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**A HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**

Expressing the profound gratitude of the Eighteenth Chuuk State Legislature to the Pohnpei State Legislature and the State of Pohnpei for hosting the first ALL4US Meeting and for their leadership in establishing this historic forum for inter-state collaboration.

1           **WHEREAS**, recognizing the growing need for a collaborative platform, the Yap State  
2   Legislature first proposed the establishment of a unified forum for the four state legislatures  
3   of the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) during the 61st Association of the Pacific Islands  
4   Legislatures (APIL) Board of Directors Meeting in Yap in March 2024; and

5           **WHEREAS**, during the APIL 41st General Assembly in Palau in September, 2024,  
6   the FSM state legislative delegations, under the leadership of the Pohnpei Legislature and the  
7   Honorable Speaker Marvin Yamaguchi, met and collectively affirmed the importance of  
8   creating a dedicated space to discuss shared challenges, including issues related to Compact  
9   sector grant distribution and fishing fees; and

10          **WHEREAS**, the establishment of ALL4US provides a vital platform to strengthen the  
11   collaboration and align the efforts of the four states of the FSM—Pohnpei, Yap, Chuuk, and  
12   Kosrae—by serving as a dedicated forum to discuss common goals, objectives, and shared  
13   concerns for the betterment of the people of the FSM; and

14          **WHEREAS**, the Pohnpei Legislature's legal team demonstrated outstanding initiative  
15   and collaboration by drafting the foundational charter for ALL4US, which was subsequently  
16   endorsed by all four FSM state legislatures; and

17          **WHEREAS**, the State of Pohnpei and the Pohnpei Legislature is gracious to host the  
18   inaugural ALL4US Meeting, providing a welcoming venue and invaluable support that  
19   ensured the meeting's success and cemented this new era of cooperation; and

20          **WHEREAS**, the hospitality, logistical support, and dedicated leadership  
21   demonstrated by the Pohnpei Legislature and the State of Pohnpei is instrumental in bringing  
22   the ALL4US concept to fruition and establishing a strong foundation for its future success;  
23   now therefore,

24          **BE IT RESOLVED** by the House of Representatives with the concurrence of the  
25   Senate, Eighteenth Chuuk State Legislature, First Regular Session, April 2025 that the Chuuk

1 State Legislature hereby expresses its profound gratitude and sincere appreciation to the  
2 Pohnpei Legislature and the State of Pohnpei for their exceptional leadership in spearheading  
3 the establishment of ALL4US and for their gracious hospitality in hosting its first official  
4 meeting; and

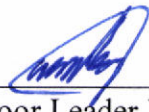
5 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that certified copies of this Resolution be  
6 transmitted to the Speaker of the Pohnpei Legislature, the Honorable Governor of the State of  
7 Pohnpei, and the Speaker of the FSM Congress, the Honorable Governor of the State of  
8 Chuuk, and the Chief Justice of the Chuuk State Supreme Court.

Date: 09-02-25

Introduced by:

  
Vice Speaker Andrew A. May

  
Representative Jessy P. Wilham

  
Floor Leader Wayne Olap