## TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

SECOND REGULAR SESSION, 2021

C.R NO. 22-46

## A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$250,000 from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, to assist the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, Department of Health and Social Affairs, State Opioid Response (SOR) Project for the fiscal year starting October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, on August 9, 2021, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, through its Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, issued a Notice of Award of financial assistance in the amount of \$250,000 to provide funding to the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia and its Department of Health and Social Affairs in its State Opioid Response Project; and

8 WHEREAS, this is the second and final year of the grant, 9 which will be used to address the opioid crisis by increasing 10 access to treatment, reducing unmet treatment needs, and reducing 11 opioid overdose related deaths through the provision of 12 prevention, treatment and recovery activities for opioid use 13 disorder; and

14 WHEREAS, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia 15 wishes to express its sincere gratitude and appreciation to the 16 Government of the United States for this generous grant; and 17 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the 18 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended, requires that for foreign financial assistance to be valid it must be
approved Congress by resolution; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Second Regular Session, 2021, that Congress hereby approves and accepts the \$250,000 grant from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, to fund the State Opioid Response Project and related activities of the FSM, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs, the Secretary of the Health and Social Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Justice, and the Secretary of the Department of Finance and Administration.

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17 Date: 9/9/21Introduced by: /s/ Florencio S. Harper<br/>Florencio S. Harper<br/>(by request)18(by request)1920212223242525