

**Town of Upper Marlboro
Board of Town Commissioners**

Proclamation

**In Recognition of Asian American,
Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander Heritage Month**

WHEREAS, the Town of Upper Marlboro takes pride in recognizing May, 2023 as Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (AANHPI) Heritage Month, honoring the many significant contributions of Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Island people who have enriched the history of our nation and the Town of Upper Marlboro, and who are instrumental in its ongoing and future successes; **and**

WHEREAS the official designation of May as AANHPI Heritage Month was signed into law in 1992 and celebrates all Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders, known as the AANHPI community whose variety of contributions have built our culture and society; **and**

WHEREAS, we acknowledge, appreciate, and continue to seek the contributions and leadership of the many Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders who have played a significant role in our local history and the community fabric of the Town of Upper Marlboro; **and**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that on this 8th day of May 2023, the Town of Upper Marlboro Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim May, 2023 as “Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander Heritage Month,” encouraging all residents of the Town of Upper Marlboro to share in this special tribute by learning about and celebrating the generations of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders who continue to enrich our nation and our local community.



Sarah Franklin
President / Mayor
Town of Upper Marlboro

