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GENERAL MEMORANDUM NO. 135 – 25

To: Secretary of Samoan Affairs, CEOs, Presidents and Executive Directors of
Authorities, Directors, Agency and Office Heads

From: Governor of American Samoa

Subject: Memorial Day Holiday - 2025

Memorial Day, Monday, May 26, 2025, will be observed as a holiday in the Territory of American Samoa. To honor those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country, all government offices will be closed, and normal government operations will be suspended for the day.

Employees of the American Samoa Government who are not required to perform essential services shall be excused from duty. Employees who are required to report for duty on that day will receive holiday compensation in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

Memorial Day provides us the opportunity to acknowledge brave men and women who gave their lives in service to our great nation. In a time when it is sometimes easy for us to get caught up in our own lives and take for granted the fundamental rights we as Americans enjoy, it is important to take a moment to remember those who fought until the end to preserve those rights for us. May God bless us with the strength to live in a way that honors their legacy.

Thank you for your continued dedication and service to the people of American Samoa and please have a safe holiday weekend.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pulaali'i".

Pulaali'i Nikolao Pula
Governor