



18th TINIAN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CITIZEN-CENTRIC REPORT FY 2022



MISSION

The mission of the Eighteenth Tinian Municipal Council are to influence public policy decisions at the local and state levels of government and to strengthen the ability of the municipal government to better serve its people. In order to sustain the goals of securing our island’s future economic prosperity and its people’s well-being, the Municipal Council must be able to-through the joint effort of the Tinian Leadership and community leaders-assert its original functions as mandated by law. The pressing need to establish enabling legislation at the Council level must be met through a legislative initiative, a popular initiative, litigation or an appeal to the Supreme Court for a certifying question. The lines of Municipal and State jurisdiction must be set and drawn clearly in order to provide any effective results for the people of Tinian. To achieve the goals of securing a better quality of life for every resident of Tinian as well as the overall goal of securing the economic self-sufficiency of our island, the Eighteenth Tinian Municipal Council must ensure that social programs, such as community beautification programs; youth development programs; cultural programs; and other developmental programs along with duties mandated by law (formulating the annual budget along with the Mayor; approving reprogramming of funds in the approved budget; confirming Resident Department Heads and Board Members; and appropriating local revenues are fully operational. Since the establishment of the Tinian and Rota Municipal Councils in 1986 and the Saipan and Northern Islands Municipal Council in 1990, the question of legislative authority has been in existence.

The Eighteenth Tinian Municipal Council will continue to work together with the Rota, Saipan and the Northern Islands Municipal Councils to secure its legislative authority to enact local law on matters of a predominantly local nature not pre-empted by the CNMI Legislature.

Organizational Chart

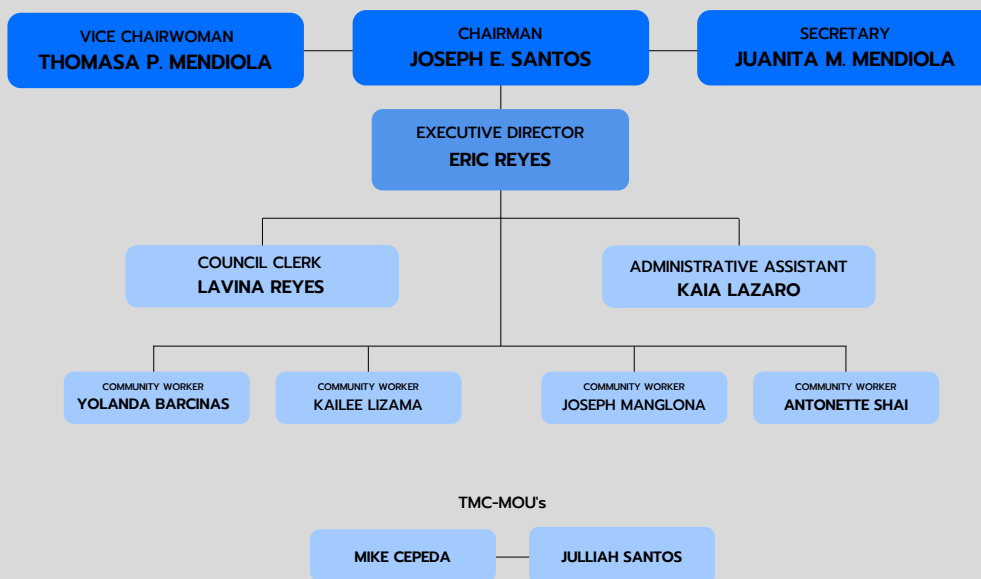


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HIGHLIGHTS

The Eighteenth Tinian Municipal Council works via the collaborative effort of the Tinian Leadership and community leaders. We hold different sessions, activities, and do collaborative work for community functions to help aid the people of Tinian. The following are some examples of events and functions that our office has organized and/or participated in:

Community Functions

- Halloween Drive-thru
- Tinian Hot Pepper Festival
- San Jose Fiesta
- Youth Shoreline Workshop/ Fishing Derby
- Tinian Jr./Sr. High School Graduation
- Women's Paint Night
- MUNIS Time Keepers Training
- Public Service Recognition Week
- CNMI PRIDE Month Proclamation Ceremony
- Tinian Ocean Fair Fishing Derby
- DCCA Peer-to-Peer Learning & Training
- New Year's Eve Event
- Labor Day
- Safe Ride Program
- Goodwill Beach Volleyball Games w/ U.S. Military
- Youth Summer Employment Program
- Pacific Mini Games Beach Volleyball
- Tinian Jr./ Sr. High School Clean Up
- LGBTIQ PRIDE Ribbon Cutting
- Mental Health First Aid Training
- Maintaining of the Little League Baseball Field
- Bus Stop Clean Up

18th TMC Sessions & Hearings

- 5th Regular Session
- 2nd EAGI Confirmation/Public Hearing
- 1st Special Session
- 2nd Special Session
- 6th Regular Session
- 3rd EAGI Confirmation/Public Hearing
- 4th EAGI Confirmation/Public Hearing
- 7th Regular Session

18th TMC Resolutions

- 18TMC-003 A resolution to thank the Governor & CPA
- 18TMC-004 A resolution to memorialize the process in which TMC will act pursuant to its authority granted in the CNMI Constitution
- 18TMC-005 Commemorative Resolution "Elmo Antonio U. Hofschneider"
- 18TMC-006 Commemorative Resolution "Jose A. Hocog"
- 18TMC-007 Resolution of Recognition "Dr. Regina C. Palacios"
- 18TMC-008 Resolution of Recognition "Dr. Conrad M. Kiyoshi"
- 18TMC-009 Resolution of Recognition "Dr. Raena P. Cing-Cabrera"

Pacific Alliance of Municipal Councils

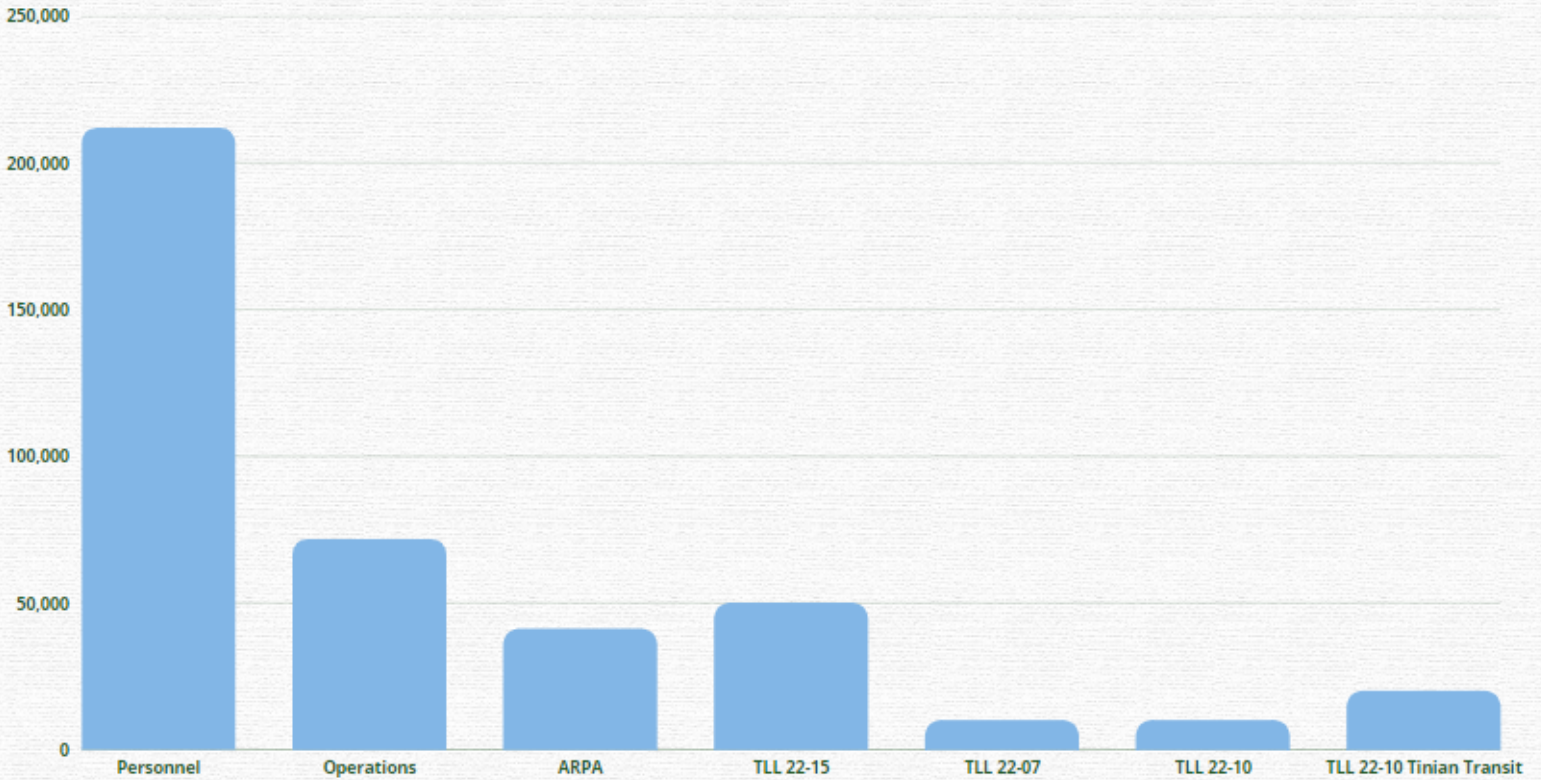
The Municipal Councils of the CNMI established the Pacific Alliance of Municipal Councils. The objectives of the PAMC include but are not limited to the following: To establish a center of island research and information of the development and exchange of ideas, technical assistance and practical experience in all phases of municipal government operations. Moreover, the 18th Tinian Municipal Council initiated its efforts into seeking municipal empowerment for the Municipal Councils of the CNMI.



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WHAT'S NEXT

Tinian Transit Services:

- The Council is aiming to expand Tinian Transit Services to the public.

Little League Baseball Field:

- The Council aims to make renovations to Tinian's Little League Baseball Field.

Bus Stops:

- The Council aims to continue maintaining and revitalizing the bus stops for our students.



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