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*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

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The Honorable Esmond B. Moses  
Speaker  
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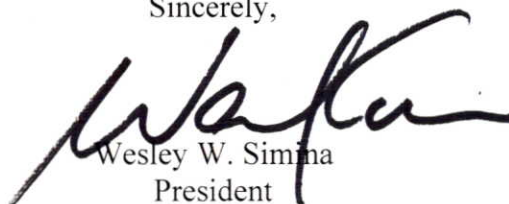
Dear Speaker Moses:

I am pleased to transmit the following act, which I have signed to become Public Law No. 24-43 :

Congressional Act No. 24-46, entitled: "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127, 21-20, 21-117, 21-169, 21-174, 21-194, 21-205, 21-233, 22-15, 22-54, 22-109, 23-52 AND 23-85, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POENPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I take this opportunity to thank the 24<sup>th</sup> FSM Congress for the passage of this act.

Sincerely,

  
Wesley W. Simina  
President

xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court



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September 25, 2025

His Excellency Wesley W. Simina  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia  
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Dear President Simina:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 24-46, "AN ACT TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127, 21-20, 21-117, 21-169, 21-174, 21-194, 21-205, 21-233, 22-15, 22-54, 22-109, 23-52 AND 23-85, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, which was passed by the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2025, by a two-thirds vote of all the State delegations as required and as duly certified.

Sincerely yours,

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

Enclosures

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FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION  
SEPTEMBER 12 - 01, 2025

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## An Act

TO FURTHER AMEND PUBLIC LAW NO. 19-54, AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC LAWS NOS. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127, 21-20, 21-117, 21-169, 21-174, 21-194, 21-205, 21-233, 22-15, 22-54, 22-109, 23-52 AND 23-85, BY AMENDING SECTIONS 4 AND 6 THEREOF, TO CHANGE THE USE AND ALLOTTEE OF FUNDS PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED THEREIN, TO FUND PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF POHNPEI, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: JERMY W. MUDONG

DATE: SEPTEMBER 19, 2025

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REFERRED TO: WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE  
WITHDRAWN – SEPTEMBER 22, 2025

FIRST READING: SEPTEMBER 22, 2025

SECOND READING: SEPTEMBER 24, 2025

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 24-146

FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 24-46

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 24-75)

We hereby certify that on September 24 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-Fourth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2025, 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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Esmond B. Moses  
Speaker  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

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Jessicalynn Reyes  
Chief Clerk  
Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia

AN ACT

To further amend Public Law No. 19-54, as amended by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 20-04, 20-56, 20-82, 20-127, 21-20, 21-117, 21-169, 21-174, 21-194, 21-205, 21-233, 22-15, 22-54, 22-109, 23-52 and 23-85, by amending sections 4 and 6 thereof, to change the use and allottee of funds previously appropriated therein, to fund public projects and social programs in the state of Pohnpei, 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. 19-54, as amended  
2 by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-79, 19-99, 19-119, 19-129, 19-173,  
3 22-15, 22-54 and 23-52, is hereby further amended to read as  
4 follows:

5               "Section 4. Of the sum of \$4,800,000 appropriated by  
6 this act, \$1,400,000 is apportioned for public projects  
7 and social programs in the state of Pohnpei.

8               state of Pohnpei ..... \$     1,400,000

9               (1) At Large public projects  
10              and social programs .....               350,000

11                      (a) Community water project and supplies     50,000

12                      (b) Sokehs Ridge WWII Historic Site  
13              design, construction, and beautification Project     53,375

14                      (c) Medical referral assistance ....       15,000

15                      (d) Tamorohi Sokehs Access Road  
16              maintenance and paving .....               -0-

17                      (e) Pohnpei Civic Center - Nett ....       25,000

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| 1  | (f) Wapar/Enipoas road repair           |           |
| 2  | and maintenance .....                   | \$ 40,000 |
| 3  | (g) Kitti, Kipar, Pweipwei road repair  | 60,000    |
| 4  | (h) Sokehs, Sekere students' walkway    | 10,000    |
| 5  | (i) Kitti, Niolok road paving .....     | 32,500    |
| 6  | (j) Pohnpei State Land building ....    | 50,000    |
| 7  | (k) Sport Facilities repair/improvement | 4,125     |
| 8  | (l) SDA School Freight Cost subsidy     | 10,000    |
| 9  | (2) Election District No. 1. ....       | 350,000   |
| 10 | (a) Pakin Solar/Tower Project .....     | 40,000    |
| 11 | (b) Mercedes Building, Kolonia Town     | 40,000    |
| 12 | (c) Rehuematic heart disease screening  | 20,000    |
| 13 | (d) Solar/L.E.D lights .....            | 39,974    |
| 14 | (e) Kolonia Ladies Club building        |           |
| 15 | renovation .....                        | 4,939     |
| 16 | (f) Transportation need                 |           |
| 17 | (Kapinga village) .....                 | 7,756     |
| 18 | (g) Sapwuafik Government Stonewall      |           |
| 19 | Project/labor cost .....                | 10,000    |
| 20 | (h) Community Outreach and Advocacy     |           |
| 21 | Program .....                           | 12,120    |
| 22 | (i) Pohnpei Municipal Council           |           |
| 23 | Association .....                       | 4,466     |
| 24 | (j) Community cleanup .....             | 10,000    |
| 25 | (k) Lih en Alem civic center .....      | 15,000    |

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| 1  | (l) Kolonia Council recording system \$  | 10,000  |
| 2  | (m) Water desalination system            |         |
| 3  | for Outer Islands .....                  | 20,700  |
| 4  | (n) Palikir School maintenance/          |         |
| 5  | fencing .....                            | 99,125  |
| 6  | (o) Dolon Bridge improvement .....       | 4,975   |
| 7  | (p) Musical Instrument .....             | 10,945  |
| 8  | (3) Election District No. 2 .....        | 350,000 |
| 9  | (a) Agriculture Fair .....               | 5,000   |
| 10 | (b) Wone School road paving .....        | 40,000  |
| 11 | (c) Madolenihmw water system             |         |
| 12 | upgrade (Mand) .....                     | -0-     |
| 13 | (d) Lohd Main Road access paving ...     | 18,509  |
| 14 | (e) Nan Rohi bridge .....                | 20,000  |
| 15 | (f) Sapwalap Pohnsaumw water system      | 10,000  |
| 16 | (g) Purchase of PVC pipes/water          |         |
| 17 | catchments .....                         | 10,000  |
| 18 | (h) Pohrasapw culvert repair .....       | 5,000   |
| 19 | (i) Students financial assistance ..     | 10,000  |
| 20 | (j) Youth sports activities .....        | 10,000  |
| 21 | (k) Pohrasapw/Sounkiroun Loop .....      | 15,000  |
| 22 | (l) Kepinle, Kitti access road .....     | 10,000  |
| 23 | (m) ED2 administrative support/cost      | 20,000  |
| 24 | (n) Lehdau, Madolenihmw road upgrade     | -0-     |
| 25 | (o) Constitution Day activities/programs | 5,000   |

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| 1  | (p) Liberation Day activities/programs \$ | 10,000  |
| 2  | (q) Isokehnedi building .....             | 35,000  |
| 3  | (r) Pohnpei Constitution activities       |         |
| 4  | (sports/awards) .....                     | -0-     |
| 5  | (s) Xavier High School tuition .....      | 10,000  |
| 6  | (t) Ohwa High School tuition and food     | 10,000  |
| 7  | (u) Kipar water system upgrade .....      | 10,000  |
| 8  | (v) Kinakapw Road upgrade .....           | 10,000  |
| 9  | (w) Paies power extension .....           | -0-     |
| 10 | (x) FSM Constitution activities           |         |
| 11 | (sports/awards) Guam .....                | 15,000  |
| 12 | (y) Salapwuk road improvement .....       | 40,000  |
| 13 | (z) Wone school water drilling/           |         |
| 14 | labor/Matching .....                      | 21,491  |
| 15 | (aa) Parau Civic Center .....             | 10,000  |
| 16 | (4) Election District No. 3 .....         | 350,000 |
| 17 | (a) Election District No. 3 road/         |         |
| 18 | utilities improvement .....               | -0-     |
| 19 | (b) School improvement projects ....      | 45,000  |
| 20 | (c) Mwokil Municipal Government Subsidy   | 15,000  |
| 21 | (d) Pingelap Municipal Government Subsidy | 15,000  |
| 22 | (e) Medical referrals .....               | 15,000  |
| 23 | (f) Nett Municipal Government Subsidy     | 15,000  |
| 24 | (g) U Municipal Government Subsidy .      | 15,000  |
| 25 | (h) Community Outreach and Advocacy       |         |

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| 1 | Program .....                       | \$ | 35,000  |
| 2 | (i) Sport equipment .....           |    | 10,000  |
| 3 | (j) Power extension .....           |    | 70,000  |
| 4 | (k) PUC generator maintenance ..... |    | 100,000 |
| 5 | (l) U roads .....                   |    | -0-     |
| 6 | (m) Lien Alem .....                 |    | 15,000" |

7       Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 19-54, as amended  
8 by Public Laws Nos. 19-62, 19-75, 19-99, 19-129, 20-04, 20-127,  
9 21-20, 21-117, 22-15, 22-109 and 23-85, is hereby further  
10 amended to read as follows:

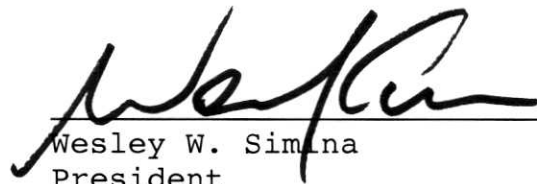
11       "Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse  
12 date. All fund appropriated by this act shall be  
13 allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in  
14 accordance with applicable laws including, but not  
15 limited to, the applicable laws, including, but not  
16 limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The  
17 allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
18 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used  
19 solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that  
20 no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum  
21 appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated  
22 under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap  
23 State. The allottee of funds appropriated under  
24 sections 3 and 4 of this act shall be the President of  
25 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;

1           PROVIDED THAT, the allottee of funds appropriated under  
2           subsections 3(a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h),  
3           (t), (u), (v), (ag), (ar) and (as) of this act shall be  
4           the Mayor of Utwe Municipal Government or his designee;  
5           the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections  
6           3(k), (w), (x), (y), (z), (aa), (ab), (ac), (ad), (ae),  
7           (af), (ah), (ai), (aj), (ak), (al), (am), (an), (ao),  
8           (ap) and (aq) of this act shall be the Mayor of Tafunsak  
9           Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of  
10          funds appropriate under subsections 4(1)(a), (b), (c),  
11          (e), (f), 4(2), 4(3)f) and 4(3)(aa) shall be the  
12          Secretary of the Department of Transportation,  
13          Communications and Infrastructure or his designee; the  
14          allottee of funds appropriated under subsections  
15          4(1)(d), 4(3)(b), 4(3)(d), 4(3)(e), 4(3)(h), 4(3)(k),  
16          4(3)(l) and 4(3)(y) shall be the Pohnpei Transportation  
17          Authority (PTA). The allottee of fund appropriated under  
18          subsection 4(3)(z) of this act shall be the Pohnpei  
19          Utility Corporation. The allottee of funds appropriated  
20          under subsections 5(1) and 5(6) of this act shall be the  
21          Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee  
22          of funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act  
23          shall be the Mortlock Islands Development Authority.  
24          The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(3)  
25          of this act shall be the Mayor of Weno Municipal

Government or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of 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, 2026."

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

October 10, 2025

  
Wesley W. Simina  
President  
Federated States of Micronesia

PUBLIC LAW NO. 24-43