



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

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Title: AN ORDINANCE related to the Municipal Arts Fund; amending Section 20.32.050 of the Seattle Municipal Code to allow for expenditures related to public art maintenance; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

Date

Notes:

Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: Herbold

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

Attachments:

Drafter: adam.schaefer@seattle.gov

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Legal Notice Published:

Yes

No

Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	05/31/2016	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	Mayor			
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was Mayor's leg transmitted to Council. to the Mayor						
	Notes:						
1	City Clerk	05/31/2016	sent for review	Council President's Office			
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office						
	Notes:						
1	Council President's Office	06/03/2016	sent for review	Civil Rights, Utilities, Economic Development, and Arts Committee			
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Civil Rights, Utilities, Economic Development, and Arts Committee						
	Notes:						

- 1 Full Council 07/05/2016 referred Civil Rights, Utilities, Economic Development, and Arts Committee
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was referred. to the Civil Rights, Utilities, Economic Development, and Arts Committee
Notes:
- 1 Civil Rights, Utilities, Economic Development, and Arts Committee 07/22/2016 pass Pass
Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council pass the Council Bill (CB).
Notes:
In Favor: 2 Chair Herbold, Member O'Brien
Opposed: 0
- 1 Full Council 08/01/2016 passed Pass
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:
Notes:
In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember Burgess, Councilmember González , Council President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold, Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant
Opposed: 0
- 1 City Clerk 08/02/2016 submitted for Mayor Mayor's signature
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was submitted for Mayor's signature. to the Mayor
Notes:
- 1 Mayor 08/03/2016 Signed
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was Signed.
Notes:
- 1 Mayor 08/03/2016 returned City Clerk
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned. to the City Clerk
Notes:
- 1 City Clerk 08/03/2016 attested by City Clerk
Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.
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CITY OF SEATTLE

ORDINANCE 125094

COUNCIL BILL 118719

AN ORDINANCE related to the Municipal Arts Fund; amending Section 20.32.050 of the Seattle Municipal Code to allow for expenditures related to public art maintenance; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

WHEREAS, the Office of Arts and Culture (“Arts”) is the administrator of the Municipal Arts Fund (MAF), which primarily supports public art investment in The City of Seattle (“City”) via the One Percent for Art program; and

WHEREAS, Section 20.32.050 of the Seattle Municipal Code places limitations on the MAF’s support for conservation and maintenance of public art investments regardless of the funding source; and

WHEREAS, this limitation affects the City’s ability to account for revenue and spending related to this function within the Arts MAF financial plan; and

WHEREAS, Arts, in prior years, has spent directly from the Cumulative Reserve Subfund - Unrestricted (CRS-U) Budget Control Level to provide maintenance; and

WHEREAS, direct spending from a funding source BCL is not the preferred method for spending, as it tracks workload outside of the assigned department’s financials; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 Adopted Budget provided an appropriation in Arts from the MAF, assumed a contribution of CRS-U revenue to the MAF, and created a new program to track maintenance of public arts investments in Arts for transparency purposes; and

WHEREAS, a technical change to the Seattle Municipal Code concerning the MAF is necessary to be consistent with the 2016 Adopted Budget; and

1 WHEREAS, this action does not change appropriation or funding to Arts in 2016 or future years:
2 it changes the way expenditures and revenues are tracked for accounting and budget
3 purposes; NOW, THEREFORE,

4 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:**

5 Section 1. Section 20.32.050 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance
6 124539, is amended as follows:

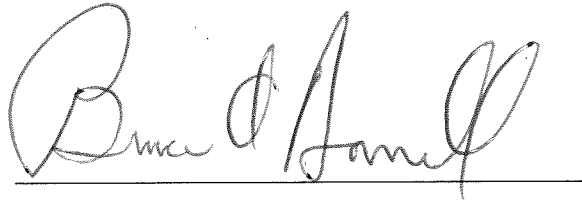
7 **20.32.050 - Municipal Arts Fund**

8 There is established in the City Treasury a special fund designated "Municipal Arts
9 Fund" into which shall be deposited funds appropriated as contemplated by Section 20.32.030,
10 together with such other funds as the City Council shall appropriate for works of art, ~~((and from~~
11 ~~which expenditures))~~ Expenditures may be made from this fund for the acquisition and
12 exhibition of works of art consistent with the plan specified in subsection 20.32.040.A, and for
13 Office of Arts and Culture staff costs and administrative costs (as defined in ~~((subsection~~
14 ~~20.32.020.F))~~ Section 20.32.020) that are associated with developing and implementing the
15 Municipal Arts Plan ~~((, but not))~~ including the cost of maintaining City-owned ~~((art work))~~
16 artwork, which maintenance cost may be paid from the Cumulative Reserve Subfund or such
17 other eligible source(s) as may be specified by ordinance. Separate accounts shall be established
18 within the Municipal Arts Fund to segregate receipts by source or, when so directed by the City
19 Council, for specific works of art. Disbursements from such fund shall be made in connection
20 with projects approved by the Seattle Arts Commission on vouchers approved by the Director of
21 the Office of Arts and Culture.

22 Section 2. Ratify and Confirm. Any act consistent with the authority of this ordinance
23 taken prior to its effective date is ratified and confirmed.

1 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by
2 the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it
3 shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

4 Passed by the City Council the 1st day of August, 2016, and
5 signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 1st day of
6 August, 2016.

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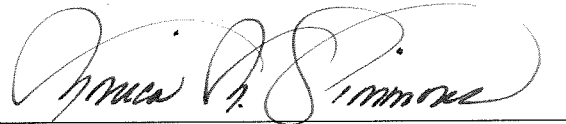
8 President _____ of the City Council

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10 Approved by me this 3rd day of July, 2016. August EBM

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13 Edward B. Murray, Mayor

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16 Filed by me this 3rd day of August, 2016.

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18 Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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