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Republicans nominate delegates to state convention



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LOCAL DELEGATES — Connie Forbes (left) and Suzanne Sharpe are two of 31 Wise County Republican delegates that will attend the party's state convention in Dallas.

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The Wise County Republican Convention was March 19 in the 271st district courtroom of the Wise County Courthouse in Decatur.

Wise County Party Chair Allen Williamson was elected chairman of the county convention. Vice Chairman Eric Marney was elected chair of the Organization and the Nominations Committees, Wise County Judge J.D. Clark was elected chair of the Resolutions Committee and former Wise County Chair D.A. Sharpe was elected chair of the Rules Committee.

Thirty-one delegates were

elected to represent Wise County at the state convention in May. The quota for delegates and alternate delegates are determined by a formula based on the number of votes cast for the Republican candidate in the most recent governor's election.

Twenty-two resolutions were presented, and 17 were approved to be forwarded to the state convention. Five were declined or consolidated with an approved resolution.

The Republican Party State Convention is May 12-14 at the Kay Bailey Hutcheson Civic Center in Dallas.