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American Samoa's Under-17 (U17) National Women's Beach Handball Team with head coach Carl Floor Sr., (far right) who is also president of the American Samoa Handball Association, and coach Joey Sagapolu (far left), on Wednesday at the Pago Pago International Airport when the group arrived home from the 2017 Under 17 Beach Handball World Championship Games in the Republic of Mauritius. The team has clinched a spot in the October 2018 Youth Olympic Games in Buenos Aires, Argentina. See story for full details.

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## AS U17 Women's Beach Handball Team are Oceania Champions

### CLINCHES SPOT IN THE 2018 YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES - A FIRST FOR THE TERRITORY

by Fili Sagapolutele  
Samoa News Correspondent

After clinching a spot and qualifying for the next year's Youth Olympics, the American Samoa Handball Association's next focus is training the territory's Under-17 Women's Beach Handball Team, in preparation for competition at the international level.

American Samoa's U17 National Women's Beach Handball Team departed the territory on July 3 for the 2017 Under 17 Beach Handball World Championship in the Republic of Mauritius, an island country off the coast of the African continent.

It was also the qualifying tournament for the October 2018 Youth Olympic Games set to be held in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

"We have learned so much competing against some of the most experienced beach handball teams in the world," American Samoa Handball Association president, Carl Sagapolutele Floor said about the championship tournament.

"While Spain, Portugal, and Thailand showed their expe-

rience, we were able to overcome our deficiencies and play China much tougher while almost forcing Venezuela to a shoot out," Floor told Samoa News yesterday, a day after the 14-member American Samoa delegation, — 10 athletes, three coaches and a medical official — returned home after clinching a spot in the Youth Olympics.

Before the team left the territory, Floor told Samoa News that the challenge for them and "our first primary mission, is to finish higher than Australia, which a tough team to beat." American Samoa did just that — beating Australia, their rival during the May Oceania tournament in the Cook Islands, where American Samoa claimed the gold medal over the team from Down Under.

"The experience gained by competing against the world's best U17 handball teams enabled us to beat our Oceania rival Australia twice," Floor said yesterday. He explained that the second game was close with Australia winning the first period by one point and Amer-

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The attendees of last Thursday's meeting, hosted by the American Samoa National Olympic Committee (ASNOC) where several issues, including the establishment of the first ever Media Commission, were discussed. [photo: THA]



**American Samoa Government  
OFFICE OF PROCUREMENT**

## INVITATION FOR BIDS IFB-081-2017

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Closing Date: August 10, 2017  
No later than 2:00 p.m. (local time)

**1. INVITATION**

Sealed bids are invited from qualified firms to provide "Route 104 Hospital Road Reconstruction" for the Department of Public Works.

**2. RECEIPT & OPENING OF BIDS**

Sealed bids will be received by the Chief Procurement Officer, American Samoa Government, Tafuna, American Samoa 96799, until 2:00 p.m. (local time), Thursday, August 10, 2017 at which time and place the sealed bids will be publicly opened and read.

**3. MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE**

A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Meeting for all contractors will be held on July 27, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the Department of Procurement- Conference Room. Bids will not be accepted from bidders who are not present at the pre-bid meeting.

**4. CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

Electronic copies of contract documents, including Plans and Scope of Work can be examined or obtained from the Office of Procurement during regular business hours free of charge.

5. The American Samoa Government reserves the right not to accept the lowest or any bid.

6. The American Samoa Government reserves the right to waive any informality in bidding as may be in the best interest of American Samoa Government.

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Chief Procurement Officer

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ican Samoa winning the second period, forcing a tie breaking shootout.

"The last shooter from Australia traveled, securing our second win against them," said Floor, who was one of the coaches that traveled with the team to Mauritius.

"Because of the point differential between us and Australia, we had to beat Mauritius in order to qualify for the Youth Olympic Games," he shared. "Our girls played at their highest level using everything they have learned in beating Mauritius, securing an invitation to the Youth Olympic games as the Oceania Champions."

At the world championship, Floor said the "biggest standout for American Samoa was Danielle Floor who played every minute of every game, shutting down almost every team's best scorer while scoring a few much needed points herself."

Furthermore, "Naomi Aasa played outstanding defense against Australia's best shooter, which helped secure American Samoa's win."

As for preparations for the Youth Olympics, Floor said they have over a year to train and prepare "and we will begin with strength training next week. In addition, we will have open tryouts as we will be searching for an additional

goalkeeper while trying to add more offensive players." The International Handball Federation will be sending a beach handball instructor within the next few months to American Samoa "to provide coaching assistance and strategies for our players and coaches," said Floor, who will be traveling to Europe for training in preparation for the Youth Olympics.

Additionally, plans are being drawn to take the selected National Team to the USA in June to train and compete in preparation for the Youth Olympics.

Floor said the AS Handball Association is "hoping that our government will assist us by creating a beach court, perhaps at the Lions Park area or the Sports Complex."

"Our biggest deficiency is the lack of a sand court and it was evident during our first few games as our girls needed to get used to running and jumping in the soft sand," he said.

Floor expressed his sincerest appreciation for the strong support from the parents of the players, as well as family members — all of whom he said were cheering for Team American Samoa during the world championship. "Thank you parents, thank you everyone, thank you American Samoa," he concluded.



## American Samoa Government EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND

The following people have been recorded as inactive participants in the ASG Retirement Fund system and still have funds that are owed to them.

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## Freeze resigns as Ole Miss football coach after 5 seasons

Mississippi football coach Hugh Freeze resigned Thursday after university officials found a "pattern of personal misconduct" that started with the school's investigation into a call to an escort service. Freeze's resignation brings a stunning end to a five-year tenure that saw a Sugar Bowl victory, but also a wide-ranging NCAA investigation into rules violations. His ultimate downfall came after school officials investigated Freeze's phone records and found misconduct.

"In our analysis, we discovered a pattern of conduct that is not consistent with our expectations as the leader of our football program," athletic director Ross Bjork said. "As of yesterday, there appeared to be a concerning pattern."

Bjork said the school's investigation started last week

after an outside Freedom of Information request revealed a concerning phone call that lasted less than a minute. The school then looked into the rest of his phone records and found more problems.

Bjork said Freeze "admitted the conduct" and that the coach offered his resignation Thursday afternoon. When pressed to explain Freeze's conduct, Bjork said the school needed to "protect that information."

"His privacy is important," Bjork said. "The conduct was just not something we could continue with as our head coach." Freeze's university cell phone records obtained by The Associated Press show a 1-minute call made on Jan. 19, 2016, to a Detroit-based number. An internet search shows the number linked to a site that offers various escort

services. "I've got no idea, to be honest," Freeze told Yahoo Sports, which first reported the nature of the call. "I was in an 813 area code and that was a 313 number, I think that might have been a misdial. I don't think there was even a conversation. There's nothing to it."

Co-offensive coordinator Matt Luke has been named the interim coach.

"This is a sad day for the University of Mississippi," Ole Miss Chancellor Jeffrey Vitter said. Vitter and Bjork both said Freeze's resignation is strictly because of his personal conduct and not because of the ongoing NCAA investigation.

The Rebels had a quick rise under Freeze, recruiting at a high level and reaching an apex with a Sugar Bowl victory over Oklahoma State following the 2015 season.

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# Playoff drought looms over Buffalo Bills' latest fresh start

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. (AP) — Darryl Talley bit his lip so not to risk spouting a profanity.

The Buffalo Bills' 17-year playoff drought roils the emotions of the franchise's proud old guard.

"That's real ..." the former star linebacker said with a grunt of frustration followed by a short pause. "That's real hard for me to get my head around. I wanted to say something else, but I didn't."

The feelings are hardly different for Bill Polian, architect of the Bills' golden-era teams of the late 1980s and early '90s. As much as the Hall of Fame executive-turned-broadcaster relishes the place he holds in franchise lore, Polian's not too proud to suggest it's long overdue for a new group to write a new chapter of success.

"It's time for a new generation of stars to step forward and make their mark," Polian said. "We've done our thing. But let's have new guys step forward and do things that get that same feeling of excitement and pride that we were so happy to have been a part of."

Oh, where have the good times gone? What had been the AFC's winningest team of the 1990s, the Bills have spent the new millennium relegated to afterthought status, compiling the longest active playoff drought in North America's four professional sports.

The team's longstanding woes were a prime topic of discussion among former Bills attending Hall of Fame quarterback Jim Kelly's annual charity golf tournament outside of Buffalo last month. The franchise is undergoing the latest in a long string of offseason overhauls after coach Rex Ryan was fired in December, followed by general manager Doug Whaley in April.

The changes place the onus on the new regime to restore order to a franchise now on its eighth coach, Sean McDermott, and seventh GM, Brandon Beane, since 2000.

"I'm getting tired of the rotation with everything," Kelly said, referring to the front-office turnover. "Hopefully, (McDermott's) going to be here for the long run. So, we'll see."

Hope might run eternal in Buffalo, but it usually comes with a hint (or more) of skepticism given how much time has passed since the Bills were relevant.

It's been 23 years since the team made and lost its fourth consecutive Super Bowl appearance. Some 20 years have gone by since Kelly last threw a meaningful pass in what was then known as Rich Stadium; he retired following the 1996 season.

The Bills haven't won a playoff game since Dec. 30, 1995.

Their last postseason appearance ended in as deep a heart break as imaginable — a 22-16 loss at Tennessee in an AFC wild-card game on Jan. 8, 2000. The game, dubbed "The Music City Miracle," was decided in the final seconds when Kevin Dyson — off a lateral from Frank Wycheck — scored returning a kickoff.

Since then, the Bills have posted just two winning seasons, 9-7 finishes in 2004 and 2014, during a notorious stretch pockmarked by dysfunction.

There have been numerous draft miscues. Such as when offensive tackle Mike Williams was selected with the No. 4 pick in 2002 and cut after four seasons.

Free-agent signings have been spotty. Buffalo committed a combined \$62 million to offensive linemen Derrick Dockery and Langston Walker in 2007, only to give up on both within two seasons.

And this is a team that had two coaches either resign (Mike Mularkey in January 2006), or opt out of a contract (Doug Marrone following the 2014 season).

Though the past can't be pinned on McDermott, he acknowledged it's a burden he must bear.

"I believe that the minute I was hired I own that, right? I'm a part of that," McDermott said. "So to try to separate one's self from that, I think, is the wrong approach."

Asking McDermott and Beane to overnight solve the many issues that have undone the Bills might be unfair.

The defense, for example, features several starters better suited to fit Ryan's three-lineman, four-linebacker scheme. McDermott, meanwhile, is reintroducing a 4-3 philosophy. Aside from bringing in a new staff, the third in four years for some players, McDermott is also overhauling the roster. Not including rookies, only 17 players drafted by Buffalo remain on the team.

Refusing to call it a "rebuild," McDermott said it takes time to establish a winning culture, and acknowledged his process is a balancing act of assessing short- and long-term objectives.

Polian went through similar challenges taking over as Bills GM in 1986. Buffalo didn't make the playoffs until two years later. It wasn't until 1990 when the Bills began their Super Bowl run that might never be matched.

"It's going to require patience," Polian said. "I recognize that people don't like to hear it takes time, but it does."

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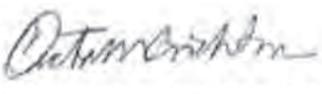
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Brooks Koepka of the United States plays out of the rough on the 15th hole during the first round of the British Open Golf Championship, at Royal Birkdale, Southport, England Thursday, July 20, 2017. (AP Photo/Peter Morrison)

## An All-American start to the British Open

SOUTHPORT, England (AP) — The wind off the Irish Sea pushed away the rain clouds and bathed Royal Birkdale in sunshine, Stars and Stripes.

The British Open began Thursday with an All-American flavor.

Jordan Spieth, chomping away on gum as he watched one putt after another pour into the center of the cup, worked some bunker magic late in the round to keep his card filled only with birdies and pars for a 5-under 65. He was tied for the lead with U.S. Open champion Brooks Koepka and Matt Kuchar.

Koepka, with no competition and barely any practice since capturing his first major a month ago, ran off three straight birdies and holed a tough shot from a pot bunker for eagle on the par-5 17th hole. Kuchar, who first endeared himself to these British fans as a 19-year-old amateur in 1998 at Royal Birkdale, tied the course record with a 29 on the front nine, only to fall into a routine of pars the rest of the way. He still shot 65, his best score ever in a major.

They were a stroke ahead of Paul Casey and Charl Schwartzel on a day that started nasty and ended with 39 players breaking par. The biggest question after a long day on the links was what was in store for Friday, when high wind and occasional showers were in the forecast.

“I thought today’s round was extremely important, as they all are,” Spieth said, atop the leaderboard at a major for the first time since last year’s Masters. “But given the forecast coming in, I thought you really needed to be in the red today. You can certainly make up ground in a round tomorrow, and we’ll see it happen. But being able to kind of play with shots, or play a little more conservative because you don’t try to do too much on a day like tomorrow, that’s nice and very helpful.”

Dustin Johnson and Rory McIlroy fall into that category. Johnson, the No. 1 player who hasn’t played the weekend at a major since the British Open last year, managed only one birdie on a decent day for scoring and shot 71. McIlroy also shot 71 and was relieved. Coming off three missed cuts in his last four events, he was 5 over through six holes when his caddie gave him a pep talk. McIlroy closed with three birdies over the last four holes to stay in the game.

Phil Mickelson failed to make a birdie, the first time that has happened in a major in five years, and shot 73.

Kuchar was the only one at 65 who played in

the afternoon. The wind remained strong, though the course was manageable for everyone who stayed out of bunkers and deep grass and who holed putts.

“I watched some of the golf this morning on TV. It looked awfully challenging,” Kuchar said. “It looked like anything under par was going to be a good score. Seemed like the later your tee time, the better draw you got. ... For me, to start my British Open with a 29 on the front nine is a great way to start.”

Charley Hoffman had the best start of all, holing out from the rough on the daunting opening hole for an eagle. He was poised to join the leaders when he reached 5 under with a birdie on the 15th, only to drop shots on the next two holes. Hoffman shot 67 and was in a group that included Justin Thomas, Ian Poulter and Rafa Cabrera Bello.

Defending champion Henrik Stenson, who played with Spieth, had a 69. Stenson also played with Spieth the first two rounds of the 2015 Masters that the Texan won wire-to-wire and knew what to expect.

“He was rolling it superbly that week, and I don’t think it was that far behind today,” Stenson said.

But his best shot was with his feet in the sand. Spieth was in thick rough to the right of the 16th fairway when his shot crept into the back of a pot bunker. Not only was the ball on a slight slope, the rake marks left his ball between two ridges.

“This is dangerous,” he said to his caddie.

He aimed to the right of the hole to avoid it going off the green on the other side and into another bunker, and it came off perfectly about 10 feet away.

“That was awesome,” were his next words to his caddie.

He made the par putt — Spieth made a lot of putts and picked up a two-putt birdie on the 17th and narrowly missed a 7-foot birdie putt on the last. It was his best start in a major since he shot 66 at the Masters a year ago. Spieth rated it among the top five or six rounds he has ever played in a major, not bad for someone who came close to the Grand Slam two years ago.

“I couldn’t have done much better today,” he said. Royal Birkdale was much more kind than it was nine years ago in raging wind and rain. The 146th Open began in cool temperatures, a light rain and a strong wind. Mark O’Meara, a winner at Royal Birkdale in 1998 who is playing in his last British Open, hit the opening tee shot.



# Coaches, players continue adjusting to lighter camps



In this May 25, 2017, file photo, New York Giants defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo, right, runs a drill with his players during the team's organized team activities at its NFL football training facility in East Rutherford, N.J. When 10 years' worth of labor peace came to the NFL in 2011, so did a massive change in the rules governing practice, during the season, the offseason and, most especially, in training camps. (AP Photo/Julio Cortez, File)

Hey, hold on. You can't do that. Not anymore.

When 10 years' worth of labor peace came to the NFL in 2011, so did a massive change in the rules governing practice — during the season, the offseason and, most especially, in training camps. Lengthy double sessions, the dreaded by players two-a-days, became a shorter session and a walkthrough.

Hitting anywhere outside the games themselves was minimized. Days off during camp were required. Perhaps as worrisome to coaching staffs, not to mention players on the roster bubble, was a significant decrease in teaching time.

Unless the collective bargaining agreement is opened before it expires after the 2020 season, none of that will change. And the complaints will remain. "Some of the things, that you can't put a player in front of a player in the offseason even with a pad on," Cowboys linebackers coach Matt Eberflus said of one major problem. "That to me is restrictive because you have to use managers and those types of things. The rules are the rules and we abide by the rules. But I think that at times can be a little bit restrictive."

So does Falcons guard Ben Garland, to a degree.

"I think it depends on who you are," the veteran of three NFL seasons said. "If you are a guy who is really young and a free agent and doesn't have a lot of reps, it is really tough for you because it really limits your reps and your experience.

"If you're an older guy, a vet like Alex Mack and Andy Levitre who have played a lot of years and you can just come out here and get these nice, crisp, hard and fast reps, I think it's very beneficial." That'd be tough as a rookie free agent to come in here and only get a few snaps to show

yourself."

Where coaches would run and rerun plays that didn't look right in the pre-2011 training camps, they now must turn to film study, videos, photos and other teaching methods in many cases. Some of the great strategists of the game, from Pete Carroll in Seattle to John Harbaugh in Baltimore, have become educators at OTAs, minicamps and during the summer.

Having veterans who have been on the same team for a while is a major boost to the coaches. Those players can help the youngsters learn more quickly, from the basics to the nuances.

Of course, with free agency and monster contracts such an overriding factor in today's NFL, that stability is exceedingly difficult to maintain. Plus, assistant coaches tend to move around.

"It is huge," Giants defensive coordinator Steve Spagnuolo explains about the importance of continuity. "I mean look, there have been times where I have had this position and the staff has changed one or two spots, and you do spend some time teaching the coaches exactly what you want if they haven't been in your system. We try to do a very good job of it, the communication to me to the coaches, to the players, has to be exact or else it doesn't come out right.

"I mean every once in a while I say to the guys, 'Look, we are in graduate school now. We are there, so we are going to put in something a little bit more complex.' And that was the graduate thing last year. We built on it and I think it helped the guys to do it that way rather than to throw it all on them."

Is everyone in graduate school? "Well," Spags adds, "we are only in graduate school in certain things. You have the freshmen and the sophomores (too)."



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# Le fiafia Afalava i le le talia Fa'atonusili o Galuega talosaga Faipule

tusia Ausage Fausia

Na fa'aalia e le afioga i le ali'i Faipule mai le itumalo o Leasina/Atiulagi ia Gafatasi Afalava lona finagalo le fiafia fa'asaga i le Fa'atonusili o le Matagaluega o Galuega Lautele a le malo, i le tele o tausaga o talosagaina e afioga i Faipule mai itumalo ta'itasi galuega e fia fa'aleleia i totonu o latou itumalo, ae o o mai lava i le taimi nei o lo o maitauina pea le tele o tulaga fa'aleteonu.

“Ua fai si o'u leva i le Fono, ae o mataupu lava nei o lo o talanoaina, o le mea ua tupu, ua sau lo'u le toe fia talanoa i nei mataupu, sau ai fo'i ma lo'u le toe talitonuina o le faigamalo ma lau matagaluega, o le taula atoa na ou mana'o ai e te toe tula'i mai i le tofi, ia fai oe ma leo o afioga i Faipule i mea matou te manana'o i ai, e vava lalata atu le lua mafutaga ma le Kovana nai lo matou, ma faigofie ai ona e tago e tulei mea matou te manana'o ai i le Kovana, ae o le upu moni, e taua galuega nai lo le fai o folafolaga”, o se vaega lea o le saunoaga a Gafatasi ia Faleosina.

“Ua ou fiu e talosaga atu, ua sau fo'i lo'u musu ou te toe alu atu, tele tausaga o fesili atu i galuega e fia fa'ataunu'uina, ae foliga mai tou te fa'alagolago lava i konekarate, a o fea Inisinia a lou Ofisa e tatau ona faia galuega nei. Sina, e le o se galuega a Afalava ma Faipule le o atu soo e talosaga atu, e le valea

fo'i a'u, ua tiga ai lo'u ulu, fiu e o atu, talosaga atu, talosaga atu, ae leai lava se mea, ua taunu'u ai le upu, ua fa'apito manu ia tasi, ae ese lava galuega ia e fai, pe tou te fai mai o tupe a le malo na aumai i fea ma fea, o la'u tala, o tupe uma lava na a le atunu'u”.

“Aua tou te taumafai e fa'apogisa mai le atunu'u ma le Fono i mea nei, e iloa e a'u o lo o fai galuega i tua e ese mai i galuega a le malo, fa'apea ai ma galuega ia e talosaga atu ai matou, pule oe pe e te alu e ta'u i le Kovana ma le faigamalo la'u tala lea, ae ou te le toe alu atu e fai atu se talosaga, ua ou le fiafia lava, ou te le toe fia fa'alogo atu fo'i i sau tala e fai mai, I'm done”.

O ni isi ia o vaega o le saunoaga a Gafatasi na tu'uina atu i le tama'ita'i Faatonusili ia Faleosina, ina ua tu'u atu le avanoa ia te ia mo se saunoaga e fa'ai'u ai le iloiloga sa faia.

O le iloiloga sa ta'ita'ia e le afioga i le Ta'ita'i o le Komiti o Galuega Lautele a le maota o sui ia Vui Florence Saulo, mo le fesiligaiaina lea o le tulaga ua oo i ai le galuega mo le fa'aleleia o le vai o lo o to'a i le auala i Ottoville, atoa ai ma isi lava mataupu tau i galuega tetele o loo fiamalamalama i ai afioga i Faipule.

Na atagia i saunoaga a afioga i Faipule le tele o tausaga o latou talosagaina pea galuega o auala,

(Faauau itulau 10)



O foliaga ia o le alatele i totonu o le afioga o Malaeloa, amata mai i le amataga se'ia o'o i le fa'ai'uga i le itumalo o Aitulagi/Leasina (ata:THA)

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Le afioga i le Tama'ita'i Fa'atonusili o le Ofisa o Galuega Lautele a le malo ia Faleosina Voigt i le taimi na molimau ai i luma o le maota o sui i le taeao ananafi.

[ata AF]

# Fa'aulu Fono pili si'i ai lafoga 7% mo oloa fa'atau mai faleoloa

tusia Ausage Fausia

I le mae'a ai ona fa'alauiloa e le faigamalo a Lolo ma Lemanu o le fuafuaga mo le fa'ae'eina lea o se lafoga o oloa i le atunu'u, o le vaiaso nei na fa'aulu ai i le Senate ma le Maota o Sui se pili mo se tulafono, e pasia ai le lafoga e 7% mo oloa fa'atau mai faleoloa i totonu o Amerika Samoa.

E le o aofia i lenei lafoga fua o fa'atoaga ma faiga faiva o lo o fa'atauina i le maketi ma tafatafa o le alatele, o oloa tau suau'u, o Fa'alapotopotoga e le galulue mo se tupe fa'asili atoa ai ma oloa mo auunaga e aofia ai fualaau mai le falema'i.

O le agaga o le faigamalo e pei ona taua i le latou tulafono taufa'aofi, afai ae pasia e le Fono Faitulafono lenei tulafono mo se lafoga fa'ae'e e 7%, o le a soloia ai loa le Maga 11.0607 o le tulafono o totogi e 2% i lona atoaga.

A o taumafai ai le malo e saili auala eseese e maua mai ai tupe fa'aopopo e fa'atupe ai le tele o ana galuega ma atina'e i le atunu'u, ua manatu ai e fa'ae'e lenei lafoga ina ia fesoasoani ai i fuafuaga fa'ataoto a le malo.

E pei ona taua e le faigamalo, e na o Amerika Samoa lava le teritori faapea ai ma setete e 5 a le Iunite Setete e le o i ai se lafoga fa'ae'e mo oloa fa'atau. O le tausaga e 2012 na pasia ai le tulafoe e fa'ae'e atu ai le lafoga i totogi e 2% i tagata faigaluega uma i Amerika Samoa, ma o se lafoga sa le fetauti mo tagata totogi maualalo i le atunu'u.

Afai ae pasia e le Fono Faitulafono lenei tulafono

taufa'aofi o le 7% ma sainia e le Kovana, o le aso 1 Ianuari 2018 ua fa'amoemoe e taualoa ai loa lenei tulafono.

E 3 vaega fa'apitoa ua fuafua le malo e fa'aalu i ai le isi vaega o le tupe e maua mai i le lafoga lenei, ae o le vaega tupe e totee ai sa aoina mai i lafoga o oloa, o le a teuina atu uma lea i totonu o le teugatupe lautele a le malo.

O ia vaega e 3 e aofia ai le 6% o le aofa'i atoa o le lafoga sa aoina ae le sili atu i le \$2 miliona, e fa'apitoa lea mo le lipeaina atoa ai ma le toe fa'aleleia ma le siitia uma o faleaoga a le malo, ae o le \$500,000 e alu e fesoasoani ai i fanau aoga i le polokalame o Sikolasipi.

O le isi 6% o le aofa'i atoa o le lafoga sa ao mai i oloa ae le silia i le \$2 miliona, ua fa'amoemoe e tu'uina atu mo le falema'i o le LBJ i Faga'alu. Ae o le isi 6% o le aofa'i o le lafoga sa aoina mai, ua fa'amoemoe e fa'atupe ai le polokalame lea e ave ai gasegase i fafo mo togafitiga.

O le Teutupe a le malo ma lona Ofisa ua taoto atu i ai le fa'amalosia o lenei tulafono, ina ia mautinoa latou te su'esu'e ma sailiili tulaga uma e fa'atautu i le aoina mai o lenei lafoga mai pisinisi i le atunu'u.

O masina uma lava ua fa'amoemoe e faila atu ai e le faipisinisi fa'amaumauga o lana lafoga sa ao mai i tagata fa'atau, e tatau fo'i ona fa'amalosi le fai oloa i le teu maluina o fa'amaumauga o fa'atauga ta'itasi sa faia mo le aoina mai o lenei lafoga.

O le aso 10 o masina ta'itasi

(Fa'auau itulau 11)



O se va'aiga i le tama'ita'i peresetene o le Fa'alapotopotoga a Pulega o Uafu ma Taulaga lea e faia le latou fonotaga lona 104 i le teritori, Taimalelagi Dr. Claire Poumele ma le ali'i sui fa'atonu o Uafu ma Malaeva'alele Chris King i le toe as o le fonotaga.

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

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## ► Le fiafia Afalava...

Mai itulau 8

taligalu fa'apea ai ma faleaoga i totonu o latou itumalo, ae foliga mai lava e le o i ai se tulaga o tino mai, peita'i na fa'amanino e Faleosina i lana saunoaga e fa'apea, o ni isi o galuega o lo o aofia i polokalame fa'ataoto a le malo mo le isi 5 tausaga, ae o loo fa'alagolago le fa'ataunu'uina i le taimi e maua mai ai se alagatupe e fausia ai.

Mo le galuega o le auala i Ottonville e pei ona fesiligia e Vui, na taua ai e Faleosina le mae'a ona tu'uina atu o le galuega i le Konekarate ua manumalo, mo le fausiaina lea o tane sima e fa'aalu i ai le vai, ma o lo o i ai le fa'amoemoe o totonu o le 240 aso ua fa'atulaga e mae'a ai le galuega lea, amata mai i le masina o Me o le tausaga leni e oo atu i le masina o Ianuari 2018.

I galuega mo faleaoga e pei ona fesiligia e le afioga i le Faipule ia Veevalu M. Mageo ma Vailoata E. Amituana'i, o lo o fa'agasolo pea tulaga o galuega e moomia e pei o pemitama le fa'atanaga e mafai ai ona fa'atinoina e le Ofisa o Galuega a le malo ia galuega.

Na talosagaina e le afioga i le ali'i faipule ia Fagaoatua D. Salave'a, se galuega e fa'aleleia ai fa'aletonu i le vai o lo o to'a i le vaega e paka ai ta'avale i totonu o le aoga maualuga a Leone, ae o le afioga i le ali'i faipule ia Timusa T. Lam Yuen na ia talo-

sagaina le fa'aauauna pea lea o galuega mo le fa'aleleia o auala i totonu o lona itumalo.

I tulaga o galuega o auala, na taua ai e le afioga ia Vui le tataua lea ona silasila toto'a le matagaluega, i le sailia lea o ni auala tumau e foia ai fa'afitauli o loo a'afia ai auala i le atunu'u aemaise lava i totonu o lona itumalo o Tualauta,

na i loo le tanu i uta mo se taimi le tumau, ma ma'imau ai le tele o tupe ae uma ane lava ua toe leaga.

Na taua e le afioga a Vailoata le tataua lea ona silasila toto'a le Ofisa o Galuega aemaise ai le Komiti o lo o pasia pemitama fale, i nofoaga talafeagai e fausia ai maota ma laoa o aiga, ina ia taofia ai le tula'i soo mai o le fa'afitauli o le poloka ai o vaega o lo o tafe ai le suavai.

Na talosagaina fo'i e le sui fofoga fetalai ia Fetui Fetu Jr le fa'aleleia o le auala o lo o i tua o le falepuipui i Tafuna,

ona e le mafai ona soipoia e le atunu'u pe a malosia le tafe o le vaitafe o lo o i ai.

I le fa'aiuga o le iloiloaga, na fa'amalulu ai le tama'ita'i fa'atonu i le mamalu o le maota, e tusa ai o tulaga fa'aletonu e pei ona maitauina i le tautua a le matagaluega, peita'i i lona talitonuga, e mana'omia le galulue fa'atasi o le fono ma le matagaluega i auala e fa'aleleia ai la latou tautua i le lumana'i.



tusia: Leua Aiono Frost

### ISABELLA HUDSON - HUMBURG SUD

O le ulua'i as o le Fonotaga lona 104 o Pulega e 13 A Uafu o lo'o talimalo ai Amerika Samoa sa saunoa ai le tama'ita'i o lo'o Pulea le Ofisa o le Hamburg Sud North America Inc. i Amerika Samoa, Fonoti Isabella Steffany Hudson.

O le ofisa o lea kamupani o lo'o i le fogafale lona lua o le Samoa Sports Building i Fagatogo.

I le amataga o lana folasaga sa ia fa'alauiloa ai lona sui, peita'i sa ia fa'aailoa atu fo'i lona soifua a'e o se aiga o lona tua'a o se Ali'iva'a o ia.

Sa i ai va'a o lona tua'a sa fealua'i ma la'u pasese ma uta i le va o Tutuila ma Apia, Samoa, ma le va o Tonga ma Apia, Samoa, ae maise o malaga i Swains ma Rose Atoll.

O lona tua'a o Capt. Josef Steffany ua i ai le tamau o lana auunaga o se Ali'iva'a i Samoa atoa, aua o lo'o mautu lava le alagaupu, "E pule Sita'fune i la o lona Va'a!"

O lona o'o ai la i le auunaga a le Hamburg Sud, e lata mai lava nai lo lona a'afiaga tau le olaga o tagata folau ma tagata femalaga'i, ae maise o uta, faamomoli ma meli e fela'ua'i e va'a o so'o se ituaiga i le vaomalo.

O tausaga o le auunaga a Fonoti i le Hamburg Sud ua atoa le 25 tausaga, aua sa i ai foi sana auunaga aoga i le Reef Shipping Group Ltd i Niu Sila. I le tausaga e 1998 sa ia fa'atoa faigaluega ai loa i le Kamupani o i ai nei ma sa amata o se tasi e fa'ato'ai ai ni fa'afesili, ae mulimuli ane ai, ua latou fa'afaigaluegaina tumau o ia ma ua o'o mai lava lea auunaga i le aso.

E le o a'afia foi va'aoloa a leni kamupani i ni soligatulafono i le utaina o

ni oloa e fa'asaina i so'o se uafu ua afea e i latou mo fefa'ataua'iga.

Sa ia taua e mana'o fo'i le Hamburg Sud ina ia matua fa'avave le tautuaina o tagata ma pisinisi e ala i a latou uta oloa po'o mea toting fela'ua'i i le va o Amerika ma le teritori, po'o so'o se uafu o lo'o fa'ataga ai ona la'uoloa a latou va'a oloa.

"O le vave ma le saogalemu o uta uma e ao ina mautinoa, ma e lei i ai lava ni fa'afitauli tau le suau'u masa'a ua a'afia ai matou va'a oloa, ua saogalemu lava foi matou feoa'iga i le sami mai leni tele o tausaga," o a Fonoti lea.

"O lo'o tumau le fa'amoemoe ia alualua'i leni saogalemu ma taumafai atili e fa'amaulalo tau o fela'ua'iga o Oloa mo tagata lautele ma pisinisi fo'i, ia le si'itia vave le tau o le soifuaga mo tagata uma o le atunu'u ona ua si'itia totogi o tautua a Kamupani va'aoloa."

Na ia fa'alauiloa, le tautua a le Hamburg Sud e la'u mai ai le La'au Kerisimasi mao'i mai fafo mo le Kalapu a le Rotary.

O latou auunaga nei e fa'auia mai ai le agaga mo le atunu'u, aua o lo'o latou fa'aogaina le latou tautua mo fela'ua'iga.

I le taimi nei ua latou fa'aititia le taimi mo uta fela'ua'i mai le West Coast i Amerika Samoa mai le 20 aso sa i ai i le na'o le 14 aso, ma o se suiga fou lea ua latou mafaia ona tautua ai malo e lua. Peita'i o uta mai Seattle mo Amerika Samoa ua na'o le 17.

Ua fa'aalia e Fonoti, "O lo'o i ai fo'i le Foundation ua mafai ona ofoina atu ai sikolasipi mo le fanau fa'au'u ia fa'aauau ai aoga i fafo, na fa'aalu atu foi ni talosaga i le tausaga ua te'a a le fanau fa'au'u, ae le o ausia toggi o i latou na talosaga mo ia avanoa."

Ua i ai nisi avanoa e fa'auia atu ai fesoaosani a lea lava Kamupani va'a i taimi e fa'atautaia ai polokalama fa'apitoa a le Kalapu a le Liona i le atunu'u.

O Fonoti, o se tasi o totino o lea Kalapu, e latou te faia talavai mo sailiga o va'aiga a le mamalu lautele o le atunu'u.

O lo'o mafai ona latou fa'aailoa ia latou aufaigaluega, o lo'o i ai le Kolisi mo A'oga Folau ma galuega e agava'a ai tagata uma i Samoa, ua aoga tele lea mo le auina atu i ai o ni talavou, ina ia si'itia fo'i le atamai e fa'atautaia ai nei ituaiga faiva i le lumana'i o alo i Samoa na lua. Sa ia fa'afetaia leni avanoa, ua fa'atino ai fo'i se sao o le Hamburg Sud e tausoa le taligamalo mo leni fonotaga taua. Fa'amalo fo'i i le Peresetene o le Asosi a Pulega o Uafu 13 ua auai i le fonotaga, Taimalie Claire Tuia Poumele mo le ta'ita'iga o leni fonotaga, ae maise o sui usufono uma ua auai.

O le afioga Fonoti ma le Hamburg Sud e talimalo mo le talisuaga mulimuli i le afiafi ananafi a le au usufono ma malo fa'aaloologia.

### LAPISI LAFOA'I I LE SAMI - FOLASAGA ASEPA

O le folasaga a le Ofisa o le Siosiomaga a Amerika Samoa (ASEPA), sa fa'atautaia e le tama'ita'i Saeanisi o Mia Comeros, ma sa ia faailoa ai le tele o le lapisi e aoina mai le sami i aso ta'itasi.

"E 8 miliona metric tone o so'o se ituaiga lapisi e aoina mai le sami i tausaga ta'itasi, peita'i o le 80% o lea aotelega o le Lapisi, ua fa'amauiina o le oloa palasitika po'o oloa una o so'o se ituaiga, atigifagu, ipu pepa ma taga pepa i'ila, ae maise fo'i o nisi o mea e fa'aogaina e va'afagota o maea ma net fagota, fa'atasi ai ma le tele o ituaiga lapisi eseese ua tafea atu i le sami mai

vaitafe i taimi o lologa."

O se suesuega fou ua fa'aalia ai, ua matua tele na'ua le 'ona ua maua i suesuega o lo'o ua i a'ano o I'a. O lea tosini o'ona, ua fa'atupula'ia lona pasene i tausaga ta'itasi, ma e le toe umi ae tetele atu le afaina o le soifua maloloina o tagata pe afai o le a faaauau pea lava ona tele le otaota i o tatou sami.

Sa fa'aailoa e Comeros, "O le motu tu'ufua o Henderson Island, ua maua ai le tele o le lapisi ua to'a ai ma ua pu'eina mai ata i le afaina o meaola o lo'o i ai i lea motu.

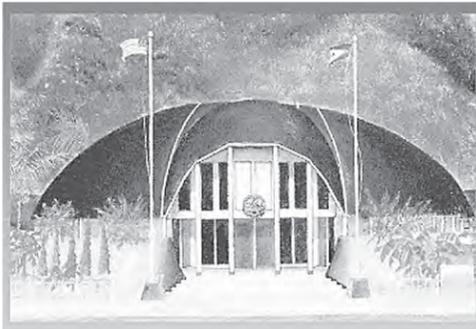
E tusa ma le 38 miliona atigi fagu ma oloa eseese o le palasitika o lo'o ua i ai pea i lona motu, ma ua ave ma ata fa'asalalau a le tele o kamupani televise lea mea, peita'i e le o i ai se tagata ola i lona motu."

Na fa'aailoa mai fo'i le va'a fagota fou lea na pa'ulia mai ia Me 25, 2016 (i gataifale o Coconut Point) lea ua o'o mai lava i i leni tausaga, o lo'o pa'ulia lava, ae le toe mafai ona ave'esea, ua silia nei ma le tausaga o tupu lea fa'alapisi.

Ua faia pea le galuega tima'i a le Malo o Amerika Samoa ma leni matagaluega, ina ia fa'autagia e le mamalu lautele le fa'amama o le gataifale, ae amata atu i autafa, tuafale ma lumafale o lou maota ona fa'amama, aua le lafoa'i oloa palasitika i auvai ma vaitafe, aua e matua uma atu lava i le sami.

Na fa'aailoa mai ala ua lafoa'i ai lapisi Amerika Samoa, ua lafoa'i atu nei i le fa'atafuna i Futiga peita'i, ua le toe faia fo'i le soti o otaota e iloilo ese ai le palasitika fa'ato'a lafoa'i ai atigiapa mai isi oloa.

Ua le toe faaputu ese le palasitika mo le auina atu i le masini fa'amafola e tu'ufa'atasia ai mo le 'auina atu i Taiwan.



# TALA MAI LE FONONO

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## FINAU PEA SATAUA E FA'ATAUNU'U ILOILOGA MA LE ASTCA

E ui e le i fa'ataunu'uina le iloiloga a le Komiti o Fesootaiga a le maota o sui, ma le Pulega o Fesootaiga a Amerika Samoa (ASTCA) i le aso Lua na te'a nei e pei ona tu'upoina ai, ua fa'alua ona tula'i le afioga i le ali'i faipule ia Sataua Dr. Mataese Samuelu ma finau i luma o le maota, mo se avanoa e fa'ataunu'uina ai le iloiloga taua, ona o lo o tele mataupu o lo o fiamalamalama i ai sui o lona itumalo fa'apea ai le atunu'u atoa e tatau ona fa'amanino.

Ina ua le fa'ataunu'uina le iloiloga sa fuafua mo le aso Lua o le vaiaso nei, na tula'i ai loa le afioga a Sataua ma talosaga i le Fofoga Fetalai mo se avanoa e toe fa'atulaga ai se isi iloiloga o lenei mataupu. Saunoa le sui faipule mai le itumalo o Ituau ia Sataua, o ia fo'i lea na fa'aleoina le mataupu na mafua ai ona fa'atulaga le iloiloga ma fa'aleo lona finagalo fa'anoanoa i le aso Lua, ina ua fiu e fa'atali le molimau i le taimi e taunu'u atu ai mo le amataina o le iloiloga, ae mulimuli toe fa'aaloa atu ina ua ta le itula e 7:30 i le taeo lava lea, ua le mafai ona oo atu le molimau ona o ni isi o mafua'aga le ma'alofia.

O le itu na fa'amamafa e Sataua i lana folasaga, o le faigata lea ona iloa poo ai e mafua ai le fa'aletonu ua mafua ai ona le fa'ataunu'uina le iloiloga, ae vaiaso atoa na logo ai le molimau mo le iloiloga.

Ae na fa'amanino e le Fofoga Fetalai ia Savali Talavou Ale le itu taua, ona o lea sa toe fa'aaloa mai e le molimau lona le avanoa, ona o ni isi o mafua'aga le ma'alofia, nai lo le fiu o le maota e fa'atali ae le oo atu, ona sili ai loa lea ona le manuia le tulaga lea.

I le taeo ananafi, na toe tula'i ai fo'i le afioga ia Sataua ma ia toe talosagaina le Fofoga Fetalai mo se avanoa e fa'ataunu'uina ai le iloiloga ma le Pulesili a le ASTCA, ona o loo tele pea ni isi o le itumalo ma le atunu'u o loo valaau atu i lona ofisa, i le fiamalamalama lea i mataupu

o loo tula'i mai i ni isi o tagata faigaluega a le Kamupani o Fesootaiga a le malo, peita'i na taua e Savali le i ai o le fuafuaga e fa'ataunu'uina pea le iloiloga e pei ona fuafuaina, ina ia mafai ai ona fa'amanino mataupu o loo fiamalamalama i ai le atunu'u.

O ni isi o mataupu na taua e le afioga a Sataua i le vaiaso na te'a nei o lo o fiamalamalama i ai le atunu'u, o tusi fa'aaloa ia ua tufa atu e le Pulega a le ASTCA i ni isi o ana tagata faigaluega, e fautuaina ai le fa'amutaina o la latou auaunaga mai galuega ua tele tausaga o galulue ai, poo se tulaga talafeagai lea faiga ua faia e le Pulesili fou pe lei fo'i.

O le mataupu e pei ona fiamalamalama i ai afioga i Faipule, na alia'e mai ai le gugulu o le to'atele o tagata faigaluega ma ni isi o le atunu'u, ona o suiga fou ua faia e le Pulesili fou le tumau a le ASTCA, ae na fa'aalia e le afioga i le ali'i Kovana ia Lolo Matalasi Moliga i se vaega o lana folasaga, i le tatala aloaiaina o le tauaofiaga lona lua lenei a le Fono Faitulafono, le tatau lea i tagata uma ona latou talia suiga fou ua faia e le Pulega fou a le ASTCA, ona o lo o taumafai pea e fai ni isi o suiga e manuia ai le tautua a lea vaega o le malo i le lumana'i.

### MALOLO LE FONONO O LE 3 VAIASO

Ua pasia e maota e lua i le vaiaso nei i'ugafono e fa'amalolo ai galuega a le Fono Faitulafono mo le umi e 4 vaiaso. O le taeo nei, Iulai 21 e fa'amae'a ai galuega a le Fono, seia toe tau aofia i le aso Gafua, 21 Aokuso, 2017.

O le agaga o le malologa e pei ona taua i le i'ugafono a maota e lua ua pasiaina nei, ina ia mafai ai ona fa'asao ma fa'aaoga tatau aso fono mo galuega taua o lo o mulimuli mai.

Na taua e le Fofoga Fetalai a le maota o sui, afioga Savali Talavou Ale i luma o afioga i Faipule i le vaiaso nei e fa'apea, i le tuai ai ona taunu'u atu i luma o le Fono o le paketi a le malo mo le tausaga tupe fou 2018 o lo o lumana'i nei, na faia ai loa se la fa'aiuga ma le afioga i le Peresetene o le Senate, ina ia faia se malologa a le Fono e

fa'atalitali ai le taunu'u atu o le paketi a le malo.

I lalo o le tulafono e pei ona saunoa le Fofoga Fetalai, o le masina o Iulai e tatau ona taunu'u atu ai le paketi a le malo i luma o le Fono.

E ese mai i le paketi, o pili tupe a le faigamalo e sailia ai le tamaoiga mo le malo lea ua taunu'u atu i le Fono, o le isi lea auto o le malologa, ina ia lava ai le taimi e faia ai sailiiliga a komiti, a o lumana'i ai le faia o iloiloga mo le fesiligiaina o molimau.

### TULAFONO FAAMANINO NOFOAGA E FA'ASA ASO O LE PALOTA

Ua i luma o le maota maua-luga se tulafono e fa'aulutalaina, o se tulafono e fa'amanino ai le uiga o le nofoaga lea e fai ai fa'atosina e fa'asa i le aso o le palota. O lenei tulafono sa fa'aulufaleina e afioga i Senatoa ia Magalei Logovi'i, Nuanuaolefeagaiga S. Nua ma Paepae I. Faiai. O le agaga o lenei tulafono, o se taumafaiga lea ina ia puipuia faiga palota a le atunu'u i taimi e fa'atinoina ai, ma ia lelei lona fa'afaeina i soo se taimi e galulue ai le atunu'u mo lana sailiga tofi.

I le vaega o le tulafono tau palota o lo o fa'amanino ai le "Ulufale i totonu o le Falepalota", e le o manino mai ai le va o le nofoaga e i ai tagata o loo galulue i faiga fa'atosina mo sui tauva ma le fale o loo ai ai le palota, ae i le toe teuteuga o le tulafono e pei ona i luma nei o le maota, ua fa'amanino mai ai le '200 iata poo le 600 futu' e va ai le falepalota ma nofoaga e faia ai faiga fa'atosina mo sui tauva.



Tama'ita'i o lo'o Pulea le Ofisa o le Hamburg Sud North America Inc. i Amerika Samoa, Fonoti Isabella Steffany Hudson (itu taumatau) ma se tasi o sui o le fonotaga lona 104 a le Fa'alapotopotoga a Pulega o Uafu ma Taulaga o le Pasefika.

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]



O se vaaiga i le sui o le ASEPA Mia Comeros i lana folasaga i le fa'alapisi i le sami.

[ata: Leua Aiono Frost]

## Fa'aulu Fonono...

Mai itulau 9

e tatau ona faila ai le lafoga a le fai oloa, ae i ai i le Teutupe i le va lelei ona toe fa'aopoopo ai le taimi e faila atu ai le lafoga a le fai oloa.

Ae mo le tuai poo le le togiina atu foi o le lafoga, o le a togi e le fai oloa le sala e 20% mai le aofa'i o le lafoga sa tatau ona ia togiina.

I le Maota o Sui ua taoto le pili i le Komiti o le Sailiga o le Tamaoiga a le malo, lea o lo o ta'ita'i ai le afioga i le ali'i

faipule ia Fatulegae'e Palepoi Mauga mo le iloiloia.

Ua tofia fo'i e le Fofoga Fetalai ia Savali Talavou Ale le ta'ita'ifono o le Komiti o le Paketi a le maota o sui ia Vailiuama S. Leasiolagi, ina ia galulue fa'atasi ma le afioga a Fatulegae'e i le iloiloia o lenei tulafono taua.

I le Senate ua tuuina atu le pili i le Komiti o le Paketi, lea o lo'o i lalo o le taitaiga a le afioga ia Magalei Logovi'i.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Access to Capital Business Workshop

The Department of Commerce and Development Bank of American Samoa are co-hosting the "Access to Capital Business Workshop." The purpose of the workshop is to promote awareness of the various business financing programs available in the Territory. It will be held at the

Governor Rex E. Lee Auditorium

from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm on

Thursday, July 27, 2017.

Interested entrepreneurs and existing businesses in the following sectors are encouraged to attend:

Healthcare, Manufacturing, Fisheries, Agriculture, Renewable Energy,

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Division/ Department	Support Services/Procurement	Posting Date	July 21, 2017
Position Title	PROCUREMENT SUPERVISOR	Deadline	4:00PM; July 28, 2017
Position Type	Career Service - 12 months probation	Compensation	\$45,512 - \$49,284 per year
Reports To	Procurement Manager	Position Status	M/1/A - M/3/A; Exempt

\*Note: Salary will be commensurate with qualifications & experience

**Major Duties & Responsibilities**

Incumbent will support the Procurement manager in the delivery of a strategy to coordinate best purchasing practices and maximize benefits to the company. Incumbent will also be assisting Procurement Manager in the oversight of the contracts & leases, right-of-way functions as well as maintaining archives. Incumbent has supervisory responsibility for the Procurement team which is to manage the allocation of duties to team members to ensure that all deadlines are met in accordance with agreed service levels. Directly reports to Procurement Manager.

**Minimum Requirements**

Education	Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and/or related field. ASPA reserves the right to consider years of equivalent experience in lieu of the educational requirement.
Experience	Three (3) years of relevant work experience in procurement. Minimum of three years of Supervisory experience required.
Knowledge, Skills & Abilities	Must have knowledge of procurement rules, concepts, principles and practices. Must be computer literate and competent in using standard office software; be highly organized with the ability to manage multiple demands and deliver results on time and within budget; have excellent verbal and written communication skills as well as accounting and budget control skills. Must be familiar with sourcing and vendor management. Must have an interest in market dynamics along with business sense. Must have a knack for negotiating and networking. Must have an ability to gather and analyze data and work with figures. Must have solid judgment with ability to make good decisions. Must have strong leadership abilities. Must be honest and follow clear procurement rules, policies and guidelines. To provide procurement support for all areas and specific allocated budget/commodity areas. This will include: undertaking mini competitions using existing frameworks conducting low value tenders and requests for quotation taking into account whole life costing, sustainability and ethical purchasing category management contract managing existing framework including account management promote good procurement practice supporting requesters in allocated budget areas identify and deliver efficiency savings and improved contractual arrangements To supervise the purchase order processing activity: check validity of requests to purchase, obtaining any additional necessary paperwork and manage any non-compliance requests liaise with requesters/departmental contacts to ensure timely resolution of queries liaise with Accounts Payable to resolve supplier payment issues handle complaints To provide support in all Archives, Right-of-Way (ROW) as well as Contracts & Leases functions provide status reports to Procurement Manager on an agreed basis Perform other related duties as assigned by the Procurement Manager

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**Requirements**

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**Onosa'i I Mea Tiga**

*Tusia: Akenese Ilalio Zec  
Vaega: 112*

Alo maia, o le a toe fa'aauau atu la tatou tala mo lenei aso, ae ia manuia lou alo atu i faiva ma tiute o le a feagai ai. Ua fa'asolo pea aso o le olaga, ua toe fo'i mai le malaga a Mataniu ma lona to'alua lea na o, se i o'o Mataniu i le aiga o lona to'alua. Fai mai le tala, ua tau taofi e matua o Viliamu ia Mataniu latou te nonofo i Amerika. Ae tasi lava le tala a teine, o ia e toe fo'i mai ma lona to'alua i Samoa.

Ae ina ua taunu'u mai le malaga a Mataniu ma William, fai mai, ua fa'amatala nei e le teine i ona matua, le tamaoiga o le aiga o Viliamu i Amerika. O le itu na manatu i ai Mataniu e le fia nofo i Amerika, ona o lona alofa mai i nai ona matua, ae maise o lona aiga. O le isi itu na manatu i ai le teine, o a ni pe fea e tutupu mai, a'o lea o lo'o mafuta pea ma ona matua ma lona aiga.

Ua fa'apea lava ona fai, fai mai, na talatalanoa nei Mataniu ma le tuafafine o lona tama o Filipina, pe a pe a o la'ua galulue fa'atasi i le fa'amautuina o le faleoloa, ona o lea ua fo'i mai ma le siea a lona to'alua i pisinisi a ona matua mai Amerika.

Fai mai, ua manatu nei Mataniu, e sili pe a fa'atau se fasi fanua e latalata i le taulaga, e fai ai le la pisinisi ma Filipina, ma fa'amautu i ai la'ua ma Viliami, ma asiase ane i lona aiga. Ua ma'ea fo'i ona fetufa'ai ai ma talatalanoa ma ona matua, ma ua fa'apea fo'i ona malilie i ai Lilo ma Loleta.

Ua fai le fanua ma ua fa'amautu ai fale, o nei galuega uma, o Mataniu lava o lo'o fa'atinoina, fai mai, o lo'o faigaluega lava Viliamu i le Malo, ona ua ma'ea fo'i ona toe fa'aopoopo tausaga o lana konekarate. O Mataniu la lea ua malolo mai i lana galuega, ae ua liliu ane nei e fa'amautu mea uma o le la aiga. Ua fai nei

le fale oloa si'i atoa a Mataniu ma lona to'alua, fa'atasi ai ma le faleoloa tele lava i le taulaga. Fai mai, e le mapu le mafaufau o Mataniu, ua ia lagona fo'i le faigata o le sa'iliga o le seleni e fai ai le tele o mea o lo'o manana'o mai ai ona matua.

O le isi itu, o lo'o fa'aauau pea e Mataniu le tologiina o le pili aoga a si ona tuanage e to'atasi lea ua matua nei le tama. O le tele o mea fa'alelotu ma mea fa'alenu'u a lona tama o Lilo, o lea ua fa'atino uma e Mataniu. O isi ona uso, o lo'o galulue fa'atasi ma le tuafafine o lona tama, le tina o Filipina i le faleoloa o lo'o i totonu o le nu'u.

O le tele lava la o sapolai, e alu atu uma lava i le faleoloa si'iatooa a Mataniu o lo'o i le taulaga. Ua matutua fo'i Vesi ma Luisa, ma ua tu lelei fo'i si a la fanau, o le isi teine, ua to'alua nei ma Mataniu i le va'aiga o le faleoloa si'i atoa i le taulaga. O se fiafiaga sili lea i a Mataniu, ona ua i ai se isi ona uso o lo'o la to'alua i le taumafai o le pisinisi.

Ua i ai fo'i fanau a tuagane o si ona tina, lea ua fesoasoani malosi i le taumafaiga o mea uma. Fai mai, e fai fai lava, liliu ane i ai le teine ua alu le otegia i fanau ia a tuagane o lona tina. Fai mai, e fiu Mataniu e fa'atali i le tele o taeao, ae usu a'e ua ta le sefulu, po'o le sefulutasi. Na i'u lava ina o'o tulaga ia i lona tina o Loleta, lele ane loa ma Loleta ua fai le otegiaga o fanau a ona tuagane e le i toe fa'atali.

"Fai fa'alelei tou amio e, e le fo'i lava la'u sasa, ua tou fa'alogo mai, ma afa'i e toe fai, e tuli lava oe e le toe fa'atali, e le fa'apea o le faleoloa o le aiga le faleoloa lenei, o se sese lava o le tagata Mataniu, tuli, e to'atele lava nai tagata o lo'o fia maua ni galuega, o tagata lelei na, ae a fai atu o faiga ia, e sili ona tu'u, tuli loa, 'aua ne i toe fa'atali."

*E faia pea...*



*Canada's Michael Petrasso moves to strike the ball as Jamaica's Kemar Lawrence heads it out of the way during a CONCACAF Gold Cup quarterfinal soccer match, Thursday, July 20, 2017, in Glendale, Ariz. Jamaica won the match 2-1 and advances to the semifinal.*  
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**Universal Crossword**

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- ACROSS**
- 1 "Dear me!" word
  - 5 Women's hairnets
  - 11 Professional money counter
  - 14 Actor's need
  - 15 Make less stuffy
  - 16 Assn. relative
  - 17 The old king makes his own confetti with a ...
  - 19 Fabricate
  - 20 Chops finely
  - 21 Very serious
  - 23 Speaks from memory
  - 26 Old gold coin
  - 27 Handsome dreamboat of myth
  - 28 Chest
  - 31 Protrude
  - 32 Sammy of the Cubs
  - 33 "Back in the \_\_\_"
  - 36 Bar staple
  - 37 Class shoebox project
  - 40 Golfer's peg
  - 41 Org. division
  - 43 Not kosher
  - 44 Show to be true
  - 46 Runs out, as memberships
  - 48 Great way to feel
  - 49 Primitive counters
  - 51 They suffer for a cause
  - 52 Havoc
  - 54 Narrator's asset
  - 55 Letters on a Goodyear
  - 56 In track and field, the old king's a ...
  - 61 Vase with a footed base
  - 62 Made joyful
  - 63 Entice
  - 64 Fall behind
  - 65 Room schemes, e.g.
  - 66 Wild guess
- DOWN**
- 1 Series-long story line
  - 2 British bathroom
  - 3 "\_\_\_ in the Family"
  - 4 Gardening chore
  - 5 Marinara and pesto
  - 6 Strong Olympic scores
  - 7 Sauron's soldiers
  - 8 \_\_\_ and aah
  - 9 Member's fees
  - 10 Walked boldly
  - 11 As a divorced parent, the old king has ...
  - 12 Word before "donna"
  - 13 Entertainer's advocate
  - 18 Felt sorry for
  - 22 Beach ball?
  - 23 Like an ardent fan
  - 24 Draw out
  - 25 The old king's psychiatrist gets him involved in ...
  - 28 Uninteresting speakers
  - 29 Mil. branch
  - 30 Butter on a farm?
  - 32 Feeling aches
  - 34 Cut off
  - 35 Accordion parts
  - 38 "\_\_\_ only money"
  - 39 Short synopsis
  - 42 Dash gauge
  - 45 Spins the same yarn again
  - 47 Jigsawed?
  - 48 Water nymphs
  - 49 Glass medicine vial (var.)
  - 50 Iraqi port
  - 51 Shaker's mate
  - 53 Burrowing spy?
  - 54 Kill a bill
  - 57 Fond du \_\_\_ Wisconsin
  - 58 Ancient Egyptian boy-king
  - 59 Stat for a closer
  - 60 Yank's Civil War foe

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**THE LAST WORD IN ASTROLOGY**

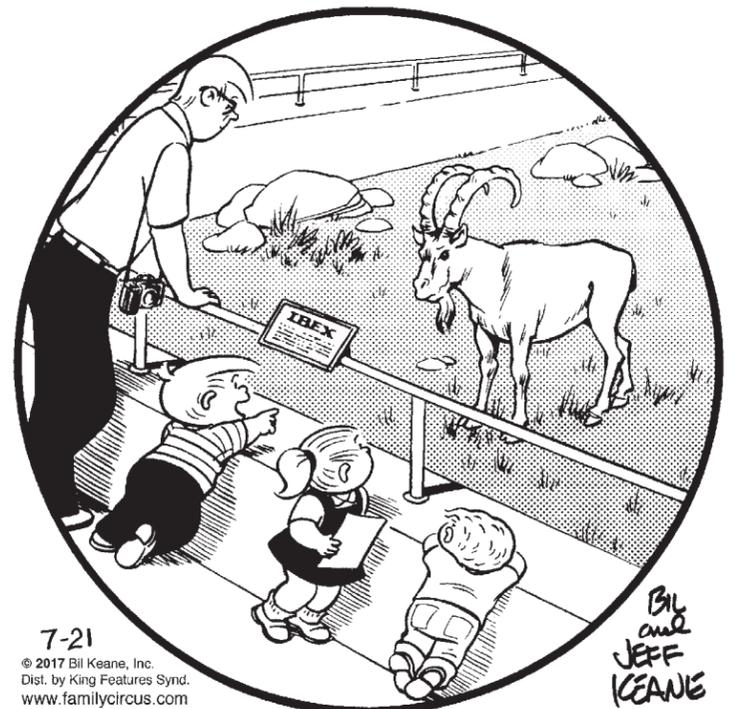


*Happy Birthday: Use your intuition and sensitivity to read between the lines. Note what others are doing and how your own actions affect the way things unfold. Using your intelligence, memory and experience to guide you will result in positive changes. Live within your means and maintain adequate boundaries between yourself and those you disagree with. Keep the peace and avoid indulgence. Your numbers are 9, 15, 22, 27, 34, 41, 49.*

- ARIES (March 21-April 19):** A trip or attending a retreat will help you discover things about yourself that will encourage you to use your skills, knowledge and experience more efficiently. Better life choices will pay off. Romance is encouraged. \*\*\*
- TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Contracts, settlements and receiving something you didn't expect will make your day. Don't get caught in an easy come, easy go predicament. It's nice to receive something extra, but that doesn't mean you have to spend frivolously\*\*\*
- GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** Your ability to multitask and use technology to help you get what you want will pay off. Host an event, enjoy and benefit from talks with people who can help you bring about positive change\*\*\*
- CANCER (June 21-July 22):** A little bit will go a long way. Maintain your equilibrium no matter what unfolds. Knowing your limits and taking care of your responsibilities will help you achieve your goals without forcing you to give up too much.\*\*\*
- LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Taking on too much will be a remedy for disaster. Gauge your time wisely and don't let your generosity get the better of you. It's important to maintain peace and equilibrium if you want to finish on time and within budget\*\*\*
- VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Let your creative imagination take over and follow through with a practical plan and plenty of time to finish what you start. Engage in activities that motivate you to use your talents in interesting new ways. Keep personal information a secret.\*\*\*
- LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Don't be too quick to judge others. Emotional situations can make those around you act differently. Be willing to wait and see how to best move forward. A positive change in the way you look, feel and act will attract romance. 2 stars
- SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Make changes to the way you handle your personal finances as well as your domestic life. Look for an unusual way to live cheaply and efficiently, and you will avoid being stressed out every month trying to pay your bills. \*\*\*\*
- SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** You'll be faced with a dilemma when dealing with a partner or someone you are emotionally attached to. Try not to overreact. Get the facts and consider all your options. Be smart when it comes to legal, financial and health matters.\*\*\*
- CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Emotions will rise to the surface if you have been given the wrong impression regarding how someone feels about you or what he or she wants. Avoid disappointment by asking questions and finding out exactly where you stand. \*\*\*
- AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Don't overspend on something that someone is trying to convince you to purchase. Hang on to your cash and don't get involved in anything that appears to be excessive or financially indulgent. \*\*\*
- PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Do something that allows you to use your creative imagination. Take a course or socialize with people who have something unique to offer. Being around doers instead of procrastinators will help you get your plans up and running.\*\*\*\*\*

7/21 **COLE HAS AN EGO** By Timothy E. Parker

**THE FAMILY CIRCUS** By Bil Keane



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**"I bet he'd be easy to ride. Look at the handlebars."**

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**Dear Abby** by Abigail Van Buren



**WIFE WITH SKETCHY MEMORY DEPENDS ON HUSBAND FOR HELP**

**DEAR ABBY:** When my wife was 17 (she's now 54), she was in a car accident. She and her three friends were high and drunk. She suffered two skull fractures, which have affected her memory. She thinks it's my job to remind her of things and becomes angry to the point of hitting things when I don't do it. I feel her schedule is her responsibility. But when I tell her that, she claims I am not being "supportive." -- UNSURE IN THE SOUTH

**DEAR UNSURE:** In successful marriages the division of labor is usually "each according to his ability, each according to his need." Your wife's schedule should be her responsibility, and if your wife were irresponsible, I'd agree with you. However, because she suffered a traumatic brain injury, she may be UNABLE to be as organized as you are and NEED your help. That said, "hitting things" when she becomes frustrated is not appropriate, and she needs to find a less threatening and destructive way of venting.

**DEAR ABBY:** Because our country's marriage laws recently changed, my partner and I have decided, after 16 years together, to be married. If something unfortunate were to happen to one of us a few years down the road, what's the proper way to acknowledge our marriage in an obituary? Technically, we could say, "He is survived by his husband of two years," but that would discount the 16 years we were together and would have been married had the laws permitted it. But saying that he is survived by his husband of 18 years seems misleading as well. How can our many years together be honored without being misrepresented? -- OBITUARY ETIQUETTE

**DEAR OBITUARY ETIQUETTE:** How about this: He is survived by his husband and partner of 18 years.

**DEAR ABBY:** I have a problem with my family that's driving me crazy. They are Facebook snobs. I prefer not to join Facebook for personal reasons, and because I haven't, they don't keep me up to date regarding special events such as births, family picnics, etc. They each expect the other ones to notify me, and no matter how often I ask, they'll say, "Oh, 'So-and-So' was supposed to let you know." It's not like I am estranged from any of them; it's just that they keep insisting I should join Facebook, and I'm tired of hearing it. Advice? -- NO SOCIAL MEDIA FOR ME

**DEAR NO SOCIAL MEDIA:** There are other ways to communicate online than Facebook. Are you on the internet at all? If you are, you could be notified of events through group email, group chat or group texting. I don't think it's fair to expect your relatives to make a special effort to keep you in the loop.

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GOTCHA, DAD. I WAS JUST ON MY WAY TO BED.

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by Charles M. Schultz

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7/21 DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

Thursday's Puzzle Answer 7/21

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JIM DAVIS 7-21



# Sandoval to sign minor league deal with Giants

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Brandon Belt expects Pandamonium in San Francisco once more.

Pablo Sandoval plans to sign a minor league contract to return to the Giants, a person with knowledge of his intentions said Thursday. The person spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the agreement had not been announced. That should happen Friday. The Kung Fu Panda is coming home for a fresh start — and Belt is convinced the 2012 World Series MVP will be a fan favorite again. “He was a big part of our World Series runs, so I think he’s always going to have a place here in San Francisco and everybody’s going to love that he’s back,” Belt, San Francisco’s first baseman, said while walking into the ballpark Thursday. “I haven’t seen him in a while, so I don’t know. I think he was definitely a fan favorite, so I don’t think there’s

going to be any problem with that.” Sandoval technically will not be free to agree to a deal with a team until 1 p.m. EDT on Friday upon clearing waivers. Giants general manager Bobby Evans declined to confirm San Francisco’s interest in bringing back the once-popular Panda, as he became known and beloved in the Bay Area.

Whether that affection for the burly switch-hitter remains is yet to be seen, and Sandoval is scheduled to play with Triple-A Sacramento at least initially.

“He’s done so many amazing things here. He’s always been one of those personalities that kind of fits in with the Giants and the Bay Area,” right fielder Hunter Pence said. “I’ve always enjoyed Pablo. I’m very grateful for the times that we played together, the remarkable things he’s done in clutch situations and enjoyed his playful, creative spirit. There’s been just a great bond him and this city and what he’s done here, for the post part.” The Boston Red Sox released Sandoval on Wednesday when the third baseman didn’t report after being designated for assignment last week. It officially ended the Boston tenure for the slugger, who never was healthy enough to live up to the expectations that came with the \$95 million free agent contract he signed in 2014 — bolting the Bay Area shortly after helping the Giants win their third World Series title this decade. At the time, he had pondered an offer from the Giants worth close to \$100 million over five years.

With the Red Sox unable to find a team willing to take on part of his salary, Sandoval moved on after a total of 161 games, 575 at-bats, 136 hits and 14 home runs for Boston — but not a single one of them in the postseason. In San Francisco, he delivered in October. His lasting memory, for now anyway, is the moment he leaned back on bent knees and raised his arms in triumph after winning another World Series in 2014. After that, he publicly insisted after the Oct. 31 victory parade that he wanted to retire with the Giants. He was coming off a three-year deal that guaranteed him \$17.15 million.

In 2014, Sandoval hit .279 with 16 homers and 73 RBIs in 157 regular-season games for the Giants and .366 in the postseason with seven doubles and five RBIs, four during the World Series against Kansas City. Then, just like that, he was gone about a month later.

When Sandoval played at Oakland in his Bay Area return in May 2015, he said he believed his comments from during spring training that year expressing frustration at the team’s handling of negotiations and those that he only missed manager Bochy and Pence “came out the wrong side.”

American Samoa’s Under-17 (U17) National Women’s Beach Handball Team performing a Samoan Haka, or war dance, this past Wednesday at the Pago Pago International Airport upon their arrival home, after competing in the 2017 Under 17 Beach Handball World Championship Games, in the Republic of Mauritius, where they also performed the haka in front of dozens of spectators. [photo: Leua Aiono Frost]

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