

# WEBER COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY

ORGANIZING CONVENTION  
Thursday, April 19, 2007  
Ogden Preparatory Academy  
215 22<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Ogden, Utah

## AGENDA

6:00 p.m. Credentials/Registration/light refreshments

### 6:30 p.m. CONVENTION BEGINS

Welcome and call to order..... Matthew Bell, County Chair

Invocation..... Dennis Miller

Presentation of Colors and Pledge of Allegiance..... Scout Troup 18

Adoption of Rules/Agenda..... Terry Thompson

Credentials Report..... Bea Cardwell

Minutes: Nominating Convention, April, 2006..... Debbie Deem

## ELECTIONS

### Reports:

Weber County Party Chair..... Matthew Bell

Weber County Treasurer..... Darcy Kruitbosch

Utah State Party Chair..... Enid Greene

State of County Report..... Ken Bischoff, Commissioner Weber County

United States Senate report..... TBA

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State of State Report..... Gary Herbert, Lt. Governor

Resolutions: No resolutions were submitted to consider.

Adjourn to Legislative District Caucus meetings.

Areas for each Legislative District Caucus meeting:

**Legislative District 6**..... Cafeteria  
Chair Terry Thompson      Vice Chair Bruce Anderson

**Legislative District 7**..... Room 203  
Chair Christie Moore      Vice Chair Ray Pippin

**Legislative District 8**..... Room 204  
Chair Tom Feeny      Vice Chair Suzanne Ellison-Ferre

**Legislative District 9**..... Room 202  
Chair Charlene Herbert      Vice Chair Robert Miles

**Legislative District 10**..... Room 205  
Chair David Waldron      Vice Chair Elwood Powell

**Legislative District 11**..... Room 206  
Chair Paul Skeen      Vice Chair Elizabeth Carlin

**Legislative District 12**..... Room 207  
Chair Richard Greenwood

**Weber County ORGANIZING Convention Adjourned**

Special Thanks to the Following:

- Nomination/Election & Counting of ballots..... Alan McEwan, Clerk/Auditor  
Jan Zogmaister, Commissioner
- Time Keeper..... Ricky Hatch
- Parliamentarian..... Arnold Gaunt
- Sergeant at Arms..... Brad W. Slater, Sheriff
- Elections/Nominations Chair..... Alan McEwan, Clerk/Auditor
- Credential Officer..... Bea Cardwell

**Many thanks to each of you for supporting the Republican Party.**

# **ELECTIONS**

## **Weber County Republican Party:**

### **Chair**

Matthew Bell

### **Vice Chair**

Suzanne Ellison-Ferre  
Christie Moore

### **Secretary**

Elizabeth Carlin  
Debbie Deem

### **Treasurer**

Darcy Kruitbosch

**WEBER COUNTY CONVENTION RULES**  
**19 April 2007**

**ORDER OF BUSINESS:** The order of business shall be set forth in the agenda approved by the Weber County Republican Executive Committee.

**TIME AND PLACE:** The convention will be called to order Thursday, 19 April 2007 at Ogden Preparatory Academy, Ogden, Utah. Registration 6:00 p.m., Convention begins 6:30 p.m.

<p><b><i>ANY DELEGATE NOT REGISTERED BY 6:45 p.m. WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE DURING THE CONVENTION.</i></b></p>
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**RULES AND ORDER:** All procedures, other than those specifically adopted by the Convention, shall be in accordance with Roberts Rules of Order.

**CONVENTION OFFICERS:** The officers of this Convention shall be:

Convention Chair	Matthew Bell
Convention Secretary	Debbie Deem
Rules and Order of Business	Terry Thompson
Parliamentarian	Arnold Gaunt
Credentials	Bea Cardwell
Nomination/Election	Alan McEwan
Sergeant at Arms	Sheriff Brad W. Slater
Timekeeper	Ricky Hatch

**MOTIONS:** Only duly elected delegates, convention officers, and members of the executive committee shall be eligible to make or second motions. Any Republican in attendance shall be qualified to speak to a motion, but only duly certified delegates shall be eligible to vote. A person shall be eligible to speak once to a particular motion and the time shall not exceed two (2) minutes in making, seconding, or speaking to a motion. The timekeeper will ask speakers exceeding the allotted time to relinquish the floor.

**CANDIDATE RULES:** Only registered Republicans who have properly submitted letters of candidacy shall be considered by the Convention.

**NOMINATIONS:** Any Republican attending the Convention shall be considered eligible to nominate or second the nomination of a candidate for an elected office. A nominating and seconding speech is the candidate's option but shall be considered part of the candidate's allotted time.

**CANDIDATES ALLOTTED TIME:** Three (3) minutes each

Where there is more than one candidate for an individual office, candidates will speak in alphabetical order by last name and incumbent candidates will speak last.

**BALLOTING:** Balloting procedures shall be as follows:

1. Balloting shall be by secret ballot. Unopposed candidates shall be elected by acclamation by the convention.
2. Only duly-elected, authorized and certified delegates shall be eligible to vote. The vote of a non-attending delegate is forfeited and can not be cast by an alternate.
3. Delegates shall present their credentials, obtain a ballot, vote and deposit their ballot in the ballot box.
4. Multiple Republican candidates for the same office:
  - A. A candidate for an office who receives a majority of the vote shall be the winner.
  - B. If any two candidates for the same office receive the same number of votes, the tie shall be broken by a flip of a coin by the Elections/Nominations Chair.

**CAUCUS:** Caucus areas are provided by the Republican Party for each Legislative District. Any special Interest Group will provide its own caucus room and will not be considered a part of the Convention. In caucus, any Republican shall be qualified to speak to a motion. A person shall be eligible to speak once to a particular motion.

Legislative District candidates shall be allowed three (3) minutes to speak.

**PRINTED MATERIAL:** Printed material other than those materials made available by filed candidates or their representatives, must be approved for distribution by the Convention Chair prior to the Convention, unless the material has the author's name and address on the material. The materials may be distributed to the delegates before, during, or after they erect posters, banners, or displays which comply with the regulations required for use of the building. No food or drink items (except bottled water) are allowed in the auditorium or stages area. No banners or materials may be placed on the walls of the auditorium or the stage area. Any person or candidate distributing material or erecting displays shall remove their material and displays from the building at the conclusion of the Convention. Candidates will be given additional instructions on the use of Buildings/grounds.

**PLATFORM:** The Convention shall adopt the tenets set forth in the Platform of the Republican Party.