

A resolution to Demand Immediate Compliance with SCGOP Rule 4(c)(6)6 by the SCGOP State Executive Committee.

Whereas, Rule 4(c)(6) states, (6) Each precinct shall have one delegate for every twenty-five (25) members and major fraction thereof, based upon the number of votes polled in the first primary of the preceding general election year or based upon the number of votes for presidential electors at the last preceding general election thereof from the precinct as determined by the State Executive Committee. All precinct representation shall be based on the same election. An equal number of alternates may also be elected, and

Whereas, the plain reading of the rule indicates only two (2) options for the determination of precinct delegate count calculation offered to the SC Republican Party Executive Committeemen from which to choose, and

Whereas, Rule 4(c)(6) offers either the option of calculating delegates by the number of voters per precinct that participated in the Presidential Preference Primary of 2024 OR the option to use the total republican vote of the presidential election of 2024, and

Whereas, no third or fourth option is offered especially any option involving democrat party voters or those who voted for democrats, and

Whereas, the State Convention of 2022 left only two options with NO discretionary authority to the State Executive Committee and all power of the same comes from the State Convention residing in the authority of the County Party's state delegates, and

Whereas, the vote taken at the State Executive Committee meeting of Tuesday, December 17th, was for an option not authorized by Rule 4(c)(6) and in direct violation thereof, and

Whereas, the SC Republican Party Chairman, Drew McKissick, did allow a vote of the committee that violated the SCGOP Rules, and

Whereas, the SCGOP Rules Committee this past year has called for the enforcement of the SCGOP Rules on its own without a vote from the State Executive Committee only the assent of the State Party Chairman, and

Whereas, the State Executive Committeemen are not endued in State Law, **SECTIONS 7-9-70**, with any authority to overrule a State Party Convention, and

Whereas, no certified political party of the state of South Carolina can have any integrity if it violates the statutory authority of said party, the County Party State delegations as assembled at State Convention, SC Code **SECTION 7-9-100**, and

Whereas, the offending party in the rule violation is the state executive committee itself, and

Whereas, any act by the State Executive Committee or State Party Chair that violates South Carolina law or SC Republican Party Rules is necessarily null and void,

Therefore, be it resolved that the Republican County Party of _____ does hereby declare that the vote taken Tuesday, December 17th the Year of our Lord 2024, to choose an illegal option to calculate the precinct delegate count to be nullified and do call for a special meeting of the SC Republican Party Executive Committee to vote to pick one of the two options Rule 4(c)(6) as soon as possible and report the decision publicly via email to all persons receiving "SCGOP" emails. We do further demand that the State Executive Committee confine itself in future, to the end of their tenure as committeemen in April, to the limited authority granted them by the South Carolina Republican Party State Convention Delegation of 2022 by complying with all rules of the party.