



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

August 23rd, 2021

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twenty-Second Congress
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-91
FSM CONGRESS

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following congressional act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 22-37:

Congressional Act No. 22-31, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 22-31, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2021, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-91
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
JULY 19 – 28, 2021

An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$2,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING
SEPTEMBER 30, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND
SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK
STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: JULY 20, 2021

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – JULY 26, 2021

FIRST READING: – JULY 26, 2021

SECOND READING: – JULY 28, 2021

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jessicalynn Reyes", is written over a horizontal line.

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 22-91
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 22-31

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-47, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on July 28 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, First Special Session, 2021, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required under article IX, section 20, of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia.


Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia


Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2021

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 22-47, C.D.1

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$2,800,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk states, and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA:

1 Section 1. The sum of \$2,800,000, or so much thereof as may
2 be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
3 Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending
4 September 30, 2021, for the purpose of funding public projects and
5 social programs for the people of Yap, Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk
6 states. The funds appropriated under this section shall be
7 apportioned as follows:

8 Section 2. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated under this act,
9 \$400,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social
10 programs for the people of Yap State.

11 state of Yap..... \$ 400,000

12 (a) Yap Congressional Delegation Office
13 Building Renovation and Systems and Securities Upgrades 400,000

14 Section 3. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated under this act,
15 \$400,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social
16 programs for the people of Kosrae State.

17 state of Kosrae..... \$ 400,000

18 (1) At Large 200,000

1	(a) State Police vehicle(s) purchase ... \$	30,000
2	(b) State Survey and Mapping Equipment ..	16,000
3	(c) Emergency medical referral assistance	20,000
4	(d) Low Income housing	
5	renovation/improvement	50,000
6	(e) Fishing Project	44,000
7	(f) Community activities, events	
8	and programs	20,000
9	(g) Public parking and landscaping – Utwe	20,000
10	(2) Election District No. 1	200,000
11	(a) Contributions to community events,	
12	programs and activities	20,000
13	(b) Landfill in Utwe	20,000
14	(c) Purchase of laptop computers	20,000
15	(d) Purchase of outboard motors	20,000
16	(e) Subsidy for FSM Telecom – Kosrae branch	50,000
17	(f) Renovation of a public building in Utwe	10,000
18	(g) Travel and associated costs for Hafa Adai	
19	fellowship group from Guam to Kosrae and return	20,000
20	(h) Kosrae Airport area landscaping	20,000
21	(i) Travels during the pandemic	
22	for medical purposes	20,000
23	Section 4. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated under this act,	
24	\$800,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social	
25	programs for the people of Pohnpei State.	

1	state of Pohnpei.....\$	800,000
2	(1) At Large.....	200,000
3	(a) Road improvement	200,000
4	(2) Election District No. 1.....	200,000
5	(a) Sokehs Ridge Solar Lighting project .	14,000
6	(b) Sokehs Ridge Cleaning 2022	25,000
7	(c) Daini Sidewalk	15,000
8	(d) Solar lights for Kolonia Secondary road	30,000
9	(e) Spanish Wall Electric installation/lighting	15,000
10	(f) PUC water plant subsidy	15,000
11	(g) Pohnrakied and Roie basketball solar lights	20,000
12	(h) Kolonia Senior citizen subsidy	10,000
13	(i) Nanmadap Bridge supplement	15,000
14	(j) Outboard Motors (15 horse power)	21,000
15	(k) COM-FSM students' outstanding debts .	20,000
16	(3) Election District No. 2.....	200,000
17	(a) UCCP summit implementation	13,000
18	(b) Madolenimw election	12,000
19	(c) Madolenimw liberation day	5,000
20	(d) Upper PATS road improvement	25,000
21	(e) Medical referral	15,000
22	(f) Lewetik Civic Center	10,000
23	(g) Meninkeder Lapapal office vehicle ...	20,000
24	(h) Road improvement	100,000
25	(4) Election District No. 3.....	200,000

1	(a) Road improvement	\$ 200,000
2	Section 5. Of the \$2,800,000 appropriated under this act,	
3	\$1,200,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social	
4	programs for the people of Chuuk State.	
5	state of Chuuk.....	\$ 1,200,000
6	(1) At Large.....	200,000
7	(a) Administrative Support Costs	
8	(prior obligations for salaries, benefits and others)	45,000
9	(b) Contributions to State, Municipal or	
10	Community Activities, Events and Programs	25,000
11	(c) Charters/POL/Freight (including prior	
12	obligations)	30,000
13	(d) Fishing Projects	40,000
14	(e) Kuttu Constitutional Convention	5,000
15	(f) Land Transportation	40,000
16	(g) Wichukuno, Tolensom road/seawall	
17	improvements	15,000
18	(2) Election District No. 1.....	200,000
19	(a) MIDA operation subsidy	200,000
20	(3) Election District No. 2.....	200,000
21	(a) Administrative support costs	20,000
22	(b) Land transportation	50,000
23	(c) Housing renovations and rehabilitation	80,000
24	(d) Humanitarian assistance	20,000
25	(e) Road maintenance and contractual services	20,000

1	(f) Fishing project	\$ 10,000
2	(4) Election District No. 3.....	200,000
3	(a) Housing renovations/improvements	40,000
4	(b) Purchase of Medicines	5,000
5	(c) Parem Municipal Election	5,000
6	(d) SNDA Administrative Support costs	
7	(prior and current obligations)	15,000
8	(e) SNDA boats maintenance & installation fees	5,000
9	(f) Humanitarian Assistance	15,000
10	(g) Fishing Projects	40,000
11	(h) Land Transportation	25,000
12	(i) Travel needs	5,000
13	(j) Contribution to Southern Namoneas	
14	Markets and small outlets owners license fees .	20,000
15	(k) Purchase of satellite disks	
16	and accessories fees	10,000
17	(l) Contribution to CPUC connection fees	5,000
18	(m) POL/Chartered/Freight	10,000
19	(5) Election District No. 4.....	200,000
20	(a) FDA Administrative Support costs	20,000
21	(b) Land Transportation	30,000
22	(c) Housing renovations and repair	40,000
23	(d) Fishing project	40,000
24	(e) Students financial assistance	20,000
25	(f) Food relief program	30,000

1	(g) Chuuk Inauguration 2021	\$ 20,000
2	(6) Election District No. 5.....	200,000
3	(a) Municipal Communities activities,	
4	events and programs	25,000
5	(b) POL/Freight/Charters	40,000
6	(c) Narik Mataw operation subsidy	20,000
7	(d) Water tanks	15,000
8	(e) Low Income Housing renovation/	
9	rehabilitation	40,000
10	(f) Office rent	10,000
11	(g) Food relief program	20,000
12	(h) Fishing project	20,000
13	(i) Office Administrative support cost	10,000"

14 Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.

15 All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed,

16 administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws,

17 including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of

18 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these

19 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for

20 the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are

21 incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the

22 funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall be the

23 Governor of Yap State or his designee. The allottee of funds

24 appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the

25 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;

1 PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under section
2 3(1) of this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae State or his
3 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under section 3(2) of
4 this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his
5 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under sections 4(1),
6 4(2) and 4(3) of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department
7 of Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
8 designee, except that the allottee of funds appropriated under
9 subsection 4(2)(k) of this act shall be the President of COM-FSM
10 or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
11 subsections 4(3)(d) of this act shall be the Pohnpei
12 Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds appropriated
13 under subsection 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the Secretary of the
14 Department of Health and Social Affairs or her designee. The
15 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsections 5(1) and 5(6)
16 of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee;
17 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of
18 this act shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority
19 (MIDA), the allottee of funds appropriated under section 5(3) of
20 this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipality or his designee;
21 the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of
22 this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority; the
23 allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this
24 act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of
25 the allottee to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall

1 lapse on September 30, 2023."

2 Section 7. This act shall become law upon approval by the
3 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its
4 becoming law without such approval.

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Aug 23, 2021

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David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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