

2016 Republican National Convention FAQ's



1. When is the 2016 Republican National Convention?

July 18 – July 21, 2016

2. Where is the 2012 Republican National Convention?

Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland, Ohio

3. What is the purpose of the Republican National Convention?

The attending delegates at the convention will choose and nominate the Republican Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates for the 2016 Presidential Election.

4. Who can attend the Republican National Convention?

Space is very limited. As a result, only delegates, alternate delegates, federal elected officials and other invited guests will be able to attend the Republican National Convention.

5. Is there a schedule of events for the 2016 Convention?

The schedule for all official 2016 Republican National Convention events will be set by the RNC's Committee on Arrangements and is not likely to be available until summer of 2016.

6. Is there a schedule of Florida-sponsored events for the 2016 Convention?

The schedule for all Florida sponsored events is not likely to be available until summer 2016.

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7. How many delegates and alternate delegates does Florida have to the National Convention?

Florida officially has 99 delegates and 96 alternate delegates to the Republican National Convention.

8. Who is eligible to become a delegate or alternate?

All Republicans registered in Florida are eligible to run for election as a delegate or alternate to the convention. Any person who wishes to run as a delegate or alternate for their specific congressional district should contact their respective Congressional District Caucus Chair. Any person wishing to run for an at-large seat should contact George Riley at griley@rpof.org at the Republican Party of Florida.

9. How do I apply to become a delegate or alternate?

Any person who wishes to run for the position of delegate or alternate delegate must submit a signed delegate qualifying oath, in the form approved by the RPOF, available at www.florida.gop/delegatefl, to the Republican Party Florida, located at 420 East Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, Florida.

10. How are delegates chosen?

Congressional district caucuses meetings will take place between March 22, 2016 and June 3, 2016. The dates, time, place, rules, officials and eligibility requirements will be published on the Republican Party of Florida website at www.florida.gop/delegatefl.

At-large delegates and alternates will be elected by the Republican Party of Florida's Executive Board during the RPOF Spring Quarterly Meeting.

11. Does RPOF have any guest passes set aside for State Executive Committee members?

The RPOF expects a yet to be determined number of guest passes from the RNC. While no guest passes have been set aside at this time, the RPOF will make every effort to accommodate requests for guest passes from members of the State Executive Committee.

12. How do I obtain guest passes?

A guest selection process will be announced in the summer of 2016.

13. Is there a fee for attending the convention?

Although there is no fee to attend the convention itself or to be a delegate, alternate or guest to the 2016 Republican National Convention, all travel and other expenses must be covered by each attending individual. Delegates and their guests will be able to purchase RPOF special event passes allowing access to RPOF-affiliated events.

Although final pricing has not been determined at this time, the RPOF estimates that special event passes will cost approximately \$400 for delegates/alternates and \$500 for guests.