



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Date

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Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: Bagshaw

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

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Drafter: jeanne.murphy@seattle.gov

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Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	06/30/2015	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
	Action Text:		The Council Bill (CB) was Mayor's leg transmitted to Council. to the City Clerk				
	Notes:						
1	City Clerk	06/30/2015	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	07/01/2015	sent for review	Seattle Public Utilities and Neighborhoods Committee			
	Action Text:		The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Seattle Public Utilities and Neighborhoods Committee				
	Notes:						

- 1 Full Council 07/20/2015 referred Seattle Public Utilities and Neighborhoods Committee
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was referred. to the Seattle Public Utilities and Neighborhoods Committee
Notes:
- 1 Seattle Public Utilities and Neighborhoods Committee 11/19/2015 pass Pass
Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council pass the Council Bill (CB).
Notes:
In Favor: 2 Chair Bagshaw, Vice Chair Sawant
Opposed: 0
- 1 Full Council 11/30/2015 passed Pass
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote and the President signed the Bill:
Notes:
In Favor: 8 Council President Burgess, Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember Godden, Councilmember Gonzalez, Councilmember Harrell, Councilmember Licata, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Rasmussen
Opposed: 0
- 1 City Clerk 12/02/2015 submitted for Mayor's signature Mayor
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was submitted for Mayor's signature. to the Mayor
Notes:
- 1 Mayor 12/04/2015 Signed
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was Signed.
Notes:
- 1 Mayor 12/04/2015 returned City Clerk
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned. to the City Clerk
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- 1 City Clerk 12/04/2015 attested by City Clerk
Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.
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CITY OF SEATTLE
ORDINANCE 124934
COUNCIL BILL 118448

AN ORDINANCE relating to historic preservation; imposing controls upon the Schoenfeld Building, a landmark designated by the Landmarks Preservation Board under Chapter 25.12 of the Seattle Municipal Code, and adding it to the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in Chapter 25.32 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

WHEREAS, the Landmarks Preservation Ordinance, Chapter 25.12 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC), establishes a procedure for the designation and preservation of sites, improvements, and objects having historical, cultural, architectural, engineering, or geographic significance; and

WHEREAS, the Landmarks Preservation Board (Board), after a public meeting on October 15, 2014, voted to approve the nomination of the improvement located at 1012 First Avenue (which is referred to as the "Schoenfeld Building" for the purposes of this ordinance) for designation as a landmark under SMC Chapter 25.12; and

WHEREAS, after a public meeting on November 19, 2014, the Board voted to approve the designation of the Schoenfeld Building under SMC Chapter 25.12; and

WHEREAS, on February 4, 2015, the Board and the owner of the designated landmark agreed to controls and incentives; and

WHEREAS, the Board recommends that the City Council enact a designating ordinance approving the controls and incentives; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. DESIGNATION: Pursuant to Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 25.12.660, the designation by the Landmarks Preservation Board (Board) of the improvement located at 1012

1 First Avenue (which is referred to as the “Schoenfeld Building” for the purposes of this
2 ordinance) is hereby acknowledged.

3 A. Legal Description. The Schoenfeld Building is located on the property legally
4 described as:

5 Lots 4, less portion of street, Block 12, Town of Seattle, as laid out on the claims of C.D.
6 Boren and A.A. Denny (commonly known as Boren & Denny’s addition to the City of
7 Seattle), according to the plat recorded in Volume 1 of plats, page 27, records of King
8 County, Washington.

9 B. Specific Features or Characteristics Designated. Pursuant to SMC 25.12.660.A.2,
10 the following specific features or characteristics of the Schoenfeld Building are designated: the
11 exterior of the building.

12 C. Basis of Designation. The designation was made because the Schoenfeld Building
13 is more than 25 years old, has significant character, interest or value as a part of the
14 development, heritage or cultural characteristics of the City, state or nation, has integrity or the
15 ability to convey its significance, and satisfies the following from SMC 25.12.350:

- 16 1. It is associated in a significant way with the life of a person important in the
17 history of the City, state, or nation (SMC 25.12.350.B).
- 18 2. It is associated in a significant way with a significant aspect of the cultural,
19 political, or economic heritage of the community, City, state or nation (SMC
20 25.12.350.C).
- 21 3. It embodies the distinctive visible characteristics of an architectural style, period,
22 or a method of construction (SMC 25.12.350.D).

23 Section 2. CONTROLS: The following controls are hereby imposed on the features or
24 characteristics of the Schoenfeld Building that were designated by the Board for preservation:

1 A. Certificate of Approval Process.

- 2 1. Except as provided in subsection 2.A.2 or subsection 2.B, the owner must obtain a
3 Certificate of Approval issued by the Board pursuant to SMC Chapter 25.12, or
4 the time for denying a Certificate of Approval must have expired, before the
5 owner may make alterations or significant changes to the following specific
6 features or characteristics: the exterior of the building.
- 7 2. No Certificate of Approval is required for the following: any in-kind maintenance
8 or repairs of the features or characteristics listed in subsection 2.A.1.

9 B. City Historic Preservation Officer Approval Process.

- 10 1. The City Historic Preservation Officer (CHPO) may review and approve
11 alterations or significant changes to the features or characteristics listed in
12 subsection 2.B.3 according to the following procedure:
- 13 a. The owner shall submit to the CHPO a written request for the alterations or
14 significant changes, including applicable drawings or specifications.
- 15 b. If the CHPO, upon examination of submitted plans and specifications,
16 determines that the alterations or significant changes are consistent with the
17 purposes of SMC Chapter 25.12, the CHPO shall approve the alterations or
18 significant changes without further action by the Board.
- 19 c. If the CHPO does not approve the alterations or significant changes, the
20 owner may submit revised materials to the CHPO, or apply to the Board for a
21 Certificate of Approval under SMC Chapter 25.12.

1 2. The CHPO shall transmit a written decision on the owner's request to the owner
2 within 14 days of receipt of the request. Failure of the CHPO to timely transmit a
3 written decision constitutes approval of the request.

4 3. CHPO approval of alterations or significant changes to the features or
5 characteristics listed in subsection 2.A.1 is available for the following:

6 a. The installation, alteration or removal of duct conduits, HVAC vents, grilles,
7 fire escapes, pipes, meters and utility connections, downspouts and gutters and
8 other similar wiring or mechanical elements necessary for the normal
9 operation of the building.

10 b. The installation, alteration, or removal of exterior security lighting, video
11 cameras, and security system equipment.

12 c. The installation, alteration, or removal of signage.

13 d. Alterations to the alley elevation.

14 Section 3. INCENTIVES: The following incentives are hereby granted on the features
15 or characteristics of the Schoenfeld Building that were designated by the Board for preservation:

16 A. Uses not otherwise permitted in a zone may be authorized in a designated
17 landmark by means of an administrative conditional use permit issued pursuant to SMC Title 23.

18 B. Special tax valuation for historic preservation may be available under RCW
19 Chapter 84.26 upon application and compliance with the requirements of that statute.

20 C. Exceptions to certain requirements of the Seattle Building Code, SMC Chapter
21 22.100, and the Seattle Energy Code, SMC Chapter 22.700, may be authorized pursuant to the
22 applicable provisions thereof.

1 D. The Owner may be eligible to participate in the City's Landmark Transfer of
2 Development Rights (TDR) Bank after obtaining a determination from the City concerning the
3 quantity of unused development rights for the Landmark that are eligible for transfer to receiving
4 properties as Landmark TDR, pursuant to SMC 23.49.014.

5 Section 4. Enforcement of this ordinance and penalties for its violation are as provided in
6 SMC 25.12.910.

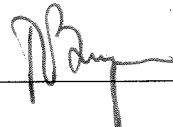
7 Section 5. The Schoenfeld Building is hereby added alphabetically to Section II,
8 Buildings, of the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in SMC Chapter 25.32.

9 Section 6. The City Clerk is directed to record a certified copy of this ordinance with the
10 King County Director of Records and Elections, deliver two certified copies to the CHPO, and
11 deliver one copy to the Director of the Department of Planning and Development. The CHPO is
12 directed to provide a certified copy of the ordinance to the owner of the landmark.


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1 Section 7. 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 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2015, and
5 signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this
6 30th day of NOVEMBER, 2015.

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9 President _____ of the City Council

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11 Approved by me this 4th day of December, 2015.

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14 Edward B. Murray, Mayor

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16 Filed by me this 4th day of December, 2015.

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19 Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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May 28, 2015
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BILL SUMMARY & FISCAL NOTE

Department:	Contact Person/Phone:	Executive Contact/Phone:
Neighborhoods	Sarah Sodt/206-615-1786	Tim Wolfe/206-684-0535

1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title:

AN ORDINANCE relating to historic preservation, imposing controls upon the Schoenfeld Building, a landmark designated by the Landmarks Preservation Board under Chapter 25.12 of the Seattle Municipal Code, and adding it to the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in Chapter 25.32 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Summary and background of the Legislation:

The attached legislation acknowledges the designation of the Schoenfeld Building as a historic landmark by the Landmarks Preservation Board, imposes controls, grants incentives, and adds the Schoenfeld Building to the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in SMC Chapter 25.32. The legislation does not have a financial impact.

The Schoenfeld Building was built in 1893, and is located in Downtown. A Controls and Incentives Agreement has been signed by the owner and has been approved by the Landmarks Preservation Board. The controls in the agreement apply to exterior of the building, but do not apply to any in-kind maintenance or repairs of the designated features.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

This legislation creates, funds, or amends a CIP Project.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

This legislation does not have direct financial implications.

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a) Does the legislation have indirect or long-term financial impacts to the City of Seattle that are not reflected in the above?
No.
- b) Is there financial cost or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?
No.
- c) Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?
No.

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- d) **Is a public hearing required for this legislation?**
No.

- e) **Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?**
No.

- f) **Does this legislation affect a piece of property?**
Yes, a map is attached.

- g) **Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities?**
No.

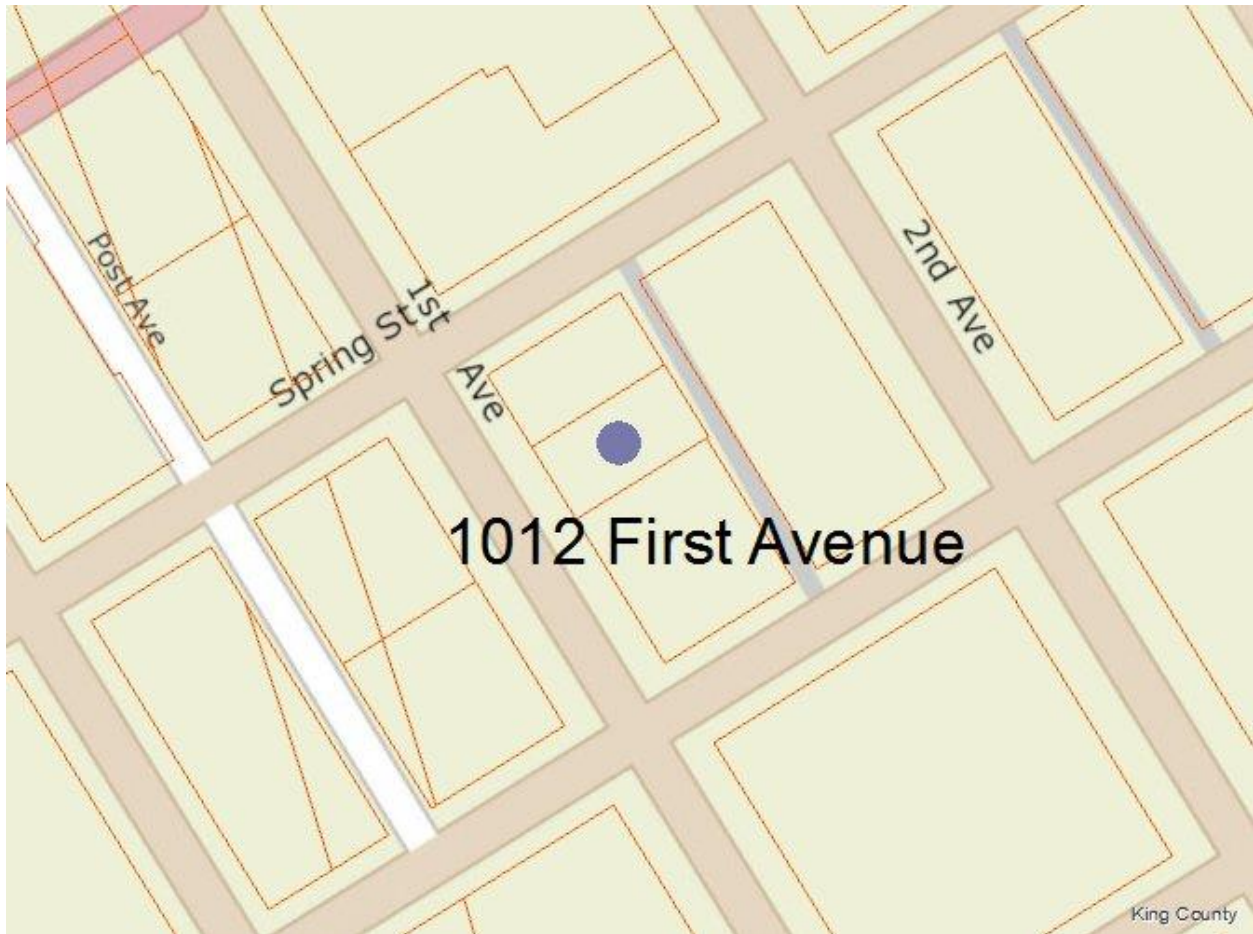
- h) **If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the long-term and measurable goals of the program? Please describe how this legislation would help achieve the program's desired goals.**
No new initiative or programmatic expansion.

- i) **Other Issues:**
None.

List attachments below:

Exhibit A – Vicinity Map of the Schoenfeld Building

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March 6, 2015
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Note: This map is intended for illustrative or informational purposes only and is not intended to modify anything in the legislation.

STATE OF WASHINGTON -- KING COUNTY

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No. 124931,32,33,34,35,36,37

CITY OF SEATTLE, CLERKS OFFICE

Affidavit of Publication

The undersigned, on oath states that he is an authorized representative of The Daily Journal of Commerce, a daily newspaper, which newspaper is a legal newspaper of general circulation and it is now and has been for more than six months prior to the date of publication hereinafter referred to, published in the English language continuously as a daily newspaper in Seattle, King County, Washington, and it is now and during all of said time was printed in an office maintained at the aforesaid place of publication of this newspaper. The Daily Journal of Commerce was on the 12th day of June, 1941, approved as a legal newspaper by the Superior Court of King County.

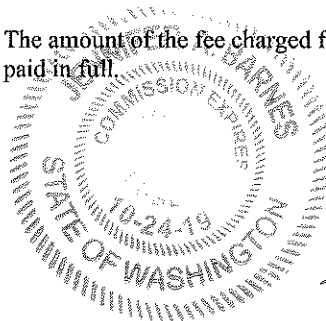
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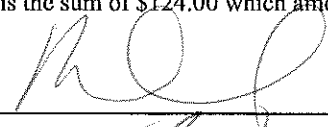
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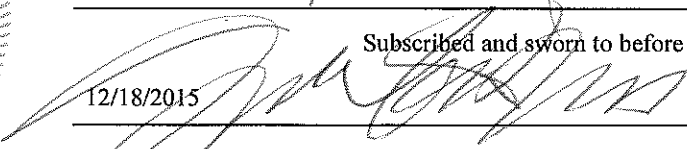
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on
12/18/2015 

Notary public for the State of Washington,
residing in Seattle

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State of Washington, King County

City of Seattle Title Only Ordinances

The full text of the following legislation, passed by the City Council on November 30, 2015, and published below by title only, will be mailed upon request, or can be accessed at <http://clerk.seattle.gov>. For information on upcoming meetings of the Seattle City Council, please visit <http://www.seattle.gov/council/calendar>. Document Type

Contact: Office of the City Clerk at (206) 684-8344.

Ordinance 124931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims and ordering the payment thereof.

Ordinance 124932

AN ORDINANCE relating to historic preservation; imposing controls upon the Pacific Science Center, a landmark designated by the Landmarks Preservation Board under Chapter 25.12 of the Seattle Municipal Code, and adding it to the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in Chapter 25.32 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Ordinance 124933

AN ORDINANCE relating to historic preservation; imposing controls upon Town Hall Seattle (former Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist), a landmark designated by the Landmarks Preservation Board under Chapter 25.12 of the Seattle Municipal Code, and adding it to the Table of Historical Landmarks contained in Chapter 25.32 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Ordinance 124934

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Ordinance 124935

AN ORDINANCE relating to the Pike Place Market Historical Commission; amending Section 25.24.030 of the Seattle Municipal Code to revise the number, categories, and appointing authority for Commission positions; and making technical corrections.

Ordinance 124936

AN ORDINANCE relating to the water system of Seattle Public Utilities; declaring real property in the City of Lake Forest Park known as the Kenmore Reservoir Site to be surplus to The City of Seattle's needs; and authorizing the Director of Seattle Public Utilities to sell the property through an open competitive process.

Ordinance 124937

AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Public Utilities; authorizing the Director of Seattle Public Utilities to lease or acquire by negotiation or condemnation land and all other necessary property rights located at 4500 West Marginal Way Southwest, Seattle, Washington for public drainage, wastewater, and general municipal purposes, and to execute, accept and record deeds and convenient documents and agreements deemed by the Director to be necessary to this transaction on behalf of the City; placing the conveyed real properties under the jurisdiction of Seattle Public Utilities; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

Date of publication in the Seattle Daily Journal of Commerce, December 18, 2015.

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