

A RESOLUTION

Approving and accepting a grant in the amount of \$110,870 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Service Administration, for the Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant to the States, to fund the FSM Maternal and Child Health Services for the first quarter of the budget period October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2024, including all the terms and conditions of the assistance.

1 WHEREAS, on October 22, 2022, the United States through the
2 Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and
3 Services Administration, issued a Notice of Award in the amount of
4 \$110,870 to fund and support the FSM Maternal and Child Health
5 Services; and

6 WHEREAS, the grant award is for a new fiscal two-year grant
7 award under a five year project period to support and fund the FSM
8 Maternal and Child Health Services, and the implementation of its
9 programs and services to improve the health and well-being of
10 mothers, families, children, and improve access to health care for
11 the maternal and child population, particularly vulnerable
12 populations and hard to reach areas in the FSM; and

13 WHEREAS, the grant award is the first quarterly award for the
14 budget period October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2024; and

15 WHEREAS, section 210(2) of title 55 of the Code of the
16 Federated States of Micronesia (Annotated), as amended by Public
17 Law No. 19-149, requires that for foreign financial assistance to
18 be valid it must be approved by Congress by resolution; now,
19 therefore,

1 BE IT RESOLVED by the Twenty-Second Congress of the Federated
2 States of Micronesia, Sixth Regular Session, 2023, that Congress
3 hereby approves and accepts the \$110,870 grant from the U.S.
4 Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and
5 Services Administration, to fund the FSM Maternal and Child Health
6 Services, including all the terms and conditions thereof; and

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
8 resolution be transmitted to the President of the Federated States
9 of Micronesia, the Secretary of the Department of Health and
10 Social Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Foreign
11 Affairs, the Secretary of the Department of Finance and
12 Administration, the Secretary of the Department of Justice, and
13 the U.S. Embassy in Kolonia.

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15 Date: 01/13/23

Introduced by: /s/ Joseph J. Urusemal
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(by request)

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