2019 - 2020 Seattle City Council Statement of Legislative Intent

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Budget Action Title: Request that ARTS, DON, DPR, and OIR participate in creation of principles to

review of memorials, plaques, and artwork on City-owned land referencing,

honoring, or displaying Native American culture

Ongoing: No

Primary Sponsor: Bagshaw, Sally

Councilmembers: Juarez; Mosqueda; Sawant

Staff Analyst: Asha Venkataraman

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Statement of Legislative Intent:

This Statement of Legislative Intent (SLI) requests the Office of Arts and Culture (ARTS), the Department of Neighborhoods (DON), the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR), and the Office of Intergovernmental Relations (OIR) to provide input on and participate in the creation of a set of principles that the City will apply to review the appropriateness of memorials, plaques, and artwork on City owned land referencing, honoring, or displaying Native American culture.

This set of principles will be created in the Civic Development, Public Assets & Native Communities Committee with input from community members including, but not limited to, tribal leaders, historic preservation and arts advocates, the Seattle Arts Commission, and the Board of Park Commissioners. The goal will be to work with Native Communities regarding art work, plaques, memorials, or other displays owned or placed on city owned land as they are identified.

Parks will be encouraged to take action as recommended by the committee.

Responsible Council Committee(s): Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee

Date Due to Council: