



PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA
GOVERNOR

PULUMATAALA AE AE JR.
LT. GOVERNOR

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT**

PAGO PAGO, AMERICAN SAMOA 96799

Telephone: (684) 633-4121

PROCLAMATION

ARCHIVES MONTH 2025

**"Preserving the Rights and Stories of American Samoans"
October 2025**

WHEREAS, American Archives Month was proclaimed and celebrated by the Council of State and Territorial Archivists in 2006 to acknowledge archives and records professionals for their dedication in processing, preserving and providing paper, photo, microfilm, audio videotape, and computer information to employers and communities as sanctioned by the U.S. National Archives and Records Administration, and

WHEREAS, the American Samoa Government's public archives hold numerous historical and contemporary stories about American Samoa's ongoing journey of liberty, justice, righteousness, freedom, and innovation as well as continental-insular stories of people, places, and events significant to the People of American Samoa living under the precepts of the U.S. Constitution and American Samoa Deed of Cession, and the resultant laws thereof,

WHEREAS, the American Samoa Government Department of Administration Services Office of Archives and Records Management works faithfully to conduct archival conservation, efficient government records management, U.S. National Parent Passport residential evidence, certified Vital Statistics verifications, Executive-Judicial and Legislative Branch Information, Matai and Land Title Case researches; cultural and genealogical resources; digital preservation, online social media record-keeping and the promotion of best archival practices,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA, Governor of the Territory of American Samoa, do hereby proclaim October 2025 as American Samoa Archives Month and, in so doing, commend the performances of all American Samoa Government Archives and Records Management workers and call upon all residents to acknowledge that the benefits of good archives and records management strengthen the ancient and modern culture of American Samoa in an everchanging world.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature and the seal of my office on this 9th day of October, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-five.

PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA
Governor



PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA
GOVERNOR

PULUMATAALA AE AE JR.
LT. GOVERNOR

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT**

PAGO PAGO, AMERICAN SAMOA 96799
Telephone: (684) 633-4121

POLOAIGA FA'ALAU'AITELE

**FA'ASAOINA O 'AIĀ MA TALA FA'AMAUMAU O AMERIKA SAMOA
Oketopa 2025**

TALUAI, O le Masina o Fa'amaumauga o Amerika na fa'amautuina mai e le Fono lona fa'amanatuina e le Setete ma Teritori ile 2006 le fa'atāuina ai o fa'amaumauga fa'apolofesa, mo lona fa'asaoina o le tu'uina atu o ata, lipine ma leo, atoa ma fa'amatalaga tau komepiuta mo tagata e galulue o le atunu'u pei ona fa'atagaina mai le U.S National Archives and Records, ma

TALUAI, E tele tala fa'asolopito ma tala fa'aonaponei o Amerika Samoa o lo'o fa'amaumauina fa'alaua'itele, o nei tala e fa'atatau lava i le tauasaina mai ole faigamalaga ā Amerika Samoa mo le sa'olotoga ma amiotonu. O lo'o a'afia i nei tala, tulaga tau fa'a- koniteneta ma lona fa'afouga, o tagata ma nofoaga, atoa ma mea tāua na tutupu i tagata o Amerika Samoa. O lo'o soifua ma ola i lalo o tulafono ma le Fa'avae ma o le Unaite Setete o Amerika o lo'o galulue ma ta'ita'iina ai, ma

TALUAI, o le Ofisa o Fa'amaumauga o le Malo o Amerika Samoa, o lo'o latou fa'atautaia ma le fa'amaoni fa'amaumauga, ma fa'asaoina lelei le tele o fa'amaumauga ale malo U.S. National Parent. O Tusifolau fa'amaoniga nofomau, fa'amaoniga o Pepa Fanau, ma lālā o le Fa'amasinoga ma le Tulafono, Suafa matai ma Fanua fa'aleaganu'u ma punaoa, o gafa ma isi o feso'otaiga maumautūtū i luga o laina ma komepiuta, fa'apea fa'amaumauga o fa'asalalauga ma le fa'alauiloaina o nisi o fuafuaga tāua.

ONA O LEA, O A'U, PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA, Kovana Tofia o le Teritori o Amerika Samoa, ia fa'ailoa atu oa Oketopa 2025 e avea ma masina a Fa'amaumauga o Amerika Samoa ma, o le mea lea, e fa'afetaia le fa'atinoga o fa'amaumauga ale Malo o Amerika Samoa. Le pulega ma le aufaigaluega ma e vala'au atu ai tagata uma ina ia aloa'ia nei fa'amanuiaga i fa'amaumauga ma le fa'amalosia ai o tū ma aga fa'aonaponei a Amerika Samoa i le fesuisui'ai ai o le lalolagi

I LONA MOLIMAUINA, ua ou tu'uina ai la'u saina ma le fa'ailoga o lo'u tofiga i le aso lenei 9 o Oketopa, i le tausaga o lo tatou Ali'i e lua-afe ma le sefulu ma le lima.

PULAALI'I NIKOLAO PULA
Kovana