

# RICHMOND CITY CORPORATION

## DECLARATION DAY OF PRAYER IN UTAH

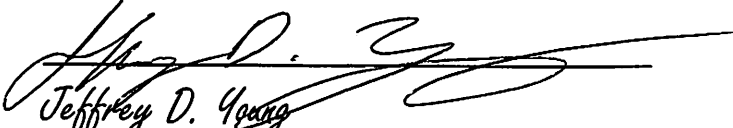
*Whereas, prayer is a fundamental part of our national heritage, with the first National Day of Prayer proclaimed by the Continental Congress in 1775;*

*Whereas, in 1783, the conclusion of the Revolutionary War marked a temporary end to the National Day of Prayer;*

*Whereas, reinstated as an annual observance by members of Congress in 1952, the National Day of Prayer has become a unifying force for American citizens representing diverse religious backgrounds; and*

*Whereas, this nation has traditionally sought Divine guidance as it charted what has become the path of American history;*

*Now, Therefore, I, Jeffrey D. Young, Mayor of Richmond, Utah, do support Gary R. Herbert, Governor of the State of Utah, in his Declaration of May 4, 2017, as  
A Day of Prayer in Utah*

  
Jeffrey D. Young  
Mayor

