

# BALLOT ORDER

D = Democratic Party of Virginia

R = Republican Party of Virginia

C = Constitution of Virginia

L = Libertarian Party of Virginia

G = Green Party of Virginia

IG = Independent Green Party of Virginia

I = Independent

Virginia Code §24.2-613.B provides that political party identification be shown on the ballot ONLY for federal, statewide and General Assembly candidates. It does not appear on the ballot for any other candidate.

Virginia Code §24.2-613.C provides that, "...the State Board shall determine by lot the order of the political parties... 'recognized political parties' shall be treated as a class; the order of the recognized political parties within the class shall be determined by lot by the State Board; and the class shall follow the political parties as defined by § 24.2-101 and precede the independent class."

**Effective July 1, 2017**, Virginia Code §24.2-613.C provides that independent candidates are to "appear on the ballot in an order determined by the priority of time of filing all required paperwork for the office. In the event two or more candidates file simultaneously, the order of filing shall then be determined by lot by the electoral board..."