



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-173
FSM CONGRESS

December 23, 2019

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

Dear Speaker Simina:

I am pleased to transmit the following Congressional Act, which I have signed into Public Law No. 21-66:

Congressional Act No. 21-71, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTION 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I wish to thank the 21st Congress for the passage of this Act.

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
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Dear President Panuelo:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 21-71, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2019, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures



PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-173
FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
THIRD SPECIAL SESSION
NOVEMBER 25 – DECEMBER 4, 2019

An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-121, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 AND 21-35, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF KOSRAE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: AREN B. PALIK

DATE: DECEMBER 2, 2019

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – DECEMBER 3, 2019

FIRST READING: – DECEMBER 3, 2019

SECOND READING: – DECEMBER 4, 2019

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-173
FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-71

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-113)

We hereby certify that on December 4 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Third Special Session, 2019, 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.

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

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD SPECIAL SESSION, 2019

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-113

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 19-145, 19-158, 20-09, 20-22, 20-51, 20-59, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162, 20-170 and 21-35, by amending sections 3 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs for the people of the state of Kosrae, and for other purposes.

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

1 Section 1. Section 3 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended by
2 Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09 and 20-70, is hereby
3 further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 3. Of the sum of \$5,450,000 appropriated by this
5 act, \$1,100,000 is apportioned to fund public projects and
6 social programs for the people of the state of Kosrae.

7 state of Kosrae \$ 1,100,000

8 (a) Okat farm road 29,500

9 (b) Kosrae Conservation and Safety

10 Organization 15,000

11 (c) Kosrae mediation program 10,000

12 (d) Kosrae Congressional Delegation

13 citizens outreach program 60,000

14 (e) Summer basketball tournament .. 5,000

15 (f) Kosrae Junior Tennis Association 17,000

16 (g) Isra, Utwe water system 30,000

17 (h) Finoing, Utwe farm road 40,000

18 (i) Malem Municipal Government subsidy 31,000

1	(j) Kosrae Housing Program subsidy .. \$	42,000
2	(k) Finkol, Utwe ball field improvement	5,000
3	(l) Finsrem, Utwe Farm Road	9,000
4	(m) Tofol Day Care Center renovation..	10,000
5	(n) Tafunsak Municipal Government subsidy	15,000
6	(o) YELA Conservation activities	20,000
7	(p) Kosrae Public Safety (Vehicle/POL)	19,000
8	(q) Agriculture projects/programs . .	-0-
9	(r) Community water projects	-0-
10	(s) Malem multipurpose	
11	building renovation	10,000
12	(t) Kosrae State Legislature subsidy	33,000
13	(u) Graduation Commencement at the	
14	University of South Pacific (Air fare,	
15	lodging, logistical needs, graduation	
16	fee, ground transportation)	5,000
17	(v) Mosral farm road	40,000
18	(w) Kosrae Supreme Court staff	
19	development	20,000
20	(x) Innem farm road	30,000
21	(y) Yesen farm road	14,000
22	(z) Contribution to Junior State of	
23	America Summer Program at Princeton University	5,500
24	(aa) Little League Field renovation	5,000
25	(ab) Little League travel to PNI and	

1	related costs	\$ 20,000
2	(ac) Kosrae survey and mapping subsidy	10,000
3	(ad) High school lunch program	43,000
4	(ae) Kosrae Xavier students tuitions	20,000
5	(af) Kosrae delegation B.A. program	30,000
6	(ag) SDA school subsidy	5,000
7	(ah) Tafunsak-Walung waterways/channels	
8	clearance/improvements	20,000
9	(ai) Pilyuul-Tenwak channel clearance	20,000
10	(aj) Purchase of outboat motors/POL	20,000
11	(ak) Farmroad improvement Inyaa, Utwe	10,000
12	(al) KSA Legislative staff training .	10,000
13	(am) Training for governor's office	
14	secretaries	10,000
15	(an) Purchase of cell phones, I-Pads,	
16	computers, printers	15,000
17	(ao) Lelu town government subsidy ..	30,000
18	(ap) Utwe municipal office subsidy .	30,000
19	(aq) Road improvements-Srungansralu	5,000
20	(ar) Payment for RMI Nursing School debt	2,000
21	(as) KSA delegation scholarship board	
22	meeting allowances/outreach	10,000
23	(at) Scholarships for KSA students .	40,000
24	(au) Contribution to Kosrae-Guam	
25	Association of Guam (KAG)	10,000

1	(av) C.O.M Palikir KSA students debts \$	20,000
2	(aw) Malem Multi-purpose building ..	10,000
3	(ax) Salary for music teacher Walung	
4	elementary School	10,000
5	(ay) Salaries for local police	
6	officers in Walung community	20,000
7	(az) Contractual services for office	
8	staff and security guards	10,000
9	(a1) Walung bathrooms project	25,000
10	(a2) Tsunami shelter for Malem	20,000
11	(a3) Kosrae Christian Women Association	25,000
12	(a4) Utwe Elementary School travel	
13	and related costs	5,000
14	(a5) KSA students travel and	
15	related costs	10,000
16	(a6) Walung community activities,	
17	events need and program	42,000
18	(a7) Tafunsak 2016 Christmas event	
19	preparation/activities	5,000
20	(a8) Utwe Youth Endeavor activities .	3,000
21	(a9) Nipartak basketball team	
22	(airfare, meals and rental)	-0-
23	(a10) Pohnpei/Kosrae fast pitch team .	10,000
24	(a11) Guam/Kosrae fast pitch team	
25	(airfare, meals and rental)	5,000"

1 Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-121, as amended
2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-130, 19-142, 20-09, 20-70, 20-123, 20-162,
3 20-170 and 21-35, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and
5 lapse date. All funds appropriated by this act shall
6 be allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
7 accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
8 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
9 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
10 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
11 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
12 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
13 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
14 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of
15 Yap State; PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds
16 appropriated under section 2(k) shall be the President
17 of the Federated States of Micronesia. The allottee of
18 funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act
19 shall be the President of the Federated States of
20 Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee
21 of funds appropriated under subsections 3(a) through
22 3(z) shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak Municipal
23 Government; the allottee of funds appropriated under
24 subsections 3(aa) – 3(all) shall be the Mayor of Lelu
25 Town Government, or his designee EXCEPT THAT the

1 allottee of fund appropriated under subsection 3(au) of
2 this act shall be the Governor of Kosrae or his
3 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
4 subsection 4(1)(a) of this act shall be the Governor of
5 Pohnpei State or his designee; the allottee of funds
6 appropriated under subsections 4(1)(l), 4(3)(a),
7 4(3)(f) and 4(3)(i) of this act shall be the Pohnpei
8 Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of funds
9 appropriated under subsections 4(2)(a), 4(2)(d),
10 4(2)(e), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(i), 4(2)(j),
11 4(2)(k), 4(2)(l) and 4(2)(m) shall be the Secretary of
12 the Department of Transportation, Communications and
13 Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds
14 appropriated under subsection 4(2)(b) shall be the
15 Pohnpei Utility Corporation (PUC); the allottee of
16 funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(c) shall be
17 the Office of Fisheries, Pohnpei State; the allottee of
18 funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(n) shall be
19 the Secretary of the Department of Education or his
20 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
21 subsection 4(3)(b) shall be the Pohnpei State Public
22 Safety; the allottee of funds appropriated under
23 subsections 4(3)(c) and 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the
24 Meninkeder of Madolenihmw; allottee of funds
25 appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d) and 4(3)(m)

1 shall be the Luhkenmoanlap of Kittu. The allottee of
2 funds appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and
3 5(6) of this act shall be the Governor of Chuuk State
4 or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated
5 under subsection 5(2) of this act shall be the Mortlock
6 Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds
7 appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be
8 the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The
9 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of
10 this act shall be the Faichuk Development Authority.
11 The authority of the allottee to obligate funds
12 appropriated by this act shall lapse on September 30,
13 2020."

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

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Dec 23, 2019

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David W. Panuelo
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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