Summary


Title:  Testimonial extending the public thanks and presenting the freedom of the city to Andrew Hamilton

Date:  1735

Size:  .1 linear feet

Abstract:  Testimonial extending the public thanks and presenting the freedom of the city to Andrew Hamilton for his "generous Defence of the Rights of Mankind and the Liberty of the Press in the Case of John Peter Zenger." Document is signed by clerk Will Sharpas "By order of the Common Council."

Access:  Advance notice required.

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Key Terms

Subjects
Freedom of the press -- New York (State)

Genre/Physical Characteristic
Testimonials

Names
New York (N.Y.). Common Council
Hamilton, Andrew, approximately 1676-1741
Sharpas, Will.
Zenger, John Peter, 1697-1746