



*The President*  
*Palikir, Pohnpei*  
*Federated States of Micronesia*

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 20-191  
FSM CONGRESS

February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018

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. 20-68:

Congressional Act No. 20-71: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,440,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2018, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

  
Peter M. Christian  
President

Enclosure:





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February 08, 2018

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. 20-71, "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,440,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2018, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PUBLIC PROJECTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS IN THE STATES OF KOSRAE, POHNPEI AND CHUUK, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.", which was passed by the Twentieth Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2018, 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





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ACT NO. 20-71

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-141, C.D.1,  
C.D.2)

We hereby certify that on February 6 the foregoing act passed  
Second and Final Reading of the Twentieth Congress of the  
Federated States of Micronesia, Third Regular Session, 2018, 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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Liwiana Ramon Ioanis".

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



TWENTIETH CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

THIRD REGULAR SESSION, 2018

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 20-141, C.D.1,  
C.D.2

AN ACT

To appropriate the sum of \$1,440,000 from the General Fund of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2018, for the purpose of funding public projects and social programs in the states of Kosrae, Pohnpei and Chuuk, and for other purposes.

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

1       Section 1. The sum of \$1,440,000, or so much thereof as  
2 my be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the General Fund  
3 of the Federated States of Micronesia for the fiscal year  
4 ending September 30, 2018, for the purpose of funding public  
5 projects and social programs in the states of Kosrae, Pohnpei  
6 and Chuuk. The funds appropriated under this section shall be  
7 apportioned as follows:

8       Section 2. Of the sum of \$1,440,000 appropriated by this  
9 act, \$240,000 is apportioned for public projects and social  
10 programs in the state of Kosrae.

11	state of Kosrae .....	\$	240,000
12	(a) Administrative support services .....		70,000
13	(b) Travel needs (Temple University		
14	Youth Summer Program) .....		50,000
15	(c) Kosrae referral program .....		40,000
16	(d) Inlas farm road .....		26,000
17	(e) Tafunsak mangrove and shoreline		
18	replanting project .....		30,000

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1	(f) Kosrae Chapter - Micronesian	
2	Red Cross Society .....	\$ 14,000
3	(g) Seedling project .....	10,000
4	Section 3. Of the sum of \$1,440,000 appropriated by this	
5	act, \$480,000 is apportioned for public projects and social	
6	programs in the state of Pohnpei.	
7	state of Pohnpei .....	480,000
8	(1) At Large .....	120,000
9	(a) Ipwitek Community Center benches ....	5,000
10	(b) Eirike Retaining Wall .....	10,000
11	(c) Purchase of tools/equipment (Sokehs	
12	Municipal Government) .....	10,000
13	(d) Kitti Police Substation subsidy .....	20,000
14	(e) Depehk Takai U Sanctuary guardhouse .	10,000
15	(f) CUYA Youth building .....	15,000
16	(g) Eirike new secondary road .....	25,000
17	(h) Pohnpei Women Council (International	
18	Women's Day activities, 2018) .....	10,000
19	(i) POL for Sokehs Municipal Government	
20	trash vehicles .....	5,000
21	(j) Pohnpilap, Nett retaining wall .....	10,000
22	(2) Election District No. 1. ....	120,000
23	(a) COM-FSM sports equipment/supplies ...	10,000
24	(b) Upper Kamweli paving .....	40,000
25	(c) Causeway (Dekehtik sidewalk) solar lights	24,000

1	(d) Causeway (Dekehtik) exercise	
2	equipments/installation .....	\$ 16,000
3	(e) Sapwuahfik Outer Islands	
4	solar street lights .....	12,000
5	(f) Private schools solar lights project	18,000
6	(3) Election District No. 2 .....	120,000
7	(a) Office of Speaker, Madolenhimw	
8	Municipality vehicle .....	10,000
9	(b) Mahi International mobile dental clinic	10,000
10	(c) ED2 participants to Micronesian	
11	Festival of Arts .....	20,000
12	(d) Coral and equipment rental .....	20,000
13	(e) Road improvement .....	60,000
14	(4) Election District No. 3 .....	120,000
15	(a) COM-FSM Endowment Fund .....	10,000
16	(b) Pingelap Municipal public projects ..	20,000
17	(c) Mwokilloa Municipal public projects .	20,000
18	(d) Nett Municipal public projects .....	35,000
19	(e) U Municipal public projects .....	35,000
20	Section 4. Of the sum of \$1,440,000 appropriated by this	
21	act, \$720,000 is apportioned for public projects and social	
22	programs in the state of Chuuk.	
23	state of Chuuk .....	\$ 720,000
24	(1) At-Large .....	120,000
25	(a) Sport events in Weno .....	10,000



1	(b) Contributions to State, Municipal	
2	and Community events, programs and activities \$	30,000
3	(c) Housing renovation and improvement ..	40,000
4	(d) Travel needs .....	20,000
5	(e) Fishing projects .....	20,000
6	(2) Election District No. 1 .....	120,000
7	(a) Mortlocks Congressional delegation	
8	constituents outreach .....	13,000
9	(b) Mortlocks Congressional delegation	
10	transportation needs .....	7,000
11	(c) Housing and multipurpose building	
12	renovation, improvement and construction .....	40,000
13	(d) Mortlocks Good Will Games .....	50,000
14	(e) MIDA staff travel and training .....	10,000
15	(3) Election District No. 2 .....	120,000
16	(a) Administrative support services .....	10,000
17	(b) Food Security .....	20,000
18	(c) Travel needs .....	30,000
19	(d) Human remain repatriation .....	10,000
20	(e) Fishing project .....	10,000
21	(f) Housing renovation/repair/maintenance	20,000
22	(g) Feasibility study .....	20,000
23	(4) Election District No. 3 .....	120,000
24	(a) Students' incentive awards .....	5,000
25	(b) Medical referral .....	10,000

1	(c) Humanitarian assistance .....	\$ 40,000
2	(d) Sewing project .....	10,000
3	(e) Fishing project .....	20,000
4	(f) POL/Freight/Charter .....	5,000
5	(g) Travel needs .....	30,000
6	(5) Election District No. 4 .....	120,000
7	(a) Chuuk Volleyball Team travel needs/	
8	preparation .....	20,000
9	(b) Purchase of heavy equipment .....	85,000
10	(c) Land transportation .....	15,000
11	(6) Election District No. 5 .....	120,000
12	(a) Solar Freezers .....	40,000
13	(b) Low-income housing renovation .....	20,000
14	(c) Food relief program .....	15,000
15	(d) POL/Charter/Freight .....	25,000
16	(e) Dispensary boat/motor .....	20,000

17 Section 5. Allotment and management of funds and lapse date.  
18 All funds appropriated by this act shall be allotted, managed,  
19 administered and accounted for in accordance with applicable laws,  
20 including, but not limited to, the Financial Management Act of  
21 1979. The allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these  
22 funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used solely for  
23 the purpose specified in this act, and that no obligations are  
24 incurred in excess of the sum appropriated. The allottee of the  
25 funds appropriated under sections 2 and 3 of this act shall be the

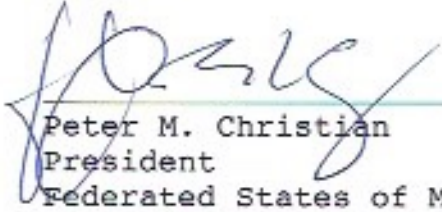


1 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or his designee;  
2 PROVIDED THAT the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections  
3 2(a) and 2(b) of this act shall be the Mayor of Lelu Town  
4 Government or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated  
5 under subsections 2(c) to 2(g) of this act shall be the Mayor of  
6 Tafunsak Municipal Government or his designee; the allottee of  
7 funds appropriation under subsection 3(1)(i) of this act shall be  
8 the Chief Magistrate of Sokehs Municipal Government or his  
9 designee; the allottee of funds appropriated under subsection  
10 3(2)(a) of this act shall be the President of the COM-FSM  
11 Institute or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated  
12 under subsection 3(2)(b) of this act shall be the Pohnpei  
13 Transportation Authority; the allottee of funds appropriated under  
14 subsections 3(2)(c) to 3(2)(g) of this act shall be the Secretary  
15 of the Department of Transportation, Communications and  
16 Infrastructure or his designee; the allottee of funds appropriated  
17 under subsections 3(4)(a) shall be the President of the COM-FSM  
18 Institute or his designee. The allottee of funds appropriated  
19 under subsections 4(1), 4(3) and 4(6) of this act shall be the  
20 Governor of Chuuk State or his designee. The allottee of funds  
21 appropriated under subsection 4(2) of this act shall be the  
22 Mortlock Islands Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
23 appropriated under subsection 4(4) of this act shall be the  
24 Southern Namoneas Development Authority. The allottee of funds  
25 appropriated under subsection 4(5) of this act shall be the

1 Faichuk Development Authority. The authority of the allottee to  
2 obligate funds appropriated by this act shall lapse on September  
3 30, 2020.

4 Section 6. This act shall become law upon approval by the  
5 President of the Federated States of Micronesia or upon its  
6 becoming law without such approval.

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10 February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
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15 Peter M. Christian  
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