



The President
Palikir, Pohnpei
Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-438
FSM CONGRESS

April 10, 2019

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
Twentieth Congress of the 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. 20-178:

Congressional Act No. 20-175, entitled: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$9,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2019, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE PEOPLE OF YAP, KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK STATES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

I thank Congress for the passage of this Act.

Sincerely,



Peter M. Christian

Xc: Chief Justice, FSM Supreme Court





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His Excellency Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia
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Dear President Christian:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Congressional Act No. 20-175, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$9,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2019, 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 Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh 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



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TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION
MARCH 8 - 17, 2019

An Act

TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$9,800,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2019, 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: PALIKNOA K. WELLY

DATE: MARCH 8, 2019

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN – MARCH 8, 2019

FIRST READING: – MARCH 8, 2019

SECOND READING: – MARCH 14, 2019

PUBLIC LAW No. 20- 178

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Liwiana Ramon Ioanis
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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ACT NO. 20-175

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-291, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on March 14 the foregoing act passed
Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia, Seventh 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

TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION, 2019

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-291, C.D.1

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$9,800,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, 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 \$9,800,000, 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, 2019, 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 \$9,800,000 appropriated under this act,
9 \$1,400,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social
10 programs for the people of Yap State.

11 state of Yap..... \$ 1,400,000

12 (a) Medical referral for

13 uninsured patients 100,000

14 (b) Fuel and provisioning of

15 the FSM Vessels field trip services to the

16 Outer Islands of Yap 150,000

17 (c) Land acquisition in Yap

18 for Outer Islanders' settlement in Yap 400,000

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1	(d) Ngariy, Rull seawall project...	\$ 40,000
2	(e) Worwoo, Rull women center.....	60,000
3	(f) Gilfith Village dredging project	30,000
4	(g) Power extension to Faraulap	
5	Community in Taneyaboch	10,000
6	(h) Boat and motor for Pigeol	
7	Village, Wottegai	20,000
8	(i) Binik Village	
9	water and power extension	62,000
10	(j) Anoth Village, Gilman	
11	community projects	70,000
12	(k) Amin Village, Maap	
13	road project supplemental	100,000
14	(l) Faith Christian Academy	
15	Construction supplemental	194,000
16	(m) Okau Village Fiterungdu bridge..	56,000
17	(n) Faraulap dispensary.....	108,000
18	Section 3. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this act,	
19	\$1,400,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social	
20	programs for the people of Kosrae State.	
21	state of Kosrae.....	\$ 1,400,000
22	(a) Kosrae State Government subsidy.	100,000
23	(b) Utwe Community projects.....	40,000
24	(c) Tafunsak Community projects.....	40,000
25	(d) Malem Community projects.....	40,000

1	(e) Lelu Community projects	\$ 40,000
2	(f) Sewing project for Lelu Youth ..	20,000
3	(g) Poultry projects	60,000
4	(h) Kosrae High School Lunch Program	60,000
5	(i) Taro project	40,000
6	(j) Kosrae State Speaker's office subsidy	30,000
7	(k) Referral Program	50,000
8	(l) Solar freezers	100,000
9	(m) Walung Sea-Life Park project ...	200,000
10	(n) Landfill in Tafunsak	30,000
11	(o) Lime project	40,000
12	(p) Lelu United Women Association subsidy	10,000
13	(q) Retaining Wall at Innem, Lelu...	20,000
14	(r) Purchase and shipping	
15	of Solar Power System	42,000
16	(s) Laptops for students/teachers ..	48,000
17	(t) Utwe Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
18	(u) Lelu Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
19	(v) Tafunsak Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
20	(w) Malem Municipal Government subsidy	20,000
21	(x) Dry Litter pigpen pilot	
22	project in Lelu	20,000
23	(y) Solar lights	70,000
24	(z) Travel needs	60,000
25	(aa) Kosrae Delegation Scholarship Program	60,000

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1	(ab) Fishing project	\$ 30,000
2	(ac) Menka, Utwe farm road/improvement	30,000
3	(ad) COM-FSM students outstanding	
4	payment/tuition	40,000
5	Section 4. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this act,	
6	\$2,800,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social	
7	programs for the people of Pohnpei State.	
8	state of Pohnpei.....	\$ 2,800,000
9	(1) At Large.....	700,000
10	(a) Nanmal Palikir basketball/	
11	volleyball court	40,000
12	(b) Madolenihmw Every Home	
13	Community basketball/volleyball court	40,000
14	(c) Diadi Kitti basketball/volleyball	40,000
15	(d) Court Sapuwafik school additional	
16	classrooms	40,000
17	(e) Sokehs Municipal retaining wall	40,000
18	(f) Aracely road maintenance/	
19	paving, Nankewi, Sokehs	15,000
20	(g) Sospens Secondary road	
21	maintenance, Pehleng, Kitti	15,000
22	(h) Public Safety Fish and	
23	Wildlife Outboard motor	17,000
24	(i) Epna road Nanwelín Rohi	15,000
25	(j) Lewetik Sokehs Community	

1	Center renovation	\$	15,000
2	(k) Kitam Road Maintenance/paving ..		50,000
3	(l) UCCP Kolonia Community Center		
4	Access road/parking		77,000
5	(m) Marau Kitti Dredging and Landfill		30,000
6	(n) Wapar, Madolenihmw Community		
7	water project		15,000
8	(o) Dien, Kitti Kolden Manuel		
9	road improvement		35,000
10	(p) Mwakot, Kitti road maintenance/paving		100,000
11	(q) PICS to Dolonier road paving overlay		50,000
12	(r) NMS School fencing		20,000
13	(s) Madolenihmw Constitution/		
14	activities/sports events		6,000
15	(t) Outreach program		40,000
16	(2) Election District No. 1.....		700,000
17	(a) Seidokonowa road one project ...		60,000
18	(b) Seidokonowa road two project ...		35,000
19	(c) Pohnrakied dock project		40,000
20	(d) Caroline Island Air charters		
21	(current and prior obligations)		12,000
22	(e) Sapwohn basketball court construction		30,000
23	(f) Peidie mangrove pathway project		200,000
24	(g) Solar lights		35,000
25	(h) Beautification project		30,000

1	(i) Nanpohnmal road/bridges improvement \$	40,000
2	(j) Sokehs Constitution Convention subsidy	30,000
3	(k) Communication	40,000
4	(l) Kolonia cement road patching ...	40,000
5	(m) Sokehs ridge cleaning	18,000
6	(n) Nonohn Mwomwohdso parking	
7	construction/improvement	20,000
8	(o) Pohnpei Utility Corporation subsidy	50,000
9	(p) Sokehs Council subsidy	10,000
10	(q) COM-FSM students outstanding	
11	payment/tuition	10,000
12	(3) Election District No. 2.....	700,000
13	(a) Travel needs	25,000
14	(b) Community Outreach	
15	and Advocacy Program	25,000
16	(c) Medical referral program	20,000
17	(d) Students financial assistance ..	20,000
18	(e) Students abroad housing allowance	20,000
19	(f) Water Delivery Assistance	100,000
20	(g) Roads improvement	300,000
21	(h) Kinakapw road (Nixon M) paving .	30,000
22	(i) Purchase of coral/equipment rental	100,000
23	(j) Mand community flatbed truck ...	10,000
24	(k) Solar lights	50,000
25	(4) Election District No. 3.....	700,000

1	(a) Students summer program	
2	financial support	\$ 50,000
3	(b) Micronesian Baseball	
4	Classic financial support	30,000
5	(c) Nett Solar streetlights	100,000
6	(d) Pingelap Municipal	
7	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
8	(e) Mwokilloa Municipal	
9	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
10	(f) Nett roads paving	75,000
11	(g) U roads paving	85,000
12	(h) Medical referral	20,000
13	(i) Community Outreach	
14	and Advocacy Program	50,000
15	(j) Purchase of coral filling materials	50,000
16	(k) Nett Civic Center	50,000
17	(l) Nan U road side railing construction	50,000
18	(m) Pali Ais, Nett road construction	25,000
19	(n) Awak Likin Pein Awak school	
20	multi purpose building	15,000
21	Section 5. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this act,	
22	\$4,200,000 shall be apportioned for public projects and social	
23	programs for the people of Chuuk State.	
24	state of Chuuk.....	\$ 4,200,000
25	(1) At Large.....	700,000

1	(a) Administrative support cost ... \$	30,000
2	(b) Contributions to State,	
3	Municipal and Community activities, programs and events	50,000
4	(c) Students' financial assistance .	40,000
5	(d) Leaders, patients and students	
6	travel needs	50,000
7	(e) Fishing project	120,000
8	(f) Housing renovation/improvement .	200,000
9	(g) Land transportation	60,000
10	(h) Disaster relief and recovery needs	150,000
11	(2) Election District No. 1.....	700,000
12	(a) Election District No. 1	
13	social program and public projects	700,000
14	(3) Election District No. 2.....	700,000
15	(a) Housing and Community Hall	
16	rehabilitation	240,000
17	(b) Food relief program	70,000
18	(c) Fishing project	70,000
19	(d) Administrative support cost	20,000
20	(e) Land Transportation	30,000
21	(f) Water system project	20,000
22	(g) POL/Charters/Freight	10,000
23	(h) Municipal governments subsidy ..	30,000
24	(i) Road improvement	100,000
25	(j) Travel needs	50,000

1	(k) Students financial assistance . \$	20,000
2	(l) Sewing project	20,000
3	(m) Youth activities/events/programs	20,000
4	(4) Election District No. 3.....	700,000
5	(a) Housing renovation/community hall	
6	/multipurpose building	150,000
7	(b) Fishing project	100,000
8	(c) Humanitarian assistance	100,000
9	(d) Sewing project	40,000
10	(e) Medical/outreach-travel needs ..	60,000
11	(f) Youths activities/programs/equipment	40,000
12	(g) Students financial assistance ..	50,000
13	(h) POL/Charters/Freight	20,000
14	(i) Municipal governments subsidies	40,000
15	(j) Land transportation	50,000
16	(k) Expenses for deceased/human remains	
17	(l) Solar lights/equipment	25,000
18	(m) Purchase of medicine	10,000
19	(5) Election District No. 4.....	700,000
20	(a) Fishing project	50,000
21	(b) Humanitarian assistance	100,000
22	(c) Housing renovation/repair	100,000
23	(d) Water system project	100,000
24	(e) Solar freezer	50,000
25	(f) FDA administrative cost	50,000

1	(g) Medical referral and repatriation	
2	of human remains	\$ 50,000
3	(h) Road improvement	50,000
4	(i) Community Outreach and travel needs	50,000
5	(j) Foupo Community Hall	25,000
6	(k) Students financial assistance ..	25,000
7	(l) Volleyball team preparation for	
8	Pacific Games	20,000
9	(m) Disabled and Senior	
10	citizens assistance	20,000
11	(n) Inauguration Faichuk Region	10,000
12	(6) Election District No. 5.....	700,000
13	(a) Northwest Vessel Purchase	500,000
14	(b) Patient/Leaders/Citizens travel/COAP	25,000
15	(c) Solar Power System	100,000
16	(d) Solar Freezer	35,000
17	(e) POL/Charters/Freight	10,000
18	(f) ED#5 Administrative cost	10,000
19	(g) Low Income Housing	
20	renovation/rehabilitation	20,000

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

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

23 administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws,

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

25 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these

1 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for
2 the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are
3 incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the
4 funds appropriated under section 2 of this act shall be the
5 Governor of Yap State or his designee. The allottee of funds
6 appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be the Governor of
7 Kosrae State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds
8 appropriated under subsection 3(ad) of this act shall be the
9 President of COM-FSM or his designee. The allottee of funds
10 appropriated under section 4 of this act shall be the President of
11 the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee; PROVIDED THAT
12 the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(2)(q) of
13 this act shall be the President of COM-FSM or his designee; the
14 allottee of funds appropriated under subsection 4(1)(s) of this
15 act shall be the Mayor of Madolenhimw Municipal Government or his
16 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection
17 4(1)(t) of this act shall be the Governor of Pohnpei State or his
18 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
19 4(3)(a), 4(3)(b) and 4(3)(c) of this act shall be the Secretary of
20 the Department of Health and Social Affairs or her designee; the
21 allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(3)(d) and
22 4(3)(e) of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of
23 Education or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated
24 under subsections 4(3)(f), 4(3)(g), 4(3)(h), 4(3)(i) and 4(3)(j)
25 of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of

1 Transportation, Communications and Infrastructure or his designee;
2 the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections 4(3)(k) of
3 this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of Resources and
4 Development or his designee; The allottee of the funds
5 appropriated under subsections 5(1), 5(3) and 5(6) of this act
6 shall be the Governor of Chuuk State or his designee; the allottee
7 of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(2) of this act shall
8 be the Mortlocks Island Development Authority (MIDA); the allottee
9 of the funds appropriated under subsection 5(4) of this act shall
10 be the Southern Namoneas Development Authority; the allottee of
11 the funds appropriated under subsection 5(5) of this act shall be
12 the Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee
13 to obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on
14 September 30, 2020.

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1 Section 7. 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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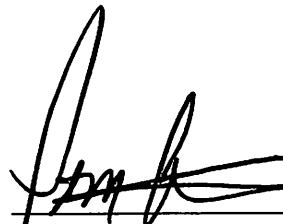
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Peter M. Christian
President
Federated States of Micronesia

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