



Date: 2026-June-4

To: Person County Republican Party members

From: Person County Republican Party

Subject: **PCGOP Executive Committee Shrinks**

On 2026-May-7, the NCGOP's Arbitration Committee (AC) issued a decree saying:

(6) Person County GOP shall operate under their County Plan of Organization adopted at the 2025 Person County Convention where not inconsistent with the 2024 NCGOP State Plan of Organization;

The NCGOP's conclusion #6 (quoted above), means that the Arbitration Committee did **NOT** mandate that the PCGOP resume using **ALL** sections of the PCGOP's Plan of Organization, but to resume using **ONLY** the particular sections which are **CONSISTENT WITH** the NCGOP's Plan of Organization.

In the PCGOP's "Plan of Organization 2022 (and 2024)", it is stated that the 11 PCGOP Precinct Chairmen and Past PCGOP Chair were part of the Person County GOP Executive Committee, but these have been **INCONSISTENT WITH** the NCGOP's current Plan of Organization. Since the NCGOP's AC's decree mandates Person County is to operate with a consistent county Plan of Organization moving forward, membership of the Person County GOP Executive Committee (PCGOP CEC) has changed. The PCGOP CEC membership aligns identically with the NCGOP Plan of Organization and no longer includes the 12 roles!

In addition, the same NCGOP AC's decree asserts:

(2) Kathy Lawrence is the Chair of Person County GOP

Summary: PCGOP Precinct chairmen are **NOT** members of the Person County GOP Executive Committee, and therefore have **NO** right to vote in meetings of the Person County GOP Executive Committee – and Chairwoman Lawrence¹ is still in office.

1. https://person.nc.gop/executive_board