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Governor

David M. Apatang
Lieutenant Governor

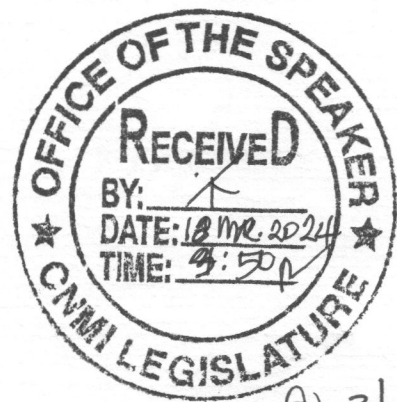
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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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The Honorable Karl R. King-Nabors
Chairman
Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation
Twenty-Third Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950

The Honorable Edmund S. Villagomez
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twenty-Third Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950



ⓐ 3/18/24

Dear Mr. Chairman and Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that I have signed into law **House Local Bill No. 23-40, D1** entitled, "To re-appropriate Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-07, and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a); and for other purposes." The bill was passed unanimously by the Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation of the Twenty-Third Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature.

This bill becomes **Tinian Local Law No. 23-09**. Copies bearing my signature are forwarded for your reference.

Sincerely,

ARNOLD I. PALACIOS
Governor

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DATE 3/19/2024 TIME 4:45 PM

cc: Lieutenant Governor; Attorney General; Commonwealth Law Revision; Secretary of Finance; Public Auditor; Special Assistant for Administration; Mayor of Tinian and Aguiguan; Tinian Municipal Treasury; Programs & Legislative Review Office

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**TINIAN AND AGUIGUAN LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT
TWENTY-THIRD NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
THIRD REGULAR SESSION, 2024**

HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 23-40, D1

**A LOCAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR AN ACT
FOR THE SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT**

To re-appropriate Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-7, and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a); and for other purposes.

OFFERED BY

Representative Patrick H. San Nicolas

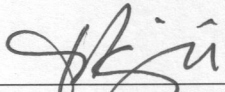
Prefiled on February 2, 2024 and Introduced on February 9, 2024

HOUSE ACTION

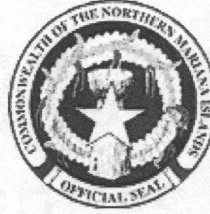
Transmitted to Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation for action on
February 9, 2024

DELEGATION ACTION

Referred to:	None
Comments Solicited:	2/9/24: Mayor of Tinian and Aguiguan [Del. Matters 23-37] & Tinian & Aguiguan Municipal Council [Del. Matters 23-38]
Comments Received:	2/14/24: Mayors Comm. 23-28
Standing Committee Report:	None
Passed First & Final Reading:	February 28, 2024 w/Draft 1



Frances Joan P. Kaipat
Delegation Clerk



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**BE IT ENACTED BY THE SECOND SENATORIAL DISTRICT DELEGATION PURSUANT
TO CHAPTER 4, DIVISION 1, TITLE 1 OF THE COMMONWEALTH CODE:**

1 **SECTION 1. PURPOSE.**

2 The purpose of this Act is to re-appropriate Eighty-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred Sixty-
3 Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-07, and Thirty-Thousand Dollars
4 (\$30,000.00) allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a) identified as the Earned Bond Interest
5 Income collected for the Second Senatorial District and certified by the Tinian Municipal
6 Treasurer on January 19, 2024.

7 **SECTION 2. RE-APPROPRIATION.**

8 Notwithstanding any provision(s) of law, statutes, rules or regulations to the contrary, the
9 Tinian and Aguiguan Legislative Delegation hereby re-appropriates funds identified as Earned

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1 Bond Interest Income collected for the Second Senatorial District in the combined total amount of
2 One-Hundred Seventeen Thousand, Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$117,465.00). Of this total
3 amount, Eighty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$87,465.00) are unspent
4 amounts allotted under Tinian Local Law 20-7, and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) are
5 unspent amounts allotted under Tinian Local Law 22-04 § 2(a). The funds (\$117,465.00) are
6 hereby re-appropriated to the Office of the Mayor of Tinian as follows:

- 7 (a) \$50,000.00 for the Tinian Veteran's Memorial Park;
- 8 (b) \$37,465.00 for the Youth Center Tennis Court resurfacing;
- 9 (c) \$15,000.00 for the slaughterhouse generator, slab & installation; and
- 10 (d) \$15,000.00 for the San Jose Village Cemetery storage.

11 **SECTION 3. EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.**

12 The expenditure authority for funds under Section 2 shall be the Mayor of Tinian and
13 Aguiguan.

14 **SECTION 4. REPROGRAMMING.**

15 Notwithstanding any laws, provisions or regulations to the contrary, funds appropriated
16 under this Act shall not be reprogrammed for any other purpose.

17 **SECTION 5. REPORTING.**

18 The expenditure authority shall submit to the Chairperson of the Tinian Legislative
19 Delegation a detailed report showing the expenditure of the funds at the completion of
20 appropriations in Section 2 of this Act.

21 **SECTION 6. FUND DISTRIBUTION.**

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1 Funds appropriated under Section 2 of this Act shall be distributed accordingly for the
2 intended purpose and or entity upon this Act becoming law.

3 **SECTION 7. FISCAL YEAR.**

4 The funds allocated under this Act shall be without fiscal year limitation(s).

5 **SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY.**

6 If any provision of this Act or the application of any such provision to any person or
7 circumstance should be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Act
8 or the application of its provisions to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held
9 invalid shall not be affected thereby.

10 **SECTION 9. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

11 This Act and any repealer contained herein shall not be construed as affecting any existing
12 right acquired under contract or acquired under statutes repealed or under any rule, regulation or
13 order adopted under the statutes. Repealers contained in this Act shall not affect any proceeding
14 instituted under or pursuant to prior law. The enactment of the Act shall not have the effect of
15 terminating, or in any way modifying, any liability, civil or criminal, which shall already be in
16 existence on the date this Act becomes effective.

17 **SECTION 10. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

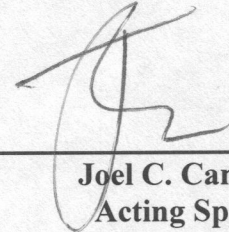
18 This Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor or it becoming law without
19 such approval.

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CERTIFIED BY:




Karl R. King-Nabors
Chairman
Tinian & Aguiguan Legislative Delegation



Joel C. Camacho
Acting Speaker
23rd House of Representatives

Approved this 18th day of March, 2024.



Arnold I. Palacios
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands

Office of the Tinian Municipal Treasurer

Maria Barbara C. Borja
Municipal Treasurer

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Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
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Edwin P. Aldan
Mayor

DATE : January 19, 2024

TO : Senator Karl King-Nabors
Chairman, Tinian Legislative Delegation

FROM : Municipal Treasurer

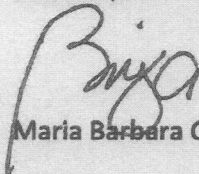
SUBJECT: Certification of Funds

This is to certify that the following funds from the Earned Bond Interest Income in the amount of \$117,465.00 are available at the Tinian Municipal Treasury for re-appropriation.

Tinian Local Law 20-07	Morgue Expansion	\$ 87,465.00
Tinian Local Law 22-04,S2(a)	Slaughter house generator	\$ 30,000.00

For additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at telephone number (670) 433-2275.

Sincerely,



Maria Barbara C. Borja

cc: Mayor Edwin P. Aldan
Senator Jude U. Hofschneider
Senator Francisco Q. Cruz
Congressman Patrick H. San Nicolas

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