004730708 1 **HOUSE BILL NO. 971 2 3** Offered January 24, 2000 A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 18.2-487.1, relating to 4 presentation of flags. 5 Patrons—Day, Barlow, Baskerville and Hull 6 7 8 Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice 9 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 10 1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 18.2-487.1, as follows: § 18.2-487.1. Presentation. No person, group of persons, entity or locality shall prohibit or restrict: 11 12 1. Property owner placement of freestanding flagpoles or building mounted flagpoles on private 13 property; or 14 2. Presentation of flags of patriotic historical commemoration of the military history of the 15 Commonwealth and United States, including all engagements of all wars and conflicts.