



2016 California Delegation - Credentials Policy

We look forward to welcoming you to Cleveland for the Republican National Convention! Below you will find the California Delegation's policy for collecting your credentials to attend the convention as well as the events that are planned for the California Delegation. If you have any questions, please email delegation@cagop.org or call 916-448-9496.

Credential Pick Up Location:

Credential pick up for Delegates, Alternate Delegates and guests will be on a daily basis starting on Saturday, July 16th and ending Thursday, July 21st at the California Delegation's hotel, the Kalahari Resort in Sandusky, OH. You may pick up your credentials at the California Delegation registration desk located in the Kalahari Resort's Convention Center in the Indigo Bay room.

If you are one of the California Delegation's sponsors or part of the VIP Delegate program, your credentials will be available for pick up in the Rotunda Room at the Metropolitan at the 9 Hotel in Cleveland, OH.

If you have secured a downtown hotel through a Republican organization other than the California Delegation, such as the RNC, the Republican Women Federated, or the Trump Campaign, please email delegation@cagop.org to request that your credentials be available at the Metropolitan at the 9 Hotel each day. Delegation staff will reply when that request is confirmed.

If you are not staying at the Kalahari Resort or one of the downtown hotels with one of the groups as specified above, you must pick up your credentials at the Kalahari Resort.

Credential Pick Up Times:

The RNC encourages all delegations to have a daily pick up of convention credentials. On the days of the convention, Monday, July 18th – Thursday, July 21st, you will only be able to pick up your credentials for that specific day. You will not be able to pick up all credentials for the convention at one time.

The registration desk will be open throughout most of each day. We will be confirming the registration desk times in the coming days. We recommend picking up your credentials early in the day and not right before boarding the busses to go to the convention in order to avoid a rush of all members of the delegation picking up credentials at once.

If you have not picked up your credentials for a specific day by the time the registration desk closes, your credential will become property of the California Delegation for that day.

Who Can Pick Up Credentials:

The first time you pick up your credentials, you must arrive in person with a photo ID. If you would like to designate other individuals to pick up your credentials on the following days, you may do so at the time you pick up your first set of credentials. Our registration staff will have you complete a form at that time to designate who is authorized to pick up your credentials on following days. You may designate multiple individuals to pick up your credentials on your behalf. The person designated to pick up your credentials must show photo ID in order to retrieve your credentials on the designated days.