



## Beaufort County Republican Party Meeting Rules

Members and guests are required to adhere to generally-accepted standards of good decorum, as well as the party's rules<sup>1</sup> during meetings sponsored by the BCRP. Ground rules for meeting attendees include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Civility – Treat each other in a civil manner at all times
2. Courtesy – Give speakers your full attention, courtesy and respect during their address and Q&A; turn off cell phones and minimize private conversations
3. Order – Speakers from the floor must be recognized by the moderator before stating questions
4. Issues only – Focus and deliberate on issues, not personalities
5. Decency – No profanity, disrespectful comments, personal threats, intimidating actions or name calling will be tolerated, and offenders will be asked to leave
6. Private – The BCRP is a private organization and its meetings are private in nature; no audio or video taping is permitted within the meeting facilities; only the BCRP may make and distribute recordings or minutes; unauthorized materials may not be distributed
7. Attendance – All qualified attendees must be signed-in or credentialed (business meetings) prior to entering the meeting room; participants should remain seated, and roll call will be taken at business meetings
8. Respect - Be respectful of the program and moderator so the meeting can be run smoothly; topics not on the agenda may not be entertained

The presiding officer or Parliamentarian will make the final determination during the meeting on issues related to compliance with these meeting rules.

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<sup>1</sup> Rules of the Beaufort County Republican Party of South Carolina, adopted April 1, 2023