

2021 WAKE COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY CONVENTION

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COS WAKE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA 2021 GOP PARTY PLATFORM RESOLUTION

Whereas the Founders of our Constitution empowered State Legislators to be guardians of liberty against future abuses of power by the federal government, and

Whereas the federal government has increasingly usurped legitimate roles of the states; and

Whereas the federal government has created a crushing national debt through improper and imprudent spending, and

Whereas the federal government has invaded the legitimate roles of the states through the manipulative process of federal mandates, most of which are unfunded to a great extent, and

Whereas the federal government has ceased to live under a proper interpretation of the Constitution of the United States, and

Whereas it is the solemn duty of the states to protect freedom and opportunity for our citizens, including the generations to come, and

Whereas Article V of the Constitution of the United States authorizes a process to propose amendments to the United States Constitution through a convention of the states to place clear restraints on these and related abuses of power,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Republican Party of WAKE County, North Carolina will support the legislature of the State of North Carolina in petitioning the US Congress to call a Convention of States to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States that impose fiscal restraints on the federal government, limit the power and jurisdiction of the federal government, and limit the terms of office for its officials and for members of Congress and will urge both chambers of the North Carolina legislature to pass such an application in the current (2021) session of the NC Legislature.

Current House Joint Resolution HJR 233 has been filed and is in committee for review.

Sponsors:	Riddell; Bell; Hardister; Saine (Primary) K. Baker; Blackwell; Bradford; Brisson; Brody; Claspitt; Davis; Gillespie; Greene; K. Hall; Humphrey; Lambeth; McElraft; McNeely; McNeill; Miller; Moffitt; Moore; Muss; Penny; Potts; Rogers; Seaton; Sauls; Setzer; C. Smith; Strickland; Szoka; White; Willis; Yarborough; Zenger
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