



GOV. COMM. 20-96
(HOUSE)

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

Ralph DLG. Torres
Governor

Victor B. Hocog
Lieutenant Governor

Honorable John Paul P. Sablan
Chairman, Saipan & Northern Island Legislative Delegation
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950

Honorable Rafael S. Demapan
Speaker, House of Representatives
Twentieth Northern Marianas
Commonwealth Legislature
Saipan, MP 96950



Dear Mr. Chairman and Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that I have signed into law House Local Bill No. 20-1, D3, entitled, "To appropriate up to Four Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Nine US Dollars (\$463,279,000.00) of the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Third Senatorial District that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriations; and for other purposes," which was passed by the Saipan and Northern Island Legislative Delegation of the Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature.

This bill becomes **Saipan Local Law No. 20-01**. Copies bearing my signature are forwarded for your reference.

Sincerely,

RALPH DLG. TORRES

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DATE 6/14/17 TIME 10:05am

cc: Lt. Governor; Acting Press Secretary; Secretary of Finance; Mayor of Saipan; Department of Public Works; Commonwealth's Law Revision Commission, Special Assistant for Administration; Special Assistant for Programs and Legislative Review

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**SAIPAN AND NORTHERN ISLANDS LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
TWENTIETH NORTHERN MARIANAS COMMONWEALTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION, 2017**

HOUSE LOCAL BILL NO. 20-1, D3

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

To appropriate up to Four Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Nine US Dollars (\$463,279.00) of the Earned Bond Interest Income collected for the Third Senatorial District that has been identified by the Commonwealth Development Authority as available for appropriations; and for other purposes.

**Offered by
Representatives Blas Jonathan "BJ" T. Attao, Francisco C. Aguon, Francisco S. Dela Cruz,
Lorenzo I. Deleon Guerrero, Edwin K. Propst, and, Edmund S. Villagomez
on
January 10, 2017**

HOUSE ACTION

Transmitted to Saipan and Northern Islands Legislative Delegation for action on February 6, 2017

DELEGATION ACTION

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| Referred To | : | SNILD Committee on Ways & Means (2/6/17) |
| Comments Solicited | : | Mayor of Saipan; Mayor of Northern Islands; Chairman, SNI Municipal Council (2/6/17) CDA Executive Director (2/8/17) |
| Comments Received | : | CDA Executive Director (2/15/17) Mayor of Saipan (2/22/17) Mayor of Northern Islands (5/18/17) |
| Standing Committee Report | : | SCR No. 20-1 |
| Passed First & Final Reading | : | May 19, 2017 (w/D3) |

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero".

Alicia DLG. Leon Guerrero, Delegation Clerk



SAIPAN AND NORTHERN ISLANDS LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION
Third Senatorial District
Twentieth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE THIRD 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 appropriate up to Four Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand
3 Two Hundred Seventy-Nine US Dollars (\$463,279.00) of the Earned Bond Interest Income
4 collected for the Third Senatorial District that has been identified by the Commonwealth
5 Development Authority as available for appropriations

6 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.**

7 Notwithstanding any provision of law, statutes, rules or regulations the Saipan and
8 Northern Islands Legislative Delegation (SNILD) hereby appropriates up to Four Hundred
9 Sixty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Nine US Dollars (\$463,279.00) of the Earned
10 Bond Interest Income collected for the Third Senatorial District that has been identified by the
11 Commonwealth Development Authority as follows:

- 12 a) Precinct I: \$92,655.80 for the paving of Feddos Lane in As Lito; the
13 expenditure authority shall be the Secretary of the Department of Public Works or
14 his/her designee;

1 b) Precinct II: \$92,655.80 for the restoration and renovations of the
2 San Isidro Beach Park not limited to pavilions in Precinct II; expenditure authority
3 shall be the Secretary of the Department of Public Works or his/her designee;

4 c) Precinct III: \$92,655.80 for the following:

5 (i) \$50,000.00 for the water drainage/catchment system in
6 Oleai by the San Jose Church to prevent flooding in the
7 area; expenditure authority shall be the Secretary of
8 the Department of Public Works or his/her designee; and

9 (ii) \$42,655.80 for the pavement and beautification of the
10 easement in front of the Puerto Rice Twins Market,
11 north to the Marina Heights Building

12 d) Precinct IV: \$92,655.80 for the following:

13 (i) \$53,655.80 for the storm drainage in the Tanapag
14 Homestead area; expenditure authority of the Secretary
15 of the Department of Public Works or his/her designee; and

16 (ii) \$37,000.00 to repair Gera Lane in the As Matuis area in
17 Precinct IV; expenditure authority shall the Secretary of
18 the Department of Public Works or his/her designee.

19 e) Precinct V: \$92,655.80 for the paving of Pine Drive located in
20 Kagman 3, Saipan; expenditure authority shall be the Secretary of the Department
21 of Public Works or his/her designee.

22 **SECTION 3. REPROGRAMMING.**

23 Funds appropriated under this Act shall not be reprogrammed for any other purpose.
24 Notwithstanding any provision of law, all capital improvement projects funded under this Act
25 shall be without fiscal year limitation.

1 **SECTION 4. REPORTING.**

2 All entities receiving funds herein shall submit a written report to the Saipan and
3 Northern Islands Legislative Delegation Chairman regarding the disposition of the funds
4 within thirty (30) days of the end of each fiscal year.

5 **SECTION 5. 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
8 Act or the application of its provisions to persons or circumstances other than those to which it
9 is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.


10 **SECTION 6. SAVINGS CLAUSE.**

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

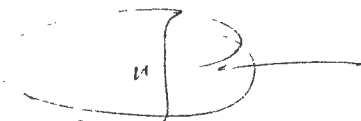
17 **SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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

CERTIFIED BY:




JOHN PAUL P. SABLAN
Chairman
Saipan & Northern Islands
Legislative Delegation



RAFAEL S. DEMAPAN
Speaker
House of Representatives

Approved on this *10th* day of *June*, 2017.



RALPH DLG. TORRES
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands