

NATIONAL FREEDOM DAY SPEAKERS

YEAR	SPEAKER	PLACE
1997	Council President John F. Street, City of Philadelphia	First District Plaza
1998	Mr. W. Cody Anderson, President and CEO of WHAT Radio	First District Plaza
1999	Ms. Jannie Blackwell, Councilwoman, City of Philadelphia	First District Plaza
2000	Dr. Charles J. Elmore, Professor, Savannah State College	First District Plaza
2001	Reverend Dr. Alyn Errick Waller, Enon Tabernacle Baptist Church	First District Plaza
2002	Mr. Robert Sorrell, President, Urban League of Philadelphia	First District Plaza
2003	Reverend William "Rocky" Brown Bethany Baptist Church,	First District Plaza
2004	Ms. Jannie Blackwell, Councilwoman, City of Philadelphia	First District Plaza
2005	Reverend Dr. Keith W. Reed, Sr., Sharon Baptist Church,	First District Plaza
2006	Reverend Ellis. I. Washington, Pastor, St. Matthew A.M.E. Church	First District Plaza
2007	Reverend Martha A. Lang, Mt. Tabor A.M.E. Church	First District Plaza
2008	Mr. Donald Scott Sr, Community College of Philadelphia.	First District Plaza
2009	Representative Cherelle L. Parker, Philadelphia	First District Plaza
2010	Reverend Dr. Leslie D. Callahan, Pastor, St. Paul Baptist Church	First District Plaza
2011	Reverend James P. Baker Jr., Pastor, Morris Brown AME Church	First District Plaza
2012	Dr. Delores Wright, Science Educator, Chester Upland School District	First District Plaza
2013	Mr. R. Seth Williams, District Attorney, City of Philadelphia	First District Plaza
2014	Dr. Cheryl Davenport Dozier, President of Savannah State University	First District Plaza
2015	Reverend Dr. W. Wilson Goode, President and CEO of Amachi, Inc.	First District Plaza
2016	Bishop Gregory G. M. Ingram, A.M.E. Church, First District	First District Plaza
2017	Reverend Marshall Paul Hughes Mitchell, Pastor Salem Baptist Church of Jenkintown, PA	Hilton, City Avenue
2018	Dr. Delores Wright, Science Educator, Chester Upland School District	Hilton, City Avenue
2019	Reverend Vernon R. Byrd, Jr., Pastor, St. Matthew A.M.E. Church	Hilton, City Avenue
2020	Dr. Delores Wright, Science Educator, Chester Upland School District	Hilton, City Avenue
2021	Richard Robert Wright, IV, J.D. Esq, Great Grandson of Pres. R. R. Wright, Sr.	Virtual
2022	Dr. Kenneth Scott, President and CEO of Beech Companies	Hilton, City Avenue
2023	Darlene V. Miller, Chief - Adult Probation and Parole Department of Philadelphia County, PA	Hilton, City Avenue