



United States Department of the Interior

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington, DC 20240

July 16, 2020

The Honorable Ralph DLG. Torres
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
Caller Box 10007
Saipan, MP 96950

Dear Governor Torres:

I am pleased to award \$407,950 to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI) through the Office of Insular Affairs' Brown Tree Snake (BTS) Program. These funds are for the CNMI BTS Interdiction Program, as described in the proposal dated April 1, 2021.

The grant award documents will be sent to your staff. Please contact me or have your staff contact Hailey McCoy at (202) 513-7746 or at hailey_mccoy@ios.doi.gov should you have any questions or concerns regarding this grant.

We look forward to continuing to work with your administration on this important effort.

Sincerely,

Nikolao Pula
Acting Assistant Secretary
Insular and International Affairs

cc: The Honorable Gregorio Kili Camacho Sablan