FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2023 CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 23-14, C.D.1

P.C. NO. 23-62

PUBLIC LAW NO. 23-11

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 22-180, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 22-187, 22-188, 23-03 and 23-09, by amending sections 4, 5 and 6 thereof, for the purpose of changing the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei and Chuuk states, and for other purposes.

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

1	Section 1. "Section 4 of Public Law No. 22-180, as amended
2	by Public Law No. 22-188, is hereby further amended to read
3	as follows:
4	"Section 4. Of the \$8,820,000 appropriated under this
5	act, \$2,520,000 shall be apportioned for public projects
6	and social programs for the people of Pohnpei State.
7	state of Pohnpei \$ 2,520,000
8	(1) At Large
9	(a) Pohnpei circumferential asphalt road
10	repair (including replacement of broken cross
11	road culverts) 100,000
12	(b) Community Roads repair and
13	maintenance 50,000
14	(c) Pohnpei Hospital medical wards
15	repair and renovation 100,000
16	(d) Pohnpei Outer Islands Vessel
17	Operations (salaries and wages for crews) . 75,000

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1	(e) Lohd Road Paving \$	100,000
2	(f) Pohnpei Public Safety supplies	
3	and equipment	25,000
4	(g) Congressional Administrative	
5	support costs	25,000
6	(h) Children Medical Referral	
7	Assistance	25,000
8	(i) Students financial assistance	25,000
9	(j) Kahmar asphalt road repair	
10	(material and labor costs)	30,000
11	(k) Nansoumwuhmw farm road extension	50,000
12	(1) Repair and maintenance	
13	of Lady Pohnpei	25,000
14	(2) Election District No. 1	630,000
15	(a) Nukuoru Women Sewing project	10,000
16	(b) Kolonia Senior Citizens subsidy	10,000
17	(c) Kepinkep Community Nahs maintenance	10,000
18	(d) Pohnpei State Environment Protection	
19	Agency building construction and maintenance	30,000
20	(e) Communication internet rental	10,000
21	(f) Soledi upper road project	70,000
22	(g) Purchase of wheelchairs	15,000
23	(h) Kousapw Eihr paved road overlay	30,000
24	(i) Pohnpei Catholic School subsidy	10,000
25	(j) Pohnpei State EPA parking and	

1	road paving\$	15,000
2	(k) Pohras overlay paving (Iohl)	30,000
3	(1) Sokehs Pah access roads paving .	30,000
4	(m) Sokehs Powe access roads paving	15,000
5	(n) Bleachers Kolonia-China Gymnasium	25,000
6	(o) Pohnpei Port Authority airport chairs	30,000
7	(p) Open Market Causeway	
8	project supplemental	75 , 000
9	(q) Sapwuahfik Municipal	
10	Government subsidy	-0-
11	(r) Sekere-Nikehwe road overlay paving	70,000
12	(s) Lien Alem Care Center support	20,000
13	(t) Land transportation	20,000
14	(u) Misfit Exercise facility maintenance	10,000
15	(v) Sokehs ridges cleaning/clearing	20,000
16	(w) Sapwuafik Community house expansion	25,000
17	(x) Agriculture access road	-0-
18	(y) Sapwohn Community house	-0-
19	(z) Pwilinsokon Community house	-0-
20	(aa) Administrative support costs	50,000
21	(3) Election District No. 2	630,000
22	(a) Areu (David) road	25,000
23	(b) Contribution to Lien Alem en	
24	Pohnpei activities	20,000
25	(c) MERIP	25,000

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1	(d) Diadi Madolenihmw \$	35,000
2	(e) Medical referral	30,000
3	(f) Nankerpene bridge	55,000
4	(g) Temwen Civic Center	15,000
5	(h) Ipwitek road paving	25,000
6	(i) Kitamw road improvement	50,000
7	(j) Nanpworonais road paving	35,000
8	(k) Nan Mand road	100,000
9	(1) Economic, social and public projects	100,000
10	(m) Ohwa church road pavement and parking	60,000
11	(n) Road pavement for mini-circle	55,000
12	(4) Election District No. 3	630,000
13	(a) Eirke road repair/paving	50,000
14	(b) Nett Municipal Government	
15	public projects	250,000
16	(c) Kepin Awak new road	35,000
17	(d) Nan U drainage	9,000
18	(e) Nan Welin Rohi Coral Capping	18,000
19	(f) Mwokilloa Municipal Government	
20	public projects	65,000
21	(g) Pingelap Municipal Government	
22	public projects	65,000
23	(h) U Luhke road rehabilitation	20,000
24	(i) Nan welin Rohi new road construction	15,000
25	(j) U Municipal court building	15,000

1	(k) Takaieu power \$ 20,000
2	(1) Pohnpwet 68,000"
3	Section 5 of Public Law No. 22-180, as amended by Public
4	Laws Nos. 22-187, 22-188, 23-03 and 23-09, is hereby further
5	amended to read as follows:
6	"Section 5. Of the \$8,820,000 appropriated under this
7	act, \$3,780,000 shall be apportioned for public projects
8	and social programs for the people of Chuuk State.
9	state of Chuuk \$ 3,780,000
10	(1) At Large
11	(a) Administrative Support Costs
12	(prior obligations for salaries, benefits
13	and others) 30,000
14	(b) Contributions to State, Municipal
15	or Community Activities, Events and Programs
16	(including prior obligation) 100,000
17	(c) Fishing projects 85,000
18	(d) Housing renovations 100,000
19	(e) Land transportations 95,000
20	(f) Water projects 30,000
21	(g) Patients/Students/Leaders travel needs 85,000
22	(h) Contributions to FSM Associations,
23	Organizations & Groups within and outside the FSM 25,000
24	(i) Children's playground needs0-
25	(j) Municipal Constitutional Conventions 30,000

1	(k) Roads beautification/Seawalls improvement	\$ 15,000
2	(1) Northern Namoneas legislature	
3	delegation fund	35,000
4	(2) Election District No. 1	630,000
5	(a) Mortlock Municipal Governments subsidy	90,000
6	(b) Solar System	50,000
7	(c) Housing renovation and maintenance	70,000
8	(d) Multipurpose buildings/construction/	
9	renovation	70,000
10	(e) Mortlock Islands Development Authority's	
11	vessels operation	60,000
12	(f) Chuuk Legislature Mortlock delegation	
13	representation funds	40,000
14	(g) Municipal road improvements	50,000
15	(h) Professional fees and prior obligations	10,000
16	(i) Fishing projects	90,000
17	(j) Travel needs	60,000
18	(k) Travel for Inauguration and other Special	
19	Occasions	40,000
20	(3) Election District No. 2	610,000
21	(a) ED#2 Administrative support costs	30,000
22	(b) Students financial assistance	30,000
23	(c) Housing renovation/rehabilitation	150,000
24	(d) Contributions to Associations abroad	30,000
25	(e) Human repatriation related costs	10,000

1	(f) Humanitarian assistance/	
2	food relief program \$	90,000
3	(g) Municipal Governments subsidy,	
4	of which 10,000 is for Mayor and Deputy Mayor of	
5	Weno Municipal Government representation fund	40,000
6	(h) Fishing project	30,000
7	(i) Land transportation	50,000
8	(j) Heavy equipment purchase/road maintenance	100,000
9	(k) Weno Constitution Day/Goodwill games	10,000
10	(1) Weno Election	10,000
11	(m) Travel needs	30,000
12	(4) Election District No. 3	690,000
13	(a) Water projects	10,000
14	(b) Solar project	28,000
15	(c) Sewing project	20,000
16	(d) Land acquisition for Uman Municipality	10,000
17	(e) Community events, activities and programs	20,000
18	(f) Contributions to Associations,	
19	Non-Government Organizations and chartered groups	50,000
20	(g) Humanitarian assistance/aid	60,000
21	(h) Housing renovations	62,000
22	(i) Students financial assistance	20,000
23	(j) Travel needs	40,000
24	(k) Non-insured patients' assistance/	
25	medicines/embalmment related costs	10,000

1	(1) POL/Chartered/Freight\$	30,000
2	•	250,000
3	(n) Meeting Hall repair/improvement	25,000
4	(o) SNDA operation	30,000
5	(p) Land transportation	25,000
6	(5) Election District No. 4	610,000
7	(a) Students financial assistance	30,000
8	(b) Youths activities and programs	20,000
9	(c) Sewing project	40,000
10	(d) Fishing project	90,000
11	(e) Low income housing	80,000
12	(f) Nikumi road improvement	-0-
13	(g) Land transportation	40,000
14	(h) Leadership/Patients travel needs	40,000
15	(i) Repatriation of human remains	20,000
16	(j) FDA administrative support cost	30,000
17	(k) Food relief/food security program	65,000
18	(1) Fason road improvement	-0-
19	(m) Leadership travel needs	130,000
20	(n) Solar freezers	25,000
21	(6) Election District No. 5	610,000
22	(a) Community and Municipal	
23	activities/events/programs	50,000
24	(b) Low income/community multipurpose	
25	housing renovation/rehabilitation	50,000

1	(c)	Students financial assistance \$	20,000
2	(d)	Solar street lights	45,000
3	(e)	Food relief program	50,000
4	(f)	Land transportation	40,000
5	(a)	Solar freezers	45,000
6	(h)	Election District 5 Office	
7	administ	rative support costs	20,000
8	(i)	PMA prior obligation (Northwest School	
9	supplies	& freight costs)	-0-
10	(i)	Fishing projects	50,000
11	(k)	POL/Freight/Charters	80,000
12	(1)	Musical instruments	45,000
13	(m)	Patients/Students/Leaders travel needs	25,000
14	(n)	Solar power system	45,000
15	(0)	Leadership summit	-0-
16	(p)	Fiber Glass boat repair	-0-
17	(d)	Northwest Leadership travel needs	45,000"
18	Section 3.	Section 6 of Public Law No. 22-180, as am	ended by
19	Public Law No. 2	2-188, is hereby further amended to read as	3
20	follows:		
21	"Section	6. Allotment and management of funds and	lapse
22	date. A	ll funds appropriated by this act shall be	
23	allotted	, managed, administered and accounted for i	.n
24	accordan	ce with applicable laws, including, but not	limited
25	to, the	Financial Management Act of 1979. The allo	ottee

1	shall be responsible for ensuring that these funds, or so
2	much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for the
3	purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are
4	incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee
5	of the funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall
6	be the Governor of Yap State or his designee. The allottee
7	of funds appropriated under sections 3 and 4 of this act
8	shall be the President of the Federated States of
9	Micronesia or his designee; EXCEPT THAT, the allottee of
10	funds appropriated under section 3(1) of this act shall be
11	the Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; the allottee
12	of funds appropriated under section 3(2) of this act shall
13	be the Mayor of Lelu Town Government or his designee; the
14	allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(b),
15	4(1)(k), 4(1)(l), 4(2)(a), 4(2)(b), 4(2)(c), 4(2)(d),
16	4(2)(e), 4(2)(g), 4(2)(h), 4(2)(n), 4(2)(p), 4(2)(s),
17	4(2)(t), $4(2)(u)$, $4(2)(v)$ and $4(2)(aa)$ of this act shall be
18	the Secretary of the Department of Transportation,
19	Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the
20	allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(1)(a),
21	4(1)(j), 4(2)(f), 4(2)(j), 4(2)(k), 4(2)(l), 4(2)(m),
22	4(2)(r), $4(2)(x)$, $4(3)(m)$ and $4(2)(n)$ of this act shall be
23	the Pohnpei Transportation Authority (PTA); the allottee of
24	funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(i) of this act
25	shall be the Secretary of the Department of Education or

her designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsection 4(2)(o) of this act shall be the Pohnpei Port
Authority (PPA); the allottee of funds appropriated under
subsections $4(2)(w)$, $4(2)(q)$ and $4(2)(z)$ of this act shall
be the Mayor of Sapwuahfik Municipal Government 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 the 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, 2025."

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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7	<u>July 18,</u> 2023
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11	/s/ Wesley W. Simina
12	Wesley W. Simina President
13	Federated States of Micronesia
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