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**FA'AMATALAGA O UIGA LOULOUĀ O LE TAU NUMERA SEFULU LIMA (15) –  
TAAVILIGA O MATAGI MALOLOSI 09F.**

**FA'AMAUINA E LE OFISA O LE VA'AI-TAU I LE ITULA E 5:00 I LE VAVEAO NEI  
ASO FARAILE 21 FEPUARI 2020**

**...LAPATA'IGA MO SAVILI MALOLOSI MO SAMOA ATOA...**

**...LAPATA'IGA MO TIMUGA MAMafa MO SAMOA...**

**...O LAPATAIGA MO LOLOGA I VAITAFE MA NOFOAGA E A'AFIA GOFIE...**

**... FAUTUAGA MO LOLOGA I NOFOAGA TU MATAFAGA ONA O GALU FAFATI  
MAUALULUGA...**

**...FAUTUAGA MO PAOPAO MA ALIA FAGOTA LAITI O LO'O FA'AMALOSIA PEa MO  
OGASAMI UMA O SAMOA...**

O Taaviliga o Matagi Malolosi 09F o lo'o ta'oto nei luga ole atunu'u ma o lo'o aumaia timuga mamafa fa'apea savili e malolosi le fa'ata'uta'u. O lenei Ta'aviliga o lo'o aga'i atu i Satue-i-Sasa'e ma e ono fa'atupula'ia le malolosi o matagi i le malolosi o Matagi Afa vaega muamua (1) i le aoauli nei i saute o Amerika Samoa. O lenei Taaviliga o matagi malolosi e feololo se avanoa e ono avea ai ma Afa ile isi 12-24 itula o lumana'i. O le a a'afia le Atunu'u i timuga mamafa fa'apea savili e malolosi le fa'ata'uta'u i le taeao nei ma e sousou le sami ma fa'atupulaia le mauualuluga o galu.

O le isi uiga fa'atupulaia o peau mama o le ea sa iai lea i Saute-i-Sasa'e o Tuvalu i le vaveao nei ma e fa'amoemoe e ono toe aga'i lalata mai i le Atunu'u i le po ā nanei ma toe aumaia uiga loulouā o le tau.

**A'afiaga mo le Atunu'u:**

E mamafa timuga ma e puaoa, e malolosi ma fa'ata'uta'u savili ma e ono felelei solo meafaitino, e mase'ese'e ma puaoa auala i nofoaga mauualuluga, e malolosi le tatafe o vaitafe ma e ono iai ele'ele solo, e lolovaia nofoaga i tafāala ma vaega e a'afia gofie fa'apea alavai. E a'ave ma tatafe au ma sousou fo'i le sami. E pau'ū ma gau'i la'au e ma'aleale.

(O le isi fa'amatalaga o uiga loulouā o le tau o le a tu'uina ātu i le 5:00 i le afiafi nei)

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**SEVERE WEATHER INFORMATION NUMBER FIFTEEN (15) – TROPICAL  
DEPRESSION 09F**

**ISSUED BY THE SAMOA METEOROLOGY DIVISION AT 5:00 AM**

**FRIDAY 21<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY 2020**

**...WIND WARNING FOR ALL OF SAMOA...**

**... HEAVY RAIN WARNING FOR SAMOA...**

**...FLOOD WARNING FOR ALL MAJOR RIVERS AND VULNERABLE AREAS...**

**...COASTAL FLOOD ADVISORY REMAINS IN EFFECT FOR SAMOA.....**

**...SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY REMAINS IN EFFECT FOR ALL COASTAL WATERS...**

Tropical Depression 09F (TD09F) currently impacts Samoa with associated heavy rain and damaging gusty winds. This system is expected to move southeast to the south of American Samoa and may develop into Tropical Cyclone Category 1 wind strength this afternoon. The potential for this system to develop into a Tropical Cyclone within the next 12-24hrs is moderate. Expect periods of heavy rain, damaging gusty winds and damaging heavy swells for this morning.

Another developing low pressure system was analyzed early this morning to the southeast of Tuvalu also predicted to move near the islands this evening with slight development and may bring similar weather conditions.

**Potential Impacts:**

Heavy downpours with poor visibility, strong and gusty winds with flying objects, foggy and slippery roads over mountain passes and ranges, strong river outflow and landslides, pooling near roadsides and waterways. Strong currents as well as rough seas and coastal inundation. Uproot breakable trees.

(The next severe weather information will be issued at 5:00 pm)