



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT**

July 10, 2023

**GENERAL MEMORANDUM NO. 169 – 23**

To: Distribution List

From: Governor of American Samoa

Subject: Flying of flags at half-staff in Honor of Representative Alumamalu Ale Filoialii

In accordance with 4 U.S.C. § 7(m), it is hereby directed that the flag of the United States and American Samoa shall be flown at half-staff from sunrise July 11, 2023 till sunset July 12, 2023. This symbol of reverence serves as a testament to the respect and gratitude we hold for the Honorable Alumamalu Ale Filoialii, who passed away on June 18, 2023 at the age of 62.

Representative Alumamalu's love for our Territory and Nation is highlighted throughout his years of public service. For two terms, he served our Territory diligently and faithfully as the Representative for the Ta'ū, Manu'a District #1. His 21 years of exemplary military service along with his contributions as a public servant is invaluable. His commitment to serving our people will never be forgotten.

As we lower our flags to half-staff, let it serve as a visible reminder of the debt of gratitude we owe him and all the great leaders who have helped preserve the tenets and ideals of our democracy.

LEMANU P. S. MAUGA  
Governor