

The President Palikir, Pohnpei Federated States of Micronesia

PRESIDENTIAL COMM. NO. 21-446
FSM CONGRESS

November 6th 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 to become Public Law No. 21-200:

Congressional Act No. 21-208, 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, 21-115, 21-137, 21-165 AND 21-178, 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 FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

David W. Panuelo 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. 21-208, "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, 21-115, 21-137, 21-165 AND 21-178, 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 FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES", which was passed by the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth 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. 21446 FEM CONGRESS

TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA FIFTH REGULAR SESSION SEPTEMBER 14 – OCTOBER 3, 2020

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, 21-115, 21-137, 21-165 AND 21-178, 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 FOR THE PEOPLE OF POHNPEI STATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN

DATE: OCTOBER 1, 2020

REFERRED TO: COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

WITHDRAWN - OCTOBER 01, 2020

FIRST READING: - OCTOBER 01, 2020

SECOND READING: - OCTOBER 02, 2020

Liwiana Ramon Ioanis Chief Clerk, FSM Congress



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FSM CONGRESS

ACT NO. 21-208

(CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-313, C.D.1)

We hereby certify that on October 2 the foregoing act passed Second and Final Reading of the Twenty-First Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fifth 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 Toanis

Chief Clerk

Congress of the

Federated States of Micronesia

FIFTH REGULAR SESSION, 2020 CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 21-313, C.D.1

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, 21-115, 21-137, 21-165 and 21-178, 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 for the people of Pohnpei State, 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. 20-178, as amended
2	by Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-07, 21-36 and 21-53, 21-56, 21-90,
3	21-115, 21-137 and 21-165, is hereby further amended to read as
4	follows:
5	"Section 4. Of the \$9,800,000 appropriated under this
6	act, \$2,800,000 shall be apportioned for public
7	projects and social programs for the people of Pohnpei
8	State.
9	state of Pohnpei\$ 2,800,000
10	(1) At Large
11	(a) Nanmal road improvement from
12	Capitol road to Palikir school 40,000
13	(b) Madolenihmw, water supply
14	improvement
15	(c) Kitti, Oare road improvement
16	project 40,000
17	(d) Sapwuafik school classrooms

1	repair and maintenance\$	15,000
2	(d1) Sapwuafik transportation	
3	equipment purchase and fuel purchase	20,362
4	(e) Sokehs Municipal retaining wall.	40,000
5	(f) Play ground for children in	
6	Danpei and Mwalok	15,000
7	(g) Pohnpei State police vehicle	25,000
8	(h) Public Safety Fish and	
9	Wildlife Outboard motor	17,000
10	(i) Nanwelin Rohi road repair	
11	and improvement	15,000
12	(j) Lewetik Sokehs Community	
13	Center renovation	15,000
14	(k) Pohnpei - Guam apprenticeship	
15	Program	20,000
16	(1) UCCP Kolonia Community Center	
17	Access road/parking	77,000
18	(m) Pohnpei road improvement (coral	
19	purchase, culvert and drainage, labor)	30,000
20	(n) Madolenihmw, Enipoas to	
21	Wapar secondary road repair	15,000
22	(o) Kitti, Meilap, Dien, shore	
23	access road and slipway	35,000
24	(p) Mwakot, Kitti road maintenance/	
25	paving	100,000

1	(q) Pohnpei household water
2	system improvement\$ 66,053
3	(r) NMS School fencing 20,000
4	(s) Madolenihmw Constitution/
5	activities/sports events
6	(t) Outreach program
7	(u) Students' needs 27,894
8	(v) MicSem building renovation 10,000
9	(2) Election District No. 1
10	(a) Seidokonowa road one project 60,000
11	(b) Seidokonowa road two project 35,000
12	(c) Pohnrakied dock project 40,000
13	(d) RSP Classroom chairs and tables. 12,000
14	(e) Sapwohn basketball court construction 30,000
15	(f) Peidie mangrove pathway project0-
16	(g) Solar lights
17	(h) Beautification project 30,000
18	(i) Nanpohnmal road/bridges
19	improvement0-
20	(j) Sokehs Constitution
21	Convention subsidy
22	(k) Communication
23	(1) Sapwuahfik Nan Pepper
24	Community building
25	(m) Sokehs ridge cleaning 18,000

1	(n) Saint Barnabas Community Nahs\$	20,000
2	(o) Pohnpei Utility Corporation subsidy	50,000
3	(p) Sokehs Council subsidy	10,000
4	(q) COM-FSM students outstanding	
5	payment/tuition	10,000
6	(r) Palikir Elementary School food stall	25,000
7	(s) Purchase of school buses and	
8	associated costs	150,000
9	(t) Christmas lighting project	10,000
10	(u) Community House Renovation-	
11	Eir Community	20,000
12	(v) Outstanding debt for Kolonia	
13	Town Government	20,000
14	(w) Transportation needs/equipments.	15,000
15	(x) Culvert pipes	5,000
16	(y) Kepinkep pave road	15,000
17	(z) Kolonia Town Government boom	
18	truck repair	5,000
19	(3) Election District No. 2	700,000
20	(a) Travel needs	25,000
21	(b) Community Outreach and Advocacy	
22	Program	-0-
23	(c) Medical referral program	30,000
24	(d) Students financial assistance	20,000
25	(e) Meninkeder lapalap subsidy	20,000

1	(f) Water Delivery Assistance\$	50,000
2	(g) Roads improvement	-0-
3	(h) Kinakapw road (Nixon M) paving	30,000
4	(i) Purchase of coral/equipment rental.	100,000
5	(j) Mand community flatbed truck	-0-
6	(k) Solar lights	-0-
7	(1) SYO Softball Team to Maui 2019	
8	Liberation Day Celebration	30,000
9	(m) Culverts purchase	20,000
10	(n) Hazard Mitigation	15,000
11	(o) ED#2 Administrative support	60,000
12	(p) Pohn-Usulap - Kitam	30,000
13	(q) ED#2 current and prior obligations	-0-
14	(r) Ohwa school subsidy	15,000
15	(s) APIPA conference associated costs	-0-
16	(t) Dien and Pehleng Pepper	
17	Development Association	10,000
18	(u) Kepindau Church Civic Center	25,000
19	(v) UCCP Summit implementation current	
20	and prior obligations	15,000
21	(w) Nan Mand rockwall	15,000
22	(x) Pihs Community Flatbed	10,000
23	(y) Students' residing abroad	
24	financial assistance	25,000
25	(z) Pohnpeian Student Association-	

1	University of Guam\$	5,000
2	(aa) Lewetik, Kitti civic center	20,000
3	(ab) Pihs, Madolenihmw road paving	85,000
4	(ac) Pohnpei Chamber of Commerce	10,000
5	(ad) ED #2 vehicle purchase	10,000
6	(ae) Marine Environment Research	
7	Institute of Pohnpei (MERIP)	25,000
8	(4) Election District No. 3	700,000
9	(a) Students summer program	
10	financial support/Tuition costs for	
11	First Year Xavier students	50,000
12	(b) Micronesian Baseball	
13	Classic financial support	30,000
14	(c) Nett Solar streetlights	100,000
15	(d) Pingelap Municipal	
16	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
17	(e) Mwokilloa Municipal	
18	Government public projects and subsidy	50,000
19	(f) Pahn-parahdo, Nett roads paving.	75,000
20	(g) Otohi, U roads paving	85,000
21	(h) Medical referral	20,000
22	(i) Community Outreach	
23	and Advocacy Program	50,000
24	(j) Purchase of coral filling materials	50,000
25	(k) Nett Civic Center	50,000

1	(1) Nan U road side railing construction \$ 50,000
2	(m) Pali Ais, Nett road construction 25,000
3	(n) Awak Likin Pein Awak school multi
4	purpose building
5	Section 2. Section 6 of Public Law No. 21-178, as amended by
6	Public Laws Nos. 21-01, 21-36, 21-53, 21-56, 21-102, 21-137 and
7	21-165, is hereby further amended to read as follows:
8	"Section 6. Allotment and management of funds and lapse
9	date. All funds appropriated by this act shall be
10	allotted, managed, administered and accounted for in
11	accordance with applicable laws, including, but not
12	limited to, the Financial Management Act of 1979. The
13	allottee shall be responsible for ensuring that these
14	funds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are used
15	solely for the purpose specified in this act, and that
16	no obligations are incurred in excess of the sum
17	appropriated. The allottee of the funds appropriated
18	under section 2 of this act shall be the Governor of Yap
19	State or his designee. The allottee of funds
20	appropriated under section 3 of this act shall be the
21	Governor of Kosrae State or his designee; PROVIDED THAT
22	the allottee of funds appropriated under subsections
23	3(ad) of this act and 4(2)(q) shall be the President of
24	COM-FSM or his designee; the allottee of funds
25	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
subsection 4(3)(v) of this act shall be the Mayor of
Kolonia Town Government 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 $4(3)(ab)$, $4(4)(f)$ 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 funds appropriated under subsection 4(3)(ae)
of this act shall be the Secretary of the Department of
Resources and Development 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."

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