

**REPUBLICAN PARTY OF MINNESOTA**  
**RESOLUTIONS FORM**  
FEBRUARY 6, 2018 PRECINCT CAUCUS

**STEPS TO CHANGE THE PLATFORM of the REPUBLICAN PARTY of MINNESOTA:**

- Resolutions that are passed at the **Precinct Caucus** will be forwarded to the **2018 BPOU Convention**. **The BPOU Convention votes on these Resolutions, requiring a simple majority to pass.**
- Resolutions that are passed at the **BPOU Convention** are then forwarded to the **2018 Congressional District Convention** where they are voted on; a simple majority is required to pass.
- Resolutions that are passed at the **Congressional District Convention** will then be forwarded to the **2018 State Convention** where they are voted on; where once again a simple majority is required to pass.
- Resolutions that are passed at the **2018 State Convention** are incorporated into the **Standing Platform** of the **Republican Party of Minnesota**.

*You may wish to review the Standing Platform of the Republican Party of Minnesota before writing your proposed Resolution. You may submit a Resolution to change some of the words in the current Standing Platform, or to add something new.*

The Caucus Convener will tell you when the Resolutions will be discussed. *For each Resolution a maximum 5 minute discussion, pro and con alternately, will follow. A vote will take place and if passed, this Resolution will be forwarded to the BPOU Convention. Give the Resolution to the Secretary after voting.*

*I move that this precinct caucus support the following Resolution: (Continue on back to page if space is needed.)*

The Minnesota Legislature shall create a statewide program that provides guidance and annual financial support  
in the form of matching funds to reduce the fiscal burden and liability on local governments due to the emerald  
ash borer, (EAB) an invasive species that will decimate a significant portion of the trees that grow along our  
roadways, parks and yards in our communities. This matching grant program will assist communities with the  
management of this pest, thereby reducing the significant cost and liability of inaction. Using sound science  
principles, the costs of managing this pest can be spread out over time reducing pressure on individual  
municipal budgets.

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

BPOU: \_\_\_\_\_ Precinct: \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION: Passed: \_\_\_\_\_ Defeated: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary's signature: \_\_\_\_\_