Speaking Points

Paid Holidays
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Purpose:

This ordinance is to repeal current Toledo Municipal Code Section 2101.37; and enacting a new Toledo Municipal Code Section 2101.37; and declaring an emergency.

Background:

Toledo Municipal Code Chapter 2101 governs the terms and conditions of employment for the City of Toledo's Classified and Executive Exempt employees. Specifically, TMC 2101.37 states the paid holidays for those employees.

Most of these holidays conform with the holidays recognized by the Federal Government for its employees.

Recognizing that Juneteenth (June 19th) was recently declared a Federal, State and local holiday, and recognizing Columbus Day has been re-named Indigenous People's Day for many states and local jurisdictions, the City wishes to also conform to current time.

This ordinance repeals Sections 2010.27, Paid Holidays and enacts a new Toledo Municipal Code Section 2101.37 to replace Good Friday with Juneteenth and change the name of Columbus Day to Indigenous People's Day.