATE

As a prerequisite for election as a delegate or alternate to the 2012 Republican National Convention, I do hereby pledge my support to the following Republican candidate for President of the United States: _____

Further, I understand that I am bound to support the above named candidate at all stages of the nomination process through the first ballot of the 2012 Republican National Convention unless the candidate takes any of the following actions:

1. Publicly withdraws from contention as a Republican candidate for President of the United States.
2. Suspends his or her campaign as a Republican candidate for President of the United States.
3. Endorses another candidate for President of the United States.
4. Seeks the nomination of a political party other than the Republican Party for any political office.

If any of the above conditions are met, I understand that I will be released from the commitment to the above named candidate and I will be pledged as an uncommitted delegate.

UNCOMMITTED DELEGATE

As a prerequisite for election as a delegate or alternate to the 2012 Republican National Convention, I hereby declare that I am not committed to any Republican presidential candidate and pledge to cast a ballot for "Uncommitted" at all stages of the nomination process through the first ballot of the 2012 Republican National Convention.

CERTIFICATION:

I certify that the information above is accurate and understand that I am bound by the commitment into which I have entered at all stages of the nomination process for the Republican candidate for President of the United States through the first ballot of the 2012 Republican National Convention.

Signature

Date

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