

A Resolution Demanding That Judges Are Allowed To Endorse In A Court Equal To Or Lower Than Their Own

WHEREAS, the Texas Code for Judicial Conduct, Canon 5, does not allow judges to authorize the public use of his or her name endorsing another candidate for any public office; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Judiciary should never be placed in a position whereas the public doubts the competence and/or fidelity of the Texas Judiciary; and

WHEREAS, Judges currently do not have the opportunity to endorse candidates in races which would better help ensure competent candidates and increase the confidence of the public; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, in accordance with of the Rules of the Republican Party of Texas, the Executive Committee of the Republican Party of [.] County, meeting March 5, 2024, a quorum being present, by a vote of at least two-thirds present and voting, hereby request that all judges be allowed to endorse a candidate equal to or lower than their own court, to be able to show confidence in a candidate running for public office.