

Morgan County Government

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Morgan County is a community where God is honored, where our children are safe and well educated, and where hard working, industrious citizens have ample opportunity for good jobs.

Resolution Calling Upon The Governor of the Great State of Tennessee and The Tennessee General Assembly to do Whatever is Necessary to protect the Freedom of Expression Rights of Traditional Bible Believing Christians.

WHEREAS, the Governor of Tennessee is to protect and defend the Tennessee Constitution and the Constitution of the United States of America from enemies both foreign and domestic.

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of Tennessee have pledged to protect and defend the Tennessee Constitution and the Constitution of the United States of America from enemies both foreign and domestic.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Governor and the Tennessee Assemblymen are to institute laws which will cause their citizens to prosper and flourish and,

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Governor and the Tennessee Assemblymen are to create laws for the protection of their citizens' life and property and,

WHEREAS, many Christians hold to a literal belief in what the Bible teaches concerning marriage and,

WHEREAS, according to the literal teaching of the Bible, marriage is to be between one man and one woman and,

WHEREAS, the 6,000 + year history of human civilization has held that marriage is to be only between men and women and,

WHEREAS, seeing the United States Supreme Court has ruled that homosexual marriage to be the law of the land in the United States of America and,

WHEREAS, according to the 10th Amendment of the United States Constitution, this is an area of law reserved exclusively to the states,

THEREFORE, the Morgan County Legislative Body meeting on June 30 in the year of our Lord 2015, do petition the Honorable Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee and the Honorable Beth Harwell, Speaker of the House of Tennessee Representatives and the Honorable Ron Ramsey, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the Tennessee Senate to institute, create, establish, order, and command the laws, regulations, and executive orders that are necessary to preserve, protect, and defend Tennessee citizens from the oppressive and repressive restrictions handed down from the federal judiciary which abrogates their right to believe and act on a literal belief in the Bible's teaching on Marriage. These laws, regulations, and executive orders must allow that belief to have free expression in every aspect of the lives of Tennessee citizens both public and private without fear of repercussions from neither criminal nor civil prosecution.

**Don Edwards, Morgan County Executive,
Commission Chairman**

Date

Cheryl Collins, Morgan County Clerk

Date