

Honorable Pula'ali'i Nikolao Pula  
Governor

Honorable Pulumata'ala Ae Ae Jr.  
Lieutenant Governor



Titiaoalii Dr. Asenati Ietitaia Sa'au-Umi  
DHR Director

Max Tuitele  
Deputy Director

Falo Johansson  
Deputy Director

AMERICAN SAMOA GOVERNMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES  
PAGO PAGO, AMERICAN SAMOA 96799

**JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**

<b>Job Title:</b> <i>Marine Patrol Officer (4)</i>		<b>Posting Date:</b> <i>April 07, 2025</i>	<b>Serial No.:</b> <i>046-25</i>
<b>Department/Division:</b> <i>Search &amp; Rescue</i>		<b>Closing Date:</b> <i>April 11, 2025</i>	<b>Announcement No.:</b> <i>046-25</i>
<b>Type of Position:</b> <i>Permanent Appointment</i>	<b>Posting Type:</b> <i>Employment Opportunity/ Open to the Public</i>	<b>Pay Grade and Salary Range:</b> <i>GS-09/\$16,467 - \$41,817p.a.</i>	

**General Description:**

The position of Marine Patrol Officer I is given to a Marine Patrol Officer Trainee who has completed and passed the American Samoa Government Department of Public Safety Police Academy and serving their probationary period. The duties of a Marine Patrol Officer I consist of patrolling an assigned coastal area, enforcing laws related to boater safety and licensure as well as traffic laws, and ensure the safety of boaters and others who enjoy water activities such as jet skiing, swimming, and fishing. Respond to radio calls and conduct search and rescue operations for drowning victims and missing persons. They interview victims, witnesses and suspects. Prepare crime reports, booking suspects and evidence and transporting them to the appropriate facilities. They are assigned additional and special duties by the Director of Search and Rescue.

**Key Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Boat and Traffic Duties
- Investigation
- Reports
- Training
- Briefings
- Investigating Boating and Traffic Safety
- Inspecting Boats and enforcement of boating and traffic laws
- Attend all NASBLA or USCG approved training to improve job performance.
- Conducts search and rescue operations for drowning victims and missing persons
- Prepare monthly report
- Assist the Educational Division with outreach activities

***This is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer***

---

Department of Human Resources, A.P. Lutali Executive Office Building, Pago Pago, Am Samoa 96799  
Ph: (684) 633-4485/ Email: [info@hr.as.gov](mailto:info@hr.as.gov)

"Uphold Ethical & Fair Leadership, Fostering Transparency, & Ensuring Accountability"

- Assist the USCG with boat inspections and random boarding

**Knowledge, Skills, and Ability:**

- Prior marine patrol, police or security law enforcement experience.
- Excellent knowledge of word processing applications and spreadsheet programs is required.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in English are required.

**Academic and Experience Requirements:**

- Applicant must have an associates degree from an accredited university or college plus four (4) years of working experience.
- Years of progressively responsible working experience may be substituted for a portion of the academic requirement.
- Salary will be adjusted according to experience.

**Complete information concerning this vacancy may be obtained from the Personnel Division of the Department of Human Resources, or please contact the Recruitment unit at 633-4485/633-4000.**

Fa'afetai tele,



---

Titiaolii Dr. Asenati Ietitaia Sa'au-Umi  
Director, Department of Human Resources

---

***This is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer***

Department of Human Resources, A.P. Lutali Executive Office Building, Pago Pago, Am Samoa 96799  
Ph: (684) 633-4485/ Email: [info@hr.as.gov](mailto:info@hr.as.gov)

“Uphold Ethical & Fair Leadership, Fostering Transparency, & Ensuring Accountability”