December 02, 2022

The Honorable Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

Dear Speaker Simina:

I transmit herewith a certified copy of Congressional Resolution No. 22-170, which was adopted by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2022.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Jessicalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
Congress of the
Federated States of Micronesia

Enclosures
A RESOLUTION

TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF $119,000 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, THROUGH THE FOREST SERVICE BIPARTISAN INFRASTRUCTURE LAW (BIL), TO FUND THE FSM FOREST ACTION PLAN ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING ALL THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE ASSISTANCE.

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR: FERNY S. PERMAN FOR FLORENCIO S. HARPER (BY REQUEST)

DATE: NOVEMBER 28, 2022

ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 30, 2022

Jessicaalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk, FSM Congress
A RESOLUTION

To approve and accept a grant in the amount of $119,000 from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, through the Forest Service Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), to fund the FSM Forest Action Plan activities, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) issued a Grant Award on September 17, 2022, to the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia providing funding in the amount of $119,000 to fund the FSM Action Plan Implementation - Forest Stewardship Program (FSP), Grant Management & Capacity Building for the Urban Community & Forestry (UCF) Program; and

WHEREAS, this grant is considered a foreign financial assistance that requires for its validity the approval by Congress through resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia wishes to express its appreciation and gratitude to the USDA and the U.S. Government for extending this grant; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated States of Micronesia, Sixth Special Session, 2022, that the aforesaid financial grant from the USDA is hereby accepted and approved, including all 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 Justice, and Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs.

ADOPTED: November 30, 2022

Wesley W. Simina
Speaker
FSM Congress

ATTEST:

Jessicaalynn Reyes
Chief Clerk
FSM Congress