



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT**

PROCLAMATION

“REGISTERED DIETITIAN NUTRITIONS DAY 2022”

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists are the food and nutrition experts who can translate the science of nutrition into practical solutions for healthy living; and

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists have degrees in nutrition, dietetics, public health or a related field from well-respected, accredited colleges and universities, completed an internship and passed an examination; and

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists use their nutrition expertise to help individuals make unique, positive lifestyle changes; and

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists work throughout the community in hospitals, schools, public health clinics, nursing homes, fitness centers, food management, food industry, universities, research and private practice; and

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists are advocates for advancing the nutritional status of Americans and people around the world; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to recruit more American Samoan students to pursue a degree in the field of Nutrition and Dietetics.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LEMANU P. S. MAUGA, Governor of the Territory of American Samoa, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, March 9, 2022, Registered Dietitian Nutritionist Day in American Samoa, and I encourage all citizens the contributions of Registered Dietitian Nutritionist and express appreciation for their commitment to promoting science-based nutrition in the hope of achieving optimum health for both today and tomorrow.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature and the Seal of my office on this 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-two.


LEMANU P. S. MAUGA
Governor