








“Rising Tides and Changing Times”
Tuesday, June 27, 2023, 6 to 9 p.m.
Governor H. Rex Lee Auditorium, Utulei Village, AS
AGENDA
(6/25/23)

6:00 p.m. WELCOME – Taulapapa Will Sword, Council Member, Vice Chair for AS
REGISTRATION, INFORMATIONAL TABLES OPEN HOUSE

-  American Samoa Coastal Management Program
-  American Samoa Power Authority
-  Department of Marine & Wildlife Resources (DMWR)
-  Environmental Protection Agency
-  National Marine Sanctuary of American Samoa
-  National Park Service
-  NOAA Coral Reef Conservation Program
-  NOAA Pacific Islands Regional Office
-  US Coast Guard Marine Safety Detachment
-  USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service
-  US Fish & Wildlife Service
-  Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council

7:30 p.m. INTRODUCTIONS – Taulapapa Will Sword
PRESENTATIONS ON CLIMATE CHANGE IN AMERICAN SAMOA

-  Honorable Governor Lemanu Mauga
-  NOAA Fisheries Assistant Administrator Janet Coit
-  WPRFMC Pelagic Fisheries Scientist Mark Fitchett
-  DMWR Coral Reef Advisory Group Coordinator Sana Lynch
-  University of Hawai‘i Graduate Student Carla Baizeau

PUBLIC QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

9:00 p.m. UMA LAVA PISUPO

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