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1. CD2 and State Convention Seating

In the absence of any delegate to the CD2 or State Convention, an alternate shall be seated for that delegate only during the delegate's absence from the floor. The procedure for seating alternates or filling vacancies for these Conventions shall be as follows: Alternates are seated by ranked order from the House District in which they reside, all alternates registered and present from a House District with a delegate vacancy must be seated before an alternate from the other House district in SD58 may be cross-seated into the vacancy.

2. SD 58 Recommendation Process and Guidelines

Senate District 58 GOP, being the local unity (BPOU) of the Republican Party in this area, is responsible for getting Endorsed Republican candidates elected to partisan office. In addition to this primary responsibility, SD 58 may wish to assist candidates that support our platform in their race for local non-partisan office. While we do not Endorse candidates for non-partisan office, we may provide them with the official Recommendation of the Party and confer on them many of the resources that go with a traditional Endorsement. These resources may include: access to Republican Party lists, participation in door-knocking and lit drops, and inclusion on sample ballots and promotional materials. It is the sole discretion of the Executive Committee of Senate District 58 to determine whether a Recommendation is issued for a particular office.

3. List Agreements

Senate District 58 of the Republican Party of Minnesota has prepared for Republican candidates for public office a uniform list of delegates and alternates elected at the precinct caucuses, including contact information. This list will be made available to candidates under the following conditions:

1. The Republican candidate must have properly registered with the Minnesota Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board a principal campaign committee for election to a specific political office in the current year for which some or all of the residents of SD58 are eligible to vote; and
2. The candidate must sign, date and deliver to SD58 a copy of the most recent version of the SD58 Data Confidentiality Agreement, including an express agreement that such list will be used only for the purpose of campaigning for such specific office.