

Salt Lake County Republican Party
Standing Rule #1
Regarding Vacancies among State Central Committee Representatives
Passed March 17th, 2007

Whenever a vacancy arises from any cause among the State Central Committee county representatives, the vacated position shall be filled as follows:

1. It shall be offered immediately to the next highest eligible vote recipient from the list of candidates who ran for the same position at the last County Organizing Convention.¹
2. In the case of a tie, the choice between those tied shall be made by a coin toss in the presence of those candidates. The winner of the coin toss shall be the first to be offered the position, and the loser(s) shall become the next person(s) on the list.
3. If no candidates remain from the list of those who ran at the last County Organizing Convention, the County Central Committee shall, upon proper advance notice of a regular or special meeting, fill the vacancy by a majority election.

¹ If someone is elected to the state central committee at the county convention, but they also qualify as an “automatic” state central committee member, they may take their “automatic” position, and allow the “next highest eligible vote recipient” to step on to the committee. Should an “automatic” member lose their “automatic” status for any reason, and they were elected at the county convention with more vote totals than the lowest member from S.L. County, that previously automatic member shall take the place of the lowest member, and the lowest member will continue as the “next highest eligible vote recipient.” A member of the state central committee who has specifically resigned as a state central committee member, however, will no longer be deemed an “eligible vote recipient.”