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INTRODUCED BY: BRUCE LAING

PROPOSED NO: 91 - 337

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4 MOTION NO. 8298

5 A MOTION approving projects for the Arts and  
6 Cultural Tourism and Enrichment Program and  
7 the Opportunity Grants Program from funds  
8 appropriated to the Cultural Development Fund

9 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission is authorized by Ordinance  
10 9279 to administer projects in the cultural development fund, and

11 WHEREAS, the King County cultural resources division received 102  
12 applications requesting \$1,788,901 for the first round of funding in 1991, and

13 WHEREAS, two peer panels of arts and heritage professionals and  
14 community representatives reviewed the applications and made recommendations  
15 to the cultural resources division, and

16 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission and landmarks commission  
17 recommend funding 28 projects in the total amount of \$261,000, and

18 WHEREAS, the recommendations for project funding adhere to the guidelines  
19 approved by the King County council in Motion 7955;

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

21 The following recommendations from the King County cultural resources  
22 division for funding cultural development fund projects as described below are  
23 hereby approved:

24 **A. Arts and Cultural Tourism and Enrichment Grants**

25 **1. Arts Projects \$84,360**

26 Empty Space Theatre \$35,000 for the production of two one-act plays, *A*  
27 *Movie Star Has to Star in Black and White* and *The Owl Answers* by African  
28 American playwright Adrienne Kennedy and directed by nationally acclaimed  
29 Joseph Chaikin, founder and director of the Open Theatre.

30 One Reel/Bumbershoot \$10,000 for World Music at Bumbershoot at Memorial  
31 Stadium during Labor Day weekend.

32 Langston Hughes Cultural Arts Center \$4,000 for "Chipupugwendere"--the  
33 African Harvest Festival featuring the Liberian Dance Troupe from San Francisco  
and local Liberian music and dance performances.

1 Seattle Opera Association \$20,000 for summer performances of Wagner's  
2 *Ring* at the Seattle Opera House.

3 League of Fringe Theaters \$15,360 for the second annual Fringe Theater  
4 Festival.

5 **1. Heritage projects \$21,100**

6 The Center for Wooden Boats \$7,100 to restore, preserve and interpret  
7 historic small craft built in King County.

8 Tolt Historical Society \$3,000 for publication of a self guided historical  
9 walking tour of Carnation.

10 Snoqualmie Valley Historical Society \$6,000 for publication of guide to  
11 heritage sites in the Snoqualmie Valley.

12 Ethnic Heritage Council \$5,000 for Worldfest, an ethnic cultural heritage  
13 festival featuring traditional craft displays, demonstrations and performances at  
14 Northgate Mall.

15 **B. Opportunity Grants**

16 **1. Arts Projects \$124,432**

17 Artist Trust \$8,500 for GAP Program which supports projects by King County  
18 Independent Artists.

19 Performance Support Services \$15,000 for Foundation for Choreographers  
20 currently supporting Llory Wilson, Long Nguyen, Bob Davidson, Wade Madsen and  
21 Jeff Bickford.

22 Annex Theatre \$4,000 for *Thirteen Women*, a production of a new work with a  
23 cast of 13 local, multicultural actresses of diverse ages, directed by Ted Sod.

24 Alice B. Theatre \$11,500 for a county-wide tour of *In My Father's Bed*, a one-  
25 woman show by Randa Downs about incest.

26 Adefua African Music and Dance Company \$3,800 for youth workshop and  
27 performance project for Yesler Terrace and Rainier Vista Housing Communities at  
28 Rainier Vista Boys and Girls Club.

29 Langston Hughes Advisory Council \$18,500 for marketing campaign for the  
30 first Langston Hughes subscription season.

31 South East Effective Development (SEED) \$5,000 for Blues-In-The-Park  
32 Festival at Seward Park with free music performances by artists from the Mississippi  
33 Delta Blues Mobile Program.

1           The Pat Graney Company \$14,000 for performances of *Sax House*, a  
2 collaborative new work with choreographer Pat Graney and her company and  
3 composer Amy Denio and the Billy Tipton Memorial Saxophone Quartet.

4           Center On Contemporary Art \$5,000 for the "Ad Hoc Program Development  
5 Fund" presenting artist initiated projects that are not part of the season's gallery  
6 exhibits. Projects will take place in public non-traditional settings.

7           International Festival of Films by Women Directors \$8,000 for the 6th  
8 International Festival and visiting filmmakers, lecturers and workshop leaders.

9           Sandy Bradley \$7,832 for Sandy Bradley's Potluck--weekly live radio  
10 broadcasts on KUOW-FM.

11           New City Art Center \$12,800 for the Theater Zero production of *Imperceptible*  
12 *Mutabilities in the Third Kingdom* by African-American playwright Suzan-Lori Parks  
13 and director Liz Diamond, both Obie Award winners. A five-day writing workshop will  
14 also be offered by Ms. Parks.

15           Ragamala \$1,500 for a violin concert by Indian musician L. Subramaniam at  
16 Kane Hall.

17           Red Sky Poetry Theatre \$3,000 for 7th Annual Alternative to Loud Boats Arts  
18 Festival at outdoor amphitheater at Seattle Central Community College.

19           Artists Unlimited \$6,000 for community integration of artists with disabilities at  
20 Pratt Fine Arts Center.

## 21           **2. Heritage Projects \$31,108**

22           Filipino American National Historical Society \$15,608 for development of  
23 "Pacific Crossing: A Portrait of Pinoys in the Northwest"--a touring photo exhibit  
24 documenting the migration and naturalization of Filipino's coming to America from  
25 the early 1900's to the present.

26           Des Moines Historical Society \$8,500 for development of "Waterland" The  
27 Maritime History of Des Moines"--a maritime exhibit at Des Moines Museum.

28           Alaska Native Cultural Heritage Association \$5,000 for educational outreach  
29 and programming to include cultural song, dance and legend telling performances  
30 to county wide schools and Native American organizations.

1 Carter Family Marionettes \$2,000 for school and public performances of  
2 *Q'we-ti: Tales of the Makah Tribe*, the marionette program to coincide with exhibit at  
3 the Burke Museum.

4 PASSED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1991.

5 KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
6 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

7 Lois North  
8 Chair

9 ATTEST:

10 Gerald A. Peterson  
11 Clerk of the Council

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