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January 22, 1990  
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INTRODUCED BY: Cynthia Sullivan

PROPOSED NO.: 90-152

MOTION NO. 7810

A MOTION designating January 28, 1990  
as Mark Tobey Day in King County.

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey is a world renowned artist who made  
Seattle his home for nearly thirty years, and

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey exhibited his works in the Metropolitan  
Museum of Art in New York, the Louvre in Paris, the Smithsonian  
Museum in Washington, D.C. and in many major art museums all over  
Europe, and

WHEREAS Mark Tobey was a major figure in contemporary American  
and European Art during the mid-20th Century, and

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey's art brought worldwide attention to the  
art of the Pacific Northwest, and

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey was one of the first Pike Place Market  
artists in the 1940's, and

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey returned to Seattle from Europe to help  
save the Pike Place Market in the early 1960's, and

WHEREAS, Mark Tobey passed away in 1976;

WHEREAS, the Foster White Gallery is having an exhibition of  
Mark Tobey's works in celebration of the 100th anniversary of his  
birth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

January 28, 1990 shall be designated as Mark Tobey Day in King  
County.

PASSED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 19 90.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North  
Chair

ATTEST:

Job Crawford II  
Clerk of the Council