



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT**

PROCLAMATION

**“OLDER AMERICAN MONTH”
“AGE MY WAY”**

WHEREAS, Older Adults are celebrated nationwide each May in observance of our nation’s Older Americans Month; and,

WHEREAS, Older Adults have had, and continue to have a tremendous impact in helping to build a more perfect nation; and,

WHEREAS, Older Adults contribute their time and wisdom to make our communities stronger, more informed, and better connected; and,

WHEREAS, Older Adults are some of the most treasured members of our society serving as friends, mentors, teachers, essential workers, volunteers, and caregivers; and,

WHEREAS, Older Adults have always been a vital source of strength and resilience in our community; and,

WHEREAS, The Territory is committed to keeping older adults safe, healthy, happy and independent as they age; and,

WHEREAS, The Territory continues to celebrate the achievements of our Older Adults and is committed to providing our elders with the support and services they need to thrive and age with dignity;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LEMANU P. S. MAUGA, Governor of the Territory of American Samoa, do hereby proclaim the Month of May 2022 as Older Americans Month. This month and beyond, I call upon all of American Samoa to celebrate older adults for their contributions, support this independence, and recognize their unparalleled value to the Territory of American Samoa.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature and the Seal of my office on this 16th day of May, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-two.



LEMANU P. S. MAUGA

Governor



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POLOA'IGA FA'ALA'UA'ITELE

**"MASINA MO TAGATA MATUTUA"
"FAAMATUAINA O LE SOIFUA"**

- TALUAI, O le masina o Me i tausaga uma e faamanatu ai e le malo Amerika ma ona Teritori tagata matutua uma, ma
- TALUAI, O tagata matutua ma latou auaunaga o loo faaauauina pea ma o se fesoasoani tele lea mo le atina'e ina o se malo mautu ma manuia, ma
- TALUAI, O tagata matutua ma lo latou sao ma le latou faanaunautaiga ina ia avea le tatou malo ose malo malosi ma ia lelei ona feso'ota'i; ma
- TALUAI, O tagata matutua e taua tele i le tatou malo o ā tatou uo, o faiaoga, o fesoasoani muamua ma tatou tuaoi; ma
- TALUAI, O tagata matutua ma lo latou sao taua pogai lea o se malo malosi ma le manuia; ma
- TALUAI, O le malo Amerika Samoa o loo ave pea le faamuamua i tagata matutua ina ia saogalemu maloloina, fiafia ma ia faafua loa lo latou soifua, ma
- TALUAI, Ia tatou faamanatuina faatasi le taua o latou sao, ma ia ave i ai le faamuamua ma le lagolago i so'o se tautua latou te mana'omia ma le faamaoni, ma

O LEA, O A'U, LEMANU P. S. MAUGA, o le Kovana o le Teritori o Amerika Samoa, e tusa ai ma le pule ua tuuina mai ia te a'u e le tulafono ma tagata o Amerika Samoa, ua ou poloaina le masina o Me 2022, e avea ma "Masina mo Tagata Matutua". Oute poloaina ai tagata uma o Amerika Samoa ina ia latou faatauaina tagata matutua ia le gata i lenei masina a'o le lumana'i. O tagata uma o Amerika Samoa ia latou faatauaina sao taua, o le lagolago i tagata matutua ma ia tatou manatua pea le tele o latou galuega ma lu'itau sa latou asaina ua acae ai nei le atunuu atoa.

UA FA'AMAONIA LENEI POLOA'IGA, e ala i lo'u sainiaina, fa'atasi ai ma le fa'amaufa'aailoga a lo'u ofisa ua faia i le aso 16 lenei o Me, i le tausaga o le Mesia e lua afe ma le lua-sefulu ma le lua.


LEMANU P. S. MAUGA
Kovana