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Guide to the

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

1735

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## Summary

**Creator:** New York (N.Y.). Common Council

**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."

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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

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Sharpas, Will.

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Zenger, John Peter, 1697-1746