## NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR A FAIRFAX COUNTY MALE/NONBINARY MEMBER ON VIRGINIA'S EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE UNDER PARTY PLAN SECTION 6.1.

## More information about the Eighth District Committee can be found here: http://www.va8thcddems.org/about/

History: There is currently one male/nonbinary Fairfax County vacancy on the Eighth District Committee. The Eighth District Committee traditionally has confirmed members presented to it by jurisdictions filling vacancies. Each jurisdiction has its own method for filling vacancies. Fairfax County has historically filled vacancies by plurality vote of the existing 8th CD Fairfax members from among Democrats interested in the seat who file by a specified filing deadline.

The filing deadline to fill the male/nonbinary Fairfax County vacancy for registered voters in the Eighth District portion of Fairfax County will be two weeks prior to the Eighth District's regularly scheduled meeting of February 19, 2024. Candidates must file in writing with Paul Jameson, Fairfax County Member of the Eighth District Committee, no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, February 5, 2024.

Each candidate must certify that he/they is/are:

- a. Registered to vote in the 8th CD area of Fairfax County;
- b. Male or nonbinary;

c. A Democrat who believes in the principles of the Democratic Party and who will not, while serving on the Eighth District Committee, support or endorse a person who is opposed to a person who has received the Democratic nomination or endorsement for office.

The certification must also contain the candidate's residence address, e-mail, and phone number. The candidate must sign the certification. Certifications may be personally delivered to Paul Jameson (address given by request), or a scanned version of the certification may be emailed to Paul Jameson at paulwjameson@gmail.com.

Delivery by postal mail, by messenger, via office drop-off or any other method is not sufficient unless Paul Jameson actually personally receives the filing by the deadline. Successful transmission of the certification is solely the responsibility of the candidate. Paul Jameson in his sole discretion may reject a certification on the ground that the certification is false or incomplete, or was not received by the deadline.

If only one candidate has filed an acceptable certification that has been received by the deadline, the vote will be canceled and that candidate will be declared the Committee's endorsee to fill the vacancy. Otherwise, the Fairfax delegation has determined that it will make a recommendation to the full Eight District Committee on Monday, February 19, 2024, using the following process:

On Monday, February 12, 2024, the candidates who duly filed by 5:00 p.m. on February 5, 2024 and the Eighth District Fairfax members will gather at 6:45 p.m. via Zoom at which time the candidates can meet the Fairfax members.

At 7:00 p.m., the Eighth District's Fairfax members will hear one-minute Candidate Statements from all Fairfax candidates. Each candidate will speak in alphabetical order to the assembled Eighth District Fairfax members. Candidate presentations will be limited to verbal speeches without additional audio / visual materials or demonstrations.

Voting: At the conclusion of the one-minute Candidate Statements, the candidates will drop off the meeting, and the Eighth District's Fairfax members will discuss and vote to recommend one of the candidates.

The name of the filed candidate who received the most votes from the Fairfax Eighth District members will be presented for confirmation to the full Eighth District Committee Membership Meeting on February 19, 2024.

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