
SENATE BILL 6064

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By Senator Wellman

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1 AN ACT Relating to efficiency updates for capital budget
2 appropriations allocated for public art; amending RCW 28B.10.027 and
3 43.17.200; and amending 2015 3rd sp.s. c 3 s 7012 (uncodified).

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 **Sec. 1.** 2015 3rd sp.s. c 3 s 7012 (uncodified) is amended to
6 read as follows:

7 FOR THE ARTS COMMISSION—ART WORK ALLOWANCE. (1) One-half of one
8 percent of moneys appropriated in this act for original construction
9 of school plant facilities is provided solely for the purposes of RCW
10 28A.335.210.

11 (2) One-half of one percent of moneys appropriated in this act
12 for original construction or any major renovation or remodel work
13 exceeding \$200,000 by colleges or universities is provided solely for
14 the purposes of RCW 28B.10.027.

15 (3) One-half of one percent of moneys appropriated in this act
16 for original construction of any public building by a state agency
17 identified in RCW 43.17.020 is provided solely for the purposes of
18 RCW 43.17.200.

19 (4) At least eighty-five percent of the moneys spent by the
20 Washington state arts commission during the 2015-2017 biennium for
21 the purposes of RCW 28A.335.210, 28B.10.027, and 43.17.200 must be

1 expended solely for direct acquisition of works of art. Art
2 allocations not expended within the ensuing two biennia will lapse.
3 The commission may use up to (~~(\$100,000)~~) \$200,000 of this amount to
4 conserve or maintain existing pieces in the state art collection
5 pursuant to RCW 28A.335.210, 28B.10.027, and 43.17.200.

6 (5) The executive director of the arts commission shall appoint a
7 study group to review the operations of the one-half of one percent
8 for works of art purchased or commissioned as required by RCW
9 28A.335.210, 28B.10.027, and 43.17.200. The findings of the review
10 must be reported annually to the office of financial management and
11 the fiscal committees of the legislature by (~~August~~) September
12 15th. The review must include, but is not limited to, the following:
13 (a) Projects purchased or commissioned per biennium; (b) partner
14 agencies; (c) funding sources by fiscal year; (d) artwork costs; (e)
15 administrative costs; (f) collection care costs; and (g) project
16 status.

17 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28B.10.027 and 2016 sp.s. c 35 s 6008 are each
18 amended to read as follows:

19 (1) All universities and colleges shall allocate as a
20 nondeductible item, out of any moneys appropriated for the original
21 construction or any major renovation or remodel work exceeding two
22 hundred thousand dollars of any building, an amount of one-half of
23 one percent of the appropriation to be expended by the Washington
24 state arts commission with the approval of the board of regents or
25 trustees for the acquisition of works of art.

26 (2) For projects funded in the (~~2015-2017~~) capital budget, an
27 institution of higher education, working with the Washington state
28 arts commission, may expend up to ten percent of the projected art
29 allocation for a project during the design phase in order to select
30 an artist and design art to be integrated in the building design. The
31 one-half of one percent to be expended by the Washington state arts
32 commission must be adjusted downward by the amount expended by a
33 university or college during the design phase of the capital project.

34 (3) The works of art may be placed on public lands of
35 institutions of higher education, integral to or attached to a public
36 building or structure of institutions of higher education, detached
37 within or outside a public building or structure of institutions of
38 higher education, part of a portable exhibition or collection, part

1 of a temporary exhibition, or loaned or exhibited in other public
2 facilities.

3 (4) In addition to the cost of the works of art, the one-half of
4 one percent of the appropriation shall be used to provide for the
5 administration of the visual arts program, including conservation of
6 the state art collection, by the Washington state arts commission and
7 all costs for installation of the work of art. For the purpose of
8 this section building shall not include sheds, warehouses, and other
9 buildings of a temporary nature.

10 **Sec. 3.** RCW 43.17.200 and 2005 c 36 s 4 are each amended to read
11 as follows:

12 (1) All state agencies including all state departments, boards,
13 councils, commissions, and quasi public corporations shall allocate,
14 as a nondeductible item, out of any moneys appropriated for the
15 original construction of any public building, an amount of one-half
16 of one percent of the appropriation to be expended by the Washington
17 state arts commission for the acquisition of works of art.

18 (2) For projects funded in the capital budget, a state agency,
19 working with the Washington state arts commission, may expend up to
20 ten percent of the projected art allocation for a project during the
21 design phase in order to select an artist and design art to be
22 integrated in the building design. The one-half of one percent to be
23 expended by the Washington state arts commission must be adjusted
24 downward by the amount expended by a state agency during the design
25 phase of the capital project.

26 (3) The works of art may be placed on public lands, integral to
27 or attached to a public building or structure, detached within or
28 outside a public building or structure, part of a portable exhibition
29 or collection, part of a temporary exhibition, or loaned or exhibited
30 in other public facilities.

31 (4) In addition to the cost of the works of art, the one-half of
32 one percent of the appropriation as provided herein shall be used to
33 provide for the administration of the visual arts program, including
34 conservation of the state art collection, by the Washington state
35 arts commission and all costs for installation of the works of art.
36 For the purpose of this section building shall not include highway

1 construction sheds, warehouses, or other buildings of a temporary
2 nature.

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