



Signature Report

May 1, 2001

Motion 11189

Proposed No. 2001-0226.1

Sponsors Nickels, Phillips, Hague, Miller,
von Reichbauer, Irons and Thomas

1 A MOTION approving funding for twelve 2001 King
2 County arts commission community arts initiative and two
3 special projects in accordance with Ordinance 11242.

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 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission is authorized by Ordinance 11242
7 to administer the special projects program, and

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 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission received twelve applications from
10 King County libraries, community centers and arts councils in rural and suburban King
11 County requesting funds to participate in the 2001 King County arts commission
community arts initiative, funded by the cultural development fund, and

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 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission received two applications from
13 King County arts organizations requesting remaining funds from the special projects
14 program, funded by the cultural development revenues, and

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 WHEREAS, King County arts commission representatives reviewed applications
16 to the community arts initiative and special projects fund and made recommendations to
17 the King County arts commission, and

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18 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission approved and recommended
19 \$40,000 from the 2000 special projects program to provide funding for twelve suburban
20 and rural arts agencies, libraries and arts councils for the 2001 community arts program
21 and \$17,500 from the 2000 special projects program to provide funding for two
22 extraordinary regional projects by King County arts and cultural organizations, and

23 WHEREAS, the King County arts commission approved the recommendations
24 listed in Attachment A to this motion (2001 community arts project recommendations)
25 and Attachment B to this motion (special projects recommendations), and

26 WHEREAS, the recommendations for arts projects adhere to the guidelines and
27 financial plan approved by the King County council in Motion 11242, and

28 WHEREAS, the financial plan, Attachment C to this motion, has been revised to
29 indicate actual hotel/motel tax revenue for 2001, and

30 WHEREAS, the financial plan supports cultural facilities and special projects
31 funding:

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

33 The executive is hereby authorized to allocate a total of \$57,500 that includes
34 \$40,000 from hotel/motel tax revenues for twelve community arts projects as listed in

Motion 11189

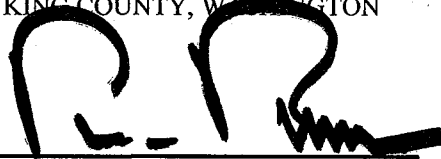
35 Attachment A to this motion and \$17,500 from hotel/motel tax revenues for two arts
36 special projects as listed in Attachment B to this motion.

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Motion 11189 was introduced on 4/16/01 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 4/30/01, by the following vote:

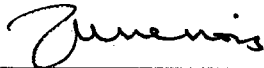
Yes: 10 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Miller, Ms. Fimia, Mr. McKenna, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Thomas and Mr. Irons
No: 0
Excused: 3 - Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz and Mr. Nickels

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Pete von Reichbauer, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments A.1. 2001 Community Arts Initiative, A.2. 2001 Community Arts Project Recommendations, B.1. Summary of Special Projects Recommendations, B.2 Special Projects Recommendations, C 2001 Hotel/Motel Tax Revenues Competitive Funding Process

Attachment A.1.
King County Arts Commission
 2001 Community Arts Initiative

App #	Organization	Dist	Project Title	Project Description	Date of Event	Req Am
1	Bothell Regional Library	1	Bothell Library Family Nights	Free program by Theatre Simple	17-Jul-01	
2	Carnation Library	3	Thistle Theatre: Jackals Favorite Game	Free puppet show performed by Thistle Theatre with African Theme	TBA	
3	City of Bothell	1	Riverfest Music in the Park	Free one-weekend event including community activities and two concerts.	September 8-9, 2001	
4	City of Sammamish	3, 12	Sammamish Summer Arts Series	Free performances of Shakespeare and 4 summer concerts	Aug 4, All thursdays in	
5	Fall City Arts Council	12	Fall City Arts Council: Our 2nd Yr	Performances in 2001-2002 season with low price tickets for community	TBA	
6	Friends of the Fall City Library	12	Bringing Musical Arts to Fall City	Two Concerts: Bochinche (Salsa) and Swing Concert	September 15 2001	
7	King County Park System	All	Arts to Parks	4 Different Community Programs in King County Parks to promote diversity, recreation and arts	TBA	\$
8	Maple Valley Creative Arts Council	12	Maple Valley Days Arts Festival	Free two-day festival with parade, local artists reception, musical entertainment	Weekend in June	
9	Unincorporated Area Council NHUAC	5, 8	Community Talent Festival "Bring It In"	Free one-day event featuring the talents of NHUA's diverse community	June or July, 2001	
10	Unincorporated Area Council NHUAC	5, 8	Kid's Kaleidosopic Creations	Free on-going Arts and craft classes, resulting in a youth craft fair	Sept-Nov	
11	Council Street Fair Commission	5	Goodbye to Summer BBQ Bash	Free entertainment, ethnic music, interactive theater, dance and community BBQ	12, Sept 8, 2001	
12	White Center Jubilee Days	8	White Center Jubilee Days	Free two-day event including parade, street fair, two music stages, and dance	July 21-22, 2001	
					Total	\$

Attachment A.2.
2001 Community Arts Project Recommendations

Background: The Community Arts Initiative was created by the King County Arts Commission in 1997 to provide underserved communities in unincorporated King County with the financial resources to present quality arts programming for the benefit of local residents. All of the programs provide free or low-cost access to the arts, and in many instances, are the only cultural programming opportunities available in these communities.

The applications were reviewed by Barb Luecke, Public Art Program staff; Michael Killoren, KCAC staff; Debra Twersky, KCAC staff; and Lara Holman, KCAC staff.

Twelve applications were received by the January 29, 2001 deadline. All twelve proposals are recommended for funding.

1. Bothell Regional Library \$450

Dr. Margaret Read MacDonald
18215 – 98th Avenue NE
Bothell, WA 98011

“Bothell Library Family Nights” offers a series of six free family-oriented programs on weekday summer evenings. Funds will be used to support artist fees to present a performance by Theater Simple on July 17, 2001. Bothell Regional Library strives to include music, drama, and literature programs in this annual series.

2. Carnation Library \$650

Darcy Newman
Post Office Box 1298
Carnation, WA 98014

Carnation Library will present a free performance of Thistle Theatre’s “Jackal’s Favorite Game” as the grand kickoff for the library’s Summer Reading Program. Funds will be used to support artist fees for this performance, bringing an introduction to both the art of puppetry and African folktales to the Carnation community.

3. City of Bothell \$3,000

Patricia Parkhurst
18305 – 101st Avenue NE
Bothell, WA 98011

“Riverfest Music in the Park” is a weekend-long festival, celebrating local culture, heritage and history; events throughout the weekend include concert performances, family activities, children’s events, river raft racing, and more. Funds will be used to support artist fees and marketing costs in the presentation of two concert performances, on September 8-9, 2001. The *Touring Arts Roster* will be used as a resource in selecting artists for these performances.

4. City of Sammamish \$4,000

Jeff Watling
704 – 228th Avenue NE, PMB 491
Sammamish, WA 98074

“Sammamish Summer Arts Series” will offer a series of free outdoor summer performances, including four music and two theater events, at Pine Lake Park. Funds will be used to support artist fees and sound equipment needs; Wooden O Theatre will perform Shakespeare’s “The Tempest” and “As You Like It” as part of the series, and music artists/ensembles will be selected for four diverse performances appropriate for all ages. The newly incorporated City of Sammamish seeks to address the vital need for community events and cultural activities on the Sammamish Plateau through the expansion of last year’s single concert into a series of six performances in 2001.

5. Fall City Arts Council \$3,500

Leigh Falconer
P.O. Box 446
Fall City, WA 98024

“Fall City Arts Council-Our Second Year”, coordinated by the newly formed Fall City Arts Council, builds upon last year’s successful community performances—presenting a performance series of three low-cost music and theater events during the 2001-2002 season. Funds will be used to support artist fees, marketing expenses and venue costs to present performances by Rainier Chamber Winds, Northwest Puppet Center and Unexpected Productions Improvisational Theatre at venues including Masonic Lodge, Fall City Elementary School, and Chief Kanim Middle School.

6. Friends of the Fall City Library \$2,500

Nan Palmer
P.O. Box 340
Fall City, WA 98024

"Bringing the Musical Arts to Fall City," will feature two free community concert performances. Funds will support artist fees to present Bochinche in June 2001 as part of the Fall City Days Festival, and Kings of Swing in September 2001 at Fall City Elementary School.

7. King County Parks \$13,000

Shelley Brittingham
Post Office Box 66514
Seattle, WA 98166

"Arts to Parks" offers a variety of community performances and special events bringing free access to the arts to County residents:

"Family Night Out," provides (6) sites at elementary schools, parks and community centers in Snoqualmie Valley, Skyway, Woodinville, White Center and Maple Valley, for free afterschool/early evening family concerts, artists TBA.

"Afternoon Adventures," (5) concerts in community centers in Maple Valley, Skyway, Snoqualmie Valley, White Center and Woodinville.

"Community Celebrations," (3) community holiday activities in Woodinville, Maple Valley and Snoqualmie Valley.

"Outdoor Adventures," (4) outdoor performances.

Funds will be used to support artist fees.

8. Maple Valley Arts Council \$3,000

Mary Jane Glaser
20530 SE 198th Street
Renton, WA 98058

The third annual two-day "Maple Valley Days Arts Festival," will be held in June 2001, bringing live performances in music and dance as well as a visual arts exhibition to Maple Valley in this free, community celebration. Funds will be used to support artist fees, marketing expenses, venue costs, and some production expenses. Lake Wilderness Center will be the venue for arts programming, to include artists from the Touring Arts Roster.

9. North Highline Unincorporated Area Council \$2,300

Michael Griffith
1243 SW 112th Street
Seattle, WA 98146

"Community Talent Festival-Bring It In," will offer a free, one-day event featuring live performances of music, dance, theater and more by local and regional artists. Funds will be used to support artist fees, marketing expenses, venue costs and some production expenses to present performances by proposed artists such as Ballet Folklorico Peruviano, Highland Dancers, and UMO Ensemble. The event will be held in June-July 2001 at Evergreen High School.

10. North Highline Unincorporated Area Council \$2,600

Judy Duff
11231 - 3rd Avenue S
Seattle, WA 98168

"Kid's Kaleidoscopic Creations," will offer free on-going after-school arts classes for elementary, middle school and high school students; classes will introduce students to mediums including ceramics, textiles, glass etching, drawing, painting, and mixed media, and will culminate with students presenting and selling their work at a public community fair. Funds will support artist fees for teachers, supplies, venue costs, and some marketing/production expenses, to offer classes in September-October 2001 and produce the youth fair in November 2001.

11. West Hill Community Council Street Fair Commission **\$4,000**

Ed Lindsley
6949 Rustic Road
Seattle, WA 98178

"2001 West Hills Street Fair," will be held August 11, 2001 at the King County Fire District 20 Training Center, offering a variety of activities, entertainment, food and more as an annual community event. Funds will be used to support artist and sound fees, marketing expenses, and some production costs; to present live performances of music, dance, and storytelling.

12. White Center Jubilee Days **\$1,000**

Steve Teasley
10043 - 16th Ave SW
Seattle, WA 98146

"White Center Jubilee Days," is an annual two day free community event, to be held in July 2001. Funds will be used to support artist fees and production expenses for a family stage, with musical programming reflecting the ethnic diversity of the community.

ACTION ITEM: The King County Arts Commission recommends funding twelve projects for a total of \$40,000 for the 2001 Community Arts Initiative.

<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>DIST</u>	<u>PROJECT TITLE</u>	<u>REQUEST</u>	<u>AWARD</u>
Bothell Regional Library	1	Bothell Library Family Nights	\$450	\$450
Carnation Library	3	Thistle Theatre Performance	\$650	\$650
City of Bothell	1	Riverfest Music in Park	\$3,500	\$3,000
City of Sammamish	3,12	Sammamish Summer Arts Series	\$5,000	\$4,000
Fall City Arts Council	12	Fall City Arts Council: Our Second Year	\$3,925	\$3,500
Friends of the Fall City Library	12	Bringing the Musical Arts to Fall City	\$2,750	\$2,500
King County Park System	ALL	Arts to Parks	\$15,000	\$13,000
Maple Valley Creative Arts Council	12	Maple Valley Days Arts Festival	\$3,900	\$3,000
North Highline Unincorporated Area Council	5,8	Community Talent Festival-Bring It In	\$2,500	\$2,300
North Highline Unincorporated Area Council	5,8	Kid's Kaleidoscopic Creations	\$2,800	\$2,600
West Hill Community Council	5	2001 West Hill Street Fair	\$9,950	\$4,000
Street Fair Commission				
White Center Jubilee Days	8	White Center Jubilee Days	\$1,000	\$1,000
		TOTALS	\$51,425	\$40,000

**Attachment B.1.
King County Arts Commission
Summary of Special Project Recommendations**

ORGANIZATION	PROJECT	REQUEST
Seattle Repertory Theatre	Hamlet Collaborative Production	\$15,000
East King County Convention & Visitors Bureau	Kirkland Public Sculpture Exhibit Brochure	\$10,000
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECT FUNDS:		

Attachment B.2.
KING COUNTY ARTS COMMISSION
Special Projects Recommendations

1. HAMLET PROJECT: \$15,000

At its December 19, 2000 meeting, the Arts Commission recommended funding for a proposal to the 2000 Special Projects Fund by the Seattle Repertory Theatre. The proposal will enable 800 students from outlying suburban King County schools to attend a production of Hamlet.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Steve Lorian, Vice-Chair; Jason Everett, Melissa Hines, Al McEachern, Lynn Norman, Awilda Verdejo, Kristen Webb

COMMISSIONERS EXCUSED: Mark Johnson, Kathy Magiera

STAFF PRESENT: Jim Kelly, Michael Killoren, Charlie Rathbun, Doreen Mitchum, Lara Holman, Debra Twersky

Kristen Webb presented a recommendation from the Hotel/Motel Committee regarding a Special Opportunity Grant for a collaboration between Seattle Center Foundation, Seattle Repertory Theatre, Intiman Theatre, A Contemporary Theatre, and Empty Space Theatre to present Peter Brook's adaptation of *Hamlet*. The application requested \$15,000 for general support including reduced price tickets for 800 suburban King County students to attend a performance. The deadline for participation in this project fell outside the regular cycle of funding for the annual Special Projects Program.

MOTION: It was moved that King County Arts Commission approve an award of \$15,000 under the Special Opportunity Fund for the production of *Hamlet*. This motion was approved by a vote of 6-0-0 with Melissa Hines abstaining. (motion by Kristen Webb/second by Lynn Norman)

2. KIRKLAND PUBLIC ART DISPLAY BROCHURE: \$2,500

At its January 16, 2001 meeting, the Arts Commission recommended funding for a proposal to the Special Projects Fund by the East King County Convention and Visitors Bureau for production of a brochure detailing a public outdoor sculpture exhibition installed in Kirkland from January through May, 2001.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Melissa Hines, Chair; Steve Lorian, Vice-Chair; Jason Everett, Kathy Magiera, Al McEachern, Lynn Norman, Kristen Webb

COMMISSIONERS EXCUSED: Awilda Verdejo, Mark Johnson

STAFF PRESENT: Jim Kelly, Charlie Rathbun, Doreen Mitchum, Lara Holman, Debra Twersky

Kristen Webb presented a Special Opportunity request from Eastside Convention and Visitors Bureau for support of a brochure promoting the International Sculpture Exhibition to be installed in Kirkland from January-May of 2001. Due to the pressing timeline for the request, the application was not previously reviewed by the Hotel/Motel Committee and so was reviewed by the entire Commission. The opportunity to participate in this project fell outside the normal cycle for the annual Special Projects Program. Final consensus on the application maintained that the project had value in support of the Commission's desire to collaborate with and support the tourism industry.

MOTION: It was moved that King County Arts Commission recommend an award of \$2,500 under the Special Opportunity Fund for the Eastside Convention and Visitors Bureau, provided that any missing materials be submitted, and concise details be provided regarding the program. This motion was approved by a vote of 4-2-1 with Steve Lorian abstaining. (motion by Jason Everett/second by Lynn Norman.)

King County Office of Cultural Resources
Special Projects Program

2001 Hotel/Motel Tax Revenues
Competitive Funding Process

Arts Special Projects

2001 Adopted Budget	1777	864,799	
Set-Aside Fund Balance	1777	54,563	
Adjustment to reflect actual revenue received	1777	<u>(60,221)</u>	859,141

Balance Available for 2001 Program **859,141**

This Motion - Community Arts Initiative	1779	(40,000)	
This Motion - Special Projects	1777	<u>(17,500)</u>	<u>(57,500)</u>

Balance **801,641**