

**Modernised Transcript of Petition of the Inhabitants of Halford in
Opposition to Catholic Emancipation, DR 362/102/1**

To the Honourable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in Parliament assembled.

The Humble Petition of the Minister, Churchwardens and other Inhabitants of the Parish of Halford in the County of Warwick sheweth that your petitioners are strongly attached to the Protestant Constitution of this Realm and are sensible of the blessings they have enjoyed under its influence & protection.

That your petitioners have heard with sorrow and alarm that it has been proposed to make certain essential alterations in the said Protestant Constitution.

Your petitioners therefore humbly intreat your Honourable House not to consent to any measure by which greater power in the state would be granted to the Roman Catholics but that you would preserve our Protestant Establishment entire and unimpaired –

And your petitioners shall ever pray

March 9th 1829