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EMERGENCY DECREE No. 01 - 2026

WHEREAS, on April 11, 2026, a Declaration of State of Emergency was issued for Chuuk State as a result of Tropical Storm Sinlaku, based on severe damage to public infrastructure, government buildings, schools, utilities, roads, communications systems, and widespread disruption to essential services; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Emergency Declaration, recognized that immediate needs throughout Chuuk State include food, water, logistical support, emergency response supplies, and restoration measures necessary to protect public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, Chuuk State does not have an emergency fund to provide the very basic needs to address the emergency needs food and water; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Declaration further authorized emergency expenditures in an amount up to \$200,000.00 for immediate response, relief, debris removal, food and water distribution, communications restoration, transport, and related emergency measures; and

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need to provide food and clean water to affected communities, shelters, displaced persons, and other residents impacted by Tropical Storm Sinlaku;

WHEREAS, significant storm debris remains in and around public roads, government facilities, schools, and surrounding public areas, posing risks to public health, public safety, sanitation, transportation, and the restoration of normal government operations; and

NOW, pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor by Article VI, section 12 of the Chuuk State Constitution and to the Emergency Declaration I issued on April 11, 2026, and CSL 9 - 07 - 05 limiting the authority of the Governor to decree funds for not more than \$200,000.00, I hereby decree the following amounts:

1) Emergency Funds Decreed

The sum of \$200,000.00 is hereby decreed from unused funding and/or other proper sources identified by the Department of Administrative Services, to be

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used solely for emergency response related to Tropical Storm Sinlaku, allocated as follows:

- a) \$65,000.00 for the cleaning, removal, hauling, transport, and disposal of storm debris, including fallen trees, damaged building materials, scattered waste, and other hazardous obstructions from public roads, government facilities, schools, shelters, and surrounding public areas.
- b) . \$135,000.00 for the procurement, transport, storage, and distribution of food and water supplies for affected communities, shelters, displaced persons, emergency responders, and other persons impacted by Tropical Storm Sinlaku.

2) Administration of Funds

The Department of Administrative Services shall identify the proper funding source or sources, establish the necessary emergency account or accounting mechanism, and ensure that all decreed funds are disbursed and accounted for solely for the purposes authorized under this Decree.

3) Effective Date

This Emergency Decree shall take effect immediately upon issuance and shall remain in force for the duration of the State of Emergency, unless sooner amended, rescinded, or superseded by law or further executive action.

SO ORDERED AND DECREED on this 12th day of April 2026


ALEXANDER R. NARRUHN
Governor
Chuuk State