



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** A resolution recognizing January 16, 2023 as Religious Freedom Day

**Presenter:**  
Wayne Williams, Councilmember At Large

**Sponsors:**

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Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
1/10/2023	1	City Council	adopted	Pass

A Resolution recognizing January 16, 2023 as Religious Freedom Day

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**Summary:**

On January 16, 1786, the Virginia General Assembly adopted Thomas Jefferson’s landmark Virginia Statue for Religious Freedom. This statue later became the catalyst for the establishment clause in the First Amendment to the United States Constitution.

**Background:**

N/A

**Previous Council Action:**

N/A

**Financial Implications:**

N/A

**City Council Appointed Board/Commission/Committee Recommendation:**

N/A

**Stakeholder Process:**

N/A

**Alternatives:**

N/A

**Proposed Motion:**

Approve a Resolution recognizing January 16, 2023 as Religious Freedom Day

N/A