PUBLIC AUDITOR'S ATTENDANCE AT THE 24th PASAI CONGRESS IN KOROR, PALAU



THEME: "LOOKING TO THE FUTURE"

During the week of February 27th to March 03, 2023, representatives of 22 PASAI member offices, supporting development partners and dignitaries from local and overseas ministries attended the four-day meeting hosted by the Office of the Public Auditor for the Republic of Palau. Participants were from across the Pacific and from as far as Brazil, the USA and Norway attended the first in-person Congress since 2019.

The four-day Congress theme is "Looking to the Future" where participants reflected on PASAI's progress nearly nine years into its current 10-year Strategic Plan and started work developing its next one.

Attending from the FSM Office of the National Public Auditor was Mr. Haser Hainrick, Public Auditor; accompanied by Ms. Miriama Naivalu, Audit Manager; and Ms. Franny Johnny, Administrative

Officer. It was an enriching experience especially for the two staff who were attending the PASAI Congress for the first time. The team's participation in contributing to the strategic direction of PASAI to better serve the Pacific Supreme Audit Institutions such as ours was a rewarding experience as we learnt and shared challenges, practices and learnings. We also thank the organizers for including our office in the presentations of our story of communicating our audit results and engaging with our stakeholders.

The ONPA also gives special thanks to PASAI for a successful Congress and all Congress participants for all the informative panel discussions and presentations. We also thank and congratulate the host, Palau Office of the Public Auditor, for making our stay at Palau a memorable one.

