

# The President

Palikir, Pohnpei Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-320
FSM CONGRESS

June **23** , 2020

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. **21-137**:

Congressional Act No. 21-148, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-178, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56, 21-102 AND 21-115, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

David W. Panuelo

Sincerely

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. 21-148, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-178, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56, 21-102 AND 21-115, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures



# PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-320 FSM CONGRESS

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOURTH REGULAR SESSION MAY 11 - 30, 2020 (EXTENDED BY C.R. NO. 21-164, ADOPTED 6/5/20)

# An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 20-178, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56, 21-102 AND 21-115, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE, ALLOTTEE AND LAPSE DATE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: VICTOR V. GOULAND

DATE: MAY 20, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - MAY 26, 2020

FIRST READING: - MAY 27, 2020

SECOND READING: - JUNE 06, 2020

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 21-148

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-320
FSM CONGRESS

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-219, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4, C.D.5)

We hereby certify that on June 06 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fourth Regular Session, 2020, 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

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis

Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

FOURTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-219, C.D.1, C.D.2, C.D.3, C.D.4, C.D.5

### AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 20-178, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56, 21-102 and 21-115, by amending sections 3, 4 and 6 thereof, to change the use, allottee and lapse date of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk States, 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. 20-178, as amended by
2	Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-07, 21-53, 21,56 and 21-90, is hereby
3	amended to read as follows:
4	"Section 3. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this
5	act, \$1,400,000 shall be apportioned for public
6	projects and social programs for the people of Kosrae
7	State.
8	state of Kosrae \$ 1,400,000
9	(a) Kosrae State Government subsidy 100,000
10	(b) Utwe Community projects 40,000
11	(c) Tafunsak Community projects 40,000
12	(d) Malem Community projects 40,000
13	(e) Lelu Community projects 40,000
14	(f) Sewing project for Lelu Youth 20,000
15	(g) Poultry projects 60,000
16	(h) Kosrae High School Lunch Program 60,000
17	(i) Taro project 40,000

1	(j) Kosrae State Speaker's office subsidy	\$30,000
2	(k) Referral Program	50,000
3	(1) Solar freezers	50,000
4	(m) Purchase of outboard motors	50,000
5	(n) Landfill in Tafunsak	30,000
6	(o) Lime project	40,000
7	(p) Lelu United Women Association subsidy	10,000
8	(q) Retaining Wall at Innem, Lelu	20,000
9	(r) Tuition costs for Kosraean students at	:
10	Xavier High School	42,000
11	(s) Laptops for students/teachers	40,000
12	(t) Utwe Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
13	(u) Lelu Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
14	(v) Tafunsak Municipal Government Subsidy	20,000
15	(w) Malem Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
16	(x) Dry Litter pigpen pilot project	
17	in Lelu	20,000
18	(y) Solar lights	-0-
19	(z) Travel needs	90,000
20	(aa) Kosrae Delegation Scholarship Program	60,000
21	(ab) Fishing project	30,000
22	(ac) Menka, Utwe farm road/improvement	30,000
23	(ad) COM-FSM students outstanding	
24	payment/tuition	40,000
25	(ae) Kosrae State Court subsidy	50,000

1	(af) Utwe Center Point renovation and
2	related costs \$ 10,000
3	(ag) Boro landscaping project 20,000
4	(ah) Kosrae Historic Preservation Agency 23,000
5	(ai) Kosraean WCA in Guam travel and
6	associated costs to Hawaii and return 30,000
7	(aj) Kosraean baseball team in Guam
8	travel and associated costs to Seattle and return 30,000
9	(ak) Kosrae wrestling team (no coach)
10	travel and associated cost to Spain/Sophia,
11	Romania/Estonia 40,000
12	(al) WCA/Kosrae Women Association in
13	Pohnpei travel needs and associated costs to Women
14	Conference in Kosrae 5,000
15	(am) Kosrae Island Veterans Association 20,000
16	(an) Scholarship for Kosraean students 20,000"
17	Section 2. Section 4 of Public Law No. 20-178, as amended by
18	Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36 and 21-53, 21-56, 21-90 and
19	21-115, is hereby further amended to read as follows:
20	"Section 4. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this
21	act, \$2,800,000 shall be apportioned for public
22	projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei
23	State.
24	state of Pohnpei
25	(1) At Large 700,000

1	(a) Nanmal road improvement from	
2	Capitol road to Palikir school \$	40,000
3	(b) Madolenihmw, water supply	
4	improvement	40,000
5	(c) Kitti, Oare road improvement	
6	project	40,000
7	(d) Sapwuafik school classrooms	
8	repair and maintenance	20,000
9	(d1) Sapwuafik transportation	
10	equipment purchase	15,362
11	(e) Sokehs Municipal retaining wall	40,000
12	(f) Play ground for children in	
13	Danpei and Mwalok	15,000
14	(g) Pohnpei State police vehicle	25,000
15	(h) Public Safety Fish and	
16	Wildlife Outboard motor	17,000
17	(i) Nanwelin Rohi road repair	
18	and improvement	15,000
19	(j) Lewetik Sokehs Community	
20	Center renovation	15,000
21	(k) Pohnpei — Guam apprenticeship	
22	Program	20,000
23	(1) UCCP Kolonia Community Center	
24	Access road/parking	77,000
25	(m) Pohnpei road improvement (coral	

1	purchase, culvert and drainage, labor) \$ 30,0
2	(n) Wapar, Madolenihmw Community
3	water project
4	(o) Kitti, Meilap, Dien, shore
5	access road and slipway 35,0
6	(p) Mwakot, Kitti road maintenance/
7	paving 100,0
8	(q) Pohnpei household water
9	system improvement
10	(r) NMS School fencing 20,0
11	(s) Madolenihmw Constitution/
12	activities/sports events 6,0
13	(t) Outreach program 10,6
14	(u) Students' needs 27,8
15	(v) MicSem building renovation 10,0
16	(2) Election District No. 1
17	(a) Seidokonowa road one project 60,0
18	(b) Seidokonowa road two project 35,00
19	(c) Pohnrakied dock project 40,00
20	(d) RSP Classroom chairs and tables 12,00
21	(e) Sapwohn basketball court construction 30,00
22	(f) Peidie mangrove pathway project
23	(g) Solar lights 35,00
24	(h) Beautification project 30,00
25	(i) Nanpohnmal road/bridges

1	improvement \$ -0-
2	(j) Sokehs Constitution
3	Convention subsidy 30,000
4	(k) Communication 40,000
5	(1) Sapwuahfik Nan Pepper
6	Community building
7	(m) Sokehs ridge cleaning 18,000
8	(n) Saint Barnabas Community Nahs 20,000
9	(o) Pohnpei Utility Corporation subsidy 50,000
10	(p) Sokehs Council subsidy 10,000
11	(q) COM-FSM students outstanding
12	payment/tuition
13	(r) Palikir Elementary School food stall 25,000
14	(s) Purchase of school buses and
15	associated costs
16	(t) Christmas lighting project 10,000
17	(u) Community House Renovation-
18	Eir Community
19	(v) Kolonia Town Government transportation 20,000
20	(w) Transportation needs/equipments 15,000
21	(x) Culvert pipes 5,000
22	(y) Kepinkep pave road
23	(z) Kolonia Town Government boom
24	truck repair 5,000
25	(3) Election District No. 2 700,000

1	(a) Travel needs \$	25,000
2	(b) Community Outreach and Advocacy	
3	Program	-0-
4	(c) Medical referral program	30,000
5	(d) Students financial assistance	20,000
6	(e) Meninkeder lapalap subsidy	20,000
7	(f) Water Delivery Assistance	75,000
8	(g) Roads improvement	-0-
9	(h) Kinakapw road (Nixon M) paving.	30,000
10	(i) Purchase of coral/equipment rental.	100,000
11	(j) Mand community flatbed truck	-0-
12	(k) Solar lights	-0-
13	(1) SYO Softball Team to Maui 2019	
14	Liberation Day Celebration	30,000
15	(m) Culverts purchase	20,000
16	(n) Hazard Mitigation	15,000
17	(o) ED#2 Administrative support	60,000
18	(p) Pohn-Usulap — Kitam	30,000
19	(q) ED#2 current and prior obligations	-0-
20	(r) Ohwa school subsidy	15,000
21	(s) APIPA conference associated costs	-0-
22	(t) Dien and Pehleng Pepper	
23	Development Association	10,000
24	(u) Kepindau Church Civic Center	25,000
25	(v) UCCP Summit implementation	15,000

1	(w) Nan Mand rockwall \$	15,000
2	(x) Pihs Community Flatbed	10,000
3	(y) Students' residing abroad	
4	financial assistance	25,000
5	(z) Pohnpeian Student Association-	
6	University of Guam	5,000
7	(aa) Lewetik, Kitti civic center	20,000
8	(ab) Pihs, Madolenihmw road paving	85,000
9	(ac) Pohnpei Chamber of Commerce	10,000
10	(ad) ED #2 vehicle purchase	10,000
11	(4) Election District No. 3	700,000
12	(a) Students summer program	
13	financial support/Tuition costs for	
14	First Year Xavier students	50,000
15	(b) Micronesian Baseball	
16	Classic financial support	30,000
17	(c) Nett Solar streetlights	100,000
18	(d) Pingelap Municipal	
19	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
20	(e) Mwokilloa Municipal	
21	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
22	(f) Pahn-parahdo, Nett roads paving	75,000
23	(g) Otohi, U roads paving	85,000
24	(h) Medical referral	20,000
25	(i) Community Outreach	

and Advocacy Program \$ 50,000
(j) Purchase of coral filling materials 50,000
(k) Nett Civic Center 50,000
(1) Nan U road side railing construction 50,000
(m) Pali Ais, Nett road construction 25,000
(n) Awak Likin Pein Awak school multi
purpose building
Section 3. Section 6 of Public Law No. 20-178, as amended by
Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56 and 21-102, is hereby
further amended to read as follows:
"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
State or his designee. The allottee of funds
appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be the
Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT
the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections

3(ad) of this act and 4(2)(q) shall be the President of
COM-FSM or his designee; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections 3(ae) to 3(an) of this
act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his
designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsection 3(al) of this act shall be
the Secretary of the FSM Department of Education or his
designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under
section 4 of this act shall be the President of the
Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED
THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under section
4(1) and subsection 4(3)(w) of this act shall be the
Vice President of the Federated States of Micronesia or
his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections $4(3)(a)$ , $4(3)(b)$ and $4(3)(c)$ of this act
shall be the Secretary of the Department of Health and
Social Affairs or her designee; the allottee of funds
appropriated under subsections $4(3)(d)$ , $4(3)(y)$ and
4(3)(z) of this act shall be the Secretary of the
Department of Education or his designee; the allottee of
funds appropriated under subsections 4(4)(f) and 4(3)(p)
of this act shall be the Pohnpei Transportation
Authority, the funds appropriated under subsection
4(3)(g) of this act shall be the President of the
Federated States of Micronesia or his designee, the

allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(x)
of this act shall be the Meninkeder Lapalap of
Madolenihmw Municipal Government or his designee; the
funds appropriated under subsections $4(3)(i)$ , $4(3)(j)$ of
this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of
Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his
designee; The allottee of the funds appropriated under
subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the
Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee of
the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act
shall be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority
(MIDA); the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 5(3) of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno
Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of
the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act
shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority;
the allottee of the funds appropriated under subsection
5(5) of this act shall be the Faichuk Development
Authority. The authority of the allottee to obligate
funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September
30, 2022."

1	Section 4. 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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8	June 23" 1, 2020
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13	President
14	Federated States of Micronesia
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