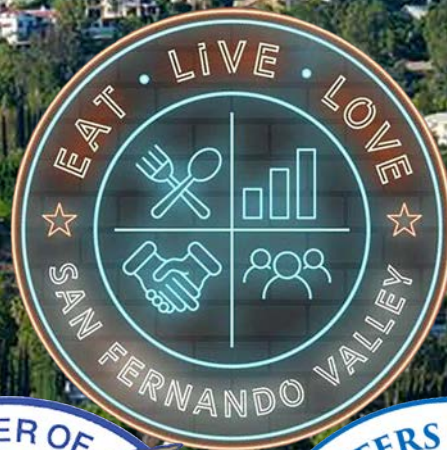


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**2025 El Camino Real District 20  
AHEPA Family Convention**

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May 29, 2025

Dear AHEPA Family Delegates, Friends, and Guests

On behalf of the members of AHEPA, San Fernando Valley Chapter #412, I extend our most heartfelt welcome to the 2025 El Camino Real District 20 Convention!

We trust you will enjoy your stay in Warner Center, surrounded by The Village, a beautiful outdoor mall with many restaurants and shopping for your enjoyment.

We are looking forward to a productive, successful, and memorable convention for all its participants.

We are proud of the legacy extended to us by our past members and we strive to emulate them in all our present and future endeavors. As President of Chapter 412 I am excited to share that our chapter has had tremendous growth in membership and donations to our Community this past year. Through the efforts and leadership of a very energetic and hard-working board, our future is very bright.

We are honored to host this year's district convention, where the District will install our brother Andrew J Eliopoulos as our new 2025 District Governor. Many of us have known Andrew since childhood, growing up in our Saint Nicholas Community. We are confident he will do an amazing job to continue the growth and strength of our District 20 .

We will also be honoring a preeminent individual in our community. Mr. Pete Marudas, our current membership chair and long-time Ahepan brother, who has held many different positions and is a living example of the efforts necessary to continue the growth of our chapters and District 20.

Mr. Marudas will be presented with the 2023 AHEPA District 20 Periclean Award. We look forward to extending this honor to an individual who lives, breathes our AHEPA brotherhood as part of his daily life.

Our sincerest thanks go out to our AHEPA Chapter 412 board members and the Convention Committee, who have worked tirelessly in the preparation and execution of this wonderful event. We also want to thank Pete Marudas, District Governor Jim DeDakis, and Wynn Storton, whose hard work and guidance has been the key to a successful Convention.

We look forward to seeing and sharing with our brothers and sisters of District 20

This convention's activities are mindful of the goals and ideals of the AHEPA/Daughters of Penelope Families.

Let's all attend with a desire and commitment to do our very best to make our organization healthy and vital well into the future.

May God bless us all in our charitable endeavors.

Fraternally,

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### **AHEPA Chapter #412**

San Fernando Valley, California

May 15, 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we continue to celebrate our Lord's triumphant Resurrection from the dead, it is fitting that we also honor the resurgence of AHEPA Chapter #412 in the San Fernando Valley. Over the past year, your dedicated efforts have welcomed more than 20 new brothers into our fold, many of whom are young professionals eager to serve and uphold our shared values.

For over a century, AHEPA has championed the ancient Hellenic ideals of education, philanthropy, civic responsibility, family, and individual excellence through community service and volunteerism. Founded in 1922 in Atlanta, Georgia, AHEPA was established to promote the image of Greeks in America, assist them with citizenship and assimilation into American culture, and combat prejudice.

This year, we rejoice in honoring Archon Andrew J. Eliopoulos, who has been elevated to the distinguished position of District Governor. As a steadfast advocate of Hellenic principles, Archon Eliopoulos exemplifies the history and mission of AHEPA. His unwavering faith, dedication to family, and commitment to community service make him an ideal leader for our district.

At Saint Nicholas Parish, Archon Eliopoulos is a familiar and welcoming presence in the Narthex, greeting parishioners and visitors alike. He serves on our Parish Council, has chaired our annual Golf Tournament, and has led several construction projects around our campus. His contributions extend beyond the church, as he consistently honors his family's legacy, ensuring that the foundations laid by his ancestors continue to inspire future generations.

May our Risen Savior bless our endeavors with good health and grant us the wisdom, piety, and grace to serve all people in His name.

Truly He is Risen!

In Christ's Service,

Father Michael Prevas

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We extend our deepest gratitude to all the benefactors, sponsors, delegates, and the Chapter 412 Convention Committee for their unwavering support and invaluable contributions. Your dedication and commitment were instrumental in ensuring the resounding success of this event.



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May, 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On behalf of the Supreme Lodge, it has been a tremendous pleasure and privilege to hold the highest office within our organization, representing the esteemed Order worldwide this year!

AHEPA stands as a truly distinctive organization, with a core commitment to the perpetuation of Hellenic ideals. This commitment not only underpins the success of our fraternity but also upholds the values of the society in which we live. Our organization inherits a rich legacy from those who preceded us, and we are the stewards entrusted with passing on this legacy to the next generation.



During this moment of reflection, it's important to celebrate not only individual achievements but also acknowledge AHEPA's status as the foremost grassroots organization globally. Our philanthropic endeavors are unparalleled and deserve recognition.

I have actively continued to encourage our chapters, districts and prolific individuals to contribute through donations and volunteerism, providing much-needed assistance to our communities. The spirit of community service lies at the heart of our mission, and I am proud that you, our core members and supporters have responded admirably. The AHEPA Family persists in its dedication to offering support, including providing food for any frontline workers and those in need, especially the elderly and less fortunate. The AHEPA family's commitment to working together for global assistance remains unwavering.

Our Educational Foundation continues to play a crucial role by offering financial assistance to deserving students pursuing their academic aspirations. The AHEPA Journey to Greece stands out as a remarkable cultural enrichment program, reintroducing our youth to the rich heritage of Greece while providing them with transferable college credits.

I extend my best wishes for a highly productive workshop, contributing to the ongoing success of our mission. May your deliberations be harmonious and productive, embodying the unity of the AHEPA Family. I express my gratitude to everyone for their hospitality and courtesies extended to my family and me during my travels. I eagerly anticipate meeting many of you at our 103<sup>rd</sup> Annual Supreme Convention in Orlando, FL, hosted at the splendid Walt Disney World - Coronado Springs Resort Hotel from July 21st to 26th, 2025!

Fraternally,

Savas C. Tsivicos  
Supreme President



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April 1, 2025

Dear Sisters,



It is an honor and privilege to serve as the Grand President of this incredible Sisterhood, and I extend my warmest greetings to you as you gather for your District Convention.

As Grand President of the Daughters of Penelope, I have had the privilege of witnessing firsthand the incredible impact of our collective efforts. Across our districts, our Sisters are making a difference through philanthropy, mentorship, advocacy, and community engagement. This is the essence of our theme, "Empowered Together"—a reminder that when we stand united, our strength knows no bounds.

From our founding in 1929 to today, the Daughters of Penelope has thrived because of women like you, leaders, trailblazers, and changemakers who embody the values of unity, service, and empowerment. Together, we are not only preserving our legacy but shaping the future, ensuring that our Sisterhood continues to uplift and inspire generations to come.

I encourage each of you to embrace every moment of this convention. Take this opportunity to learn from one another, form meaningful connections, and reaffirm your commitment to our shared ideals, to our sisterhood, and our AHEPA Family.

Thank you for your unwavering devotion to the Daughters of Penelope. May this District Convention be a time of productive discussion, renewed enthusiasm, and the forging of even stronger bonds of Sisterhood.

Wishing you a successful and productive convention filled with inspiration and progress.

With Love in Theta Pi,

Margaret Dritsas  
Grand President



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May 30, 2025

To the AHEPA Family of District 20

Dear AHEPA Brothers & Sisters,

On behalf of the Supreme Lodge, it has been a great pleasure and honor to serve as your Supreme Vice President this year and to represent our beloved Order across the globe this year!

Congratulations to the organizing committee, the District Governors and their lodges and all the volunteers for your selfless work, dedication and unwavering commitment to ensuring the success and continuation of our AHEPA Family.

I take great pride in seeing the grassroots work our members contribute to their communities. AHEPA began as a grassroots organization helping individuals, and now we have grown to an internationally recognized charitable organization around the world.

My best wishes for a very productive District Convention leading to the continuation of that success. I wish you harmonious and productive deliberations! I want to thank everyone for their hospitality and the courtesy extended to me during my travels. I look forward to seeing many of you at our 103<sup>rd</sup> Annual Supreme Convention in Orlando, July 20-26, 2025.

Fraternally,

*E. Chris Kaitson*

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Supreme Vice President

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Dear Brothers and Sisters of District 20,



It has been an honor and privilege to serve as the Daughters of Penelope Grand Governor of Zone 4 this year and Liaison to DOP District 20. My heartfelt thanks to all of you for your kind-heartedness, hospitality and friendship I received during my travels to visit your district. It meant so much to me.

I want to extend a special thank you to the Convention planning committee for their hard work and dedication to making this a successful event.

A District Convention is a very significant event for the AHEPA family. It is a yearly meeting of sisters and brothers who celebrate the accomplishments of the past year and share new ideas in order to plan for a successful year ahead.

My sincerest thanks to all of you for your devotion to our mission; to promote Hellenism, Education, Philanthropy, Civic Responsibility and Individual Excellence!

Best wishes for successful collaborations. Let us recommit to the AHEPA Family and work to inspire future generations.

With Love in Theta Pi,

*Linda Belba*

Linda Belba  
Grand Governor Zone IV

May 29, 2025

Dear Brothers, Sisters, Hellenes, and Philhellenes alike:

As District Governor and on behalf of the El Camino Real District 20 Lodge, we welcome you to the 2025 District 20 Convention hosted by AHEPA Chapter 412, San Fernando Valley.

We would like to thank Brother Peter Andrews, Chairman, his convention committee, and the brothers of Chapter 412 for their efforts, dedication & support put forth to make this year's convention very memorable.

We would also like to thank the following Brothers & Sisters of District 20:

- Region 8, Supreme Governor George Zioulas, for his support
- PDGs/Advisors, Nick Angelos & Pete Marudas, for their support & counsel
- DOP Governor Sofie Batshoun, for her support & willingness to work as one AHEPA/DOP family
- The District 20 lodge, consisting of LT Governor Andrew Eliopulis, Secretary Radoslav Wojcik, Treasurer Dayv Marlow, Marshall/Membership Director Pete Marudas, Warden/Communications Director Costa Tzavaras, Athletic Advisor James Rigopoulos, District Advisors Nick Angelos & Pete Marudas.

There are no words to express my gratitude, thanks, and appreciation to my brothers who served on the District 20 lodge this past year.

- The Supreme Lodge for their guidance, support, and participation.
- PSG, Webmaster Wynn Storton, A special thank you for your ongoing support to all the chapters & the Lodge of District 20. Your wealth of knowledge, your giving nature to anyone & everyone that reaches out to you is unparalleled. You lead by example. You are what every AHEPAN should strive to be.

It has been my absolute pleasure and honor to serve as Governor of District 20 this past year. I would like to thank all the Brothers in District 20 for that privilege.

I would also like to welcome the incoming District Lodge for 2025-2026, you have my complete and unwavering support.

I am very proud to announce that membership in District 20 went from 703 brothers in 2023 to 747 brothers in 2024. Thank you to all the chapters in District 20.

As we look forward to creating productive joint business sessions and separate AHEPA and DOP business sessions, I hope & pray we can all leave with the feeling of accomplishment, inspiration, and most of all a feeling of true Brotherhood and Sisterhood.

Let's create a culture of abundance where the values of Hellenism shine. Where philanthropy, community outreach, both in & outside of the Orthodox community, are a priority. Where family values & civil obedience are recognized and our youth & education are supported.

### ***A feeling of Philotimo!***



In Fraternal Love and Friendship,

*James W. DeDakis*

District 20 Governor  
Southern California, Arizona, Nevada & Hawaii



## DOP EL CAMINO REAL DISTRICT 20

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**Dear Brothers and Sisters of the AHEPA Family,**

On behalf of the EL Camino Real District 20 Lodge, we are pleased to welcome you to the 2025 AHEPA Family District Convention in Woodland Hills, California.

It has been a privilege to serve as your District Governor this past year. I enjoyed working alongside each of you during my year as District Governor. Thank you for your friendship and warmth that each of you have shown me over the past year.

Join me in showing our gratitude to AHEPA #412 for hosting this year's District Convention and providing us the opportunity to spend the weekend together to carry out business in a productive and informative manner!

I wish you fruitful and meaningful deliberations, which will lead us to improvements within the AHEPA Organization.

**Love in Theta Pi,**

*Sofie Batshoun*

**Sofie Batshoun  
District Governor, D20**



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**Thank You to  
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for hosting the 2025 Convention**

## **EL CAMINO REAL DISTRICT 20**

*District 20 encompasses the southwestern region of the United States,  
which includes Southern California, Arizona, Hawaii, and Nevada.*

**DISTRICT GOVERNOR  
JAMES DEDAKIS**

**LT. GOVERNOR  
Andrew J. Eliopoulos**

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James Rigopoulos**

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Wynn Storton, PSG**



# *The Sisters of the 2024-2025 District 20 Lodge*

**Welcome Delegates to the 2025 District 20 Convention  
In Woodland Hills, California**

*Sofie Batshoun, District Governor*

*Michele Lotakis - District Lt. Governor*

*Mercie Dahlgren, District Secretary*

*Rene Grevas, District Treasurer*

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*District 20 Mid-Winter Conference January 24-26, 2025*

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*Andrew J. Eliopoulos, Alternate/AHEPA Liaison*  
*Michele Lotakis, Daughters of Penelope Liaison*



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El Camino Real District 20 - Family Convention  
Hosted by: San Fernando Valley Chapter #412



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Dear Brothers,

I am both humbled and honored to formally accept the office of District 20 Governor for the 2025 term. My lifelong commitment to professional, civic, religious, and community service has prepared me well for the duties of this esteemed position. I am also a deeply family-focused man, blessed with my wife, Rula; my son, Yianni; and my daughter, Marina—all of whom I love dearly.



Since joining AHEPA Chapter 373 in 2001, I have eagerly supported our chapter's initiatives and served in numerous leadership roles—including Past President of Chapter 531 and Lieutenant Governor of District 20. Beyond AHEPA, I helped found and currently serve on the Board of the John P. Eliopoulos Hellenic Center in Lancaster, California. I am likewise privileged to be an Archon of the Ecumenical Patriarchate (Order of St. Andrew) and to have led Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church in Lancaster as its President. My ecclesiastical contributions extend to the San Francisco Metropolis Council and the parish councils of St. Nicholas in Northridge and Saints Constantine and Helen in Lancaster.

In the civic sphere, I have held leadership positions as Vice President of Public Affairs for the Building Industry Association of Southern California, Chairman of the Antelope Valley Homeless Shelter, member of the Kiwanis Club of Antelope Valley, and Past President of the Building Industry Association's Antelope Valley Chapter.

I am deeply grateful for your confidence and support. Rest assured that I will devote myself entirely to the needs of District 20, remaining accessible, responsive, and steadfast in upholding our Order's highest principles.

With sincere appreciation and fraternal regards,

**Andrew J. Eliopoulos**

District 20 Governor-Elect, AHEPA 2025

# San Fernando Valley AHEPA Chapter 412

It is with great pride and joy that we announce our brother and friend, **Andrew Eliopulos**, as the **AHEPA District 20 Governor for the year 2025**



## Congratulations!! Andrew J. Eliopulos

### **AXIOS**

A devoted parishioner of Saint Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in Northridge, California, Andrew has been an integral part of our community for decades. Many of us have grown up with Andrew and his family as steadfast examples of service, faith, and leadership within the Church.

Andrew was initiated into AHEPA by the Rose Bowl Chapter on January 4, 2001, and went on to serve as President of the Lancaster Chapter. His journey in community service began even earlier—when St. Constantine and Helen Church in Lancaster was completed in 1983, Andrew became one of the youngest parish council members at the age of 21. In 1992, he served as President of the parish community, further solidifying his lifelong dedication to the Church.

In 2022, Andrew was bestowed the high honor of being named an Archon of the Ecumenical Patriarchate—an acknowledgment of his unwavering commitment to the Orthodox faith and his exemplary service.

Fondly referred to by many as “the Mayor,” Andrew is known for the genuine connections he fosters wherever he goes, always welcomed with open arms by family, friends, and fellow parishioners.

We are confident that his experience, passion, and character will serve District 20 with distinction. Under his leadership, we look forward to a year marked by chapter growth, expanded outreach, and continued philanthropic service to our communities and those in need.

**Axios, Andrew!** May his term as District Governor be blessed and fruitful.

# Honoring Andrew J. Eliopoulos

You are the definition of a loving Nouno, Koumbaro, and friend.



Wishing you much success as District Governor  
of the Order of AHEPA El Camino Real District 20.

**Greg, Katrina, Anastasia, and John Beers**

Congrats to Andrew J. Eliopulos  
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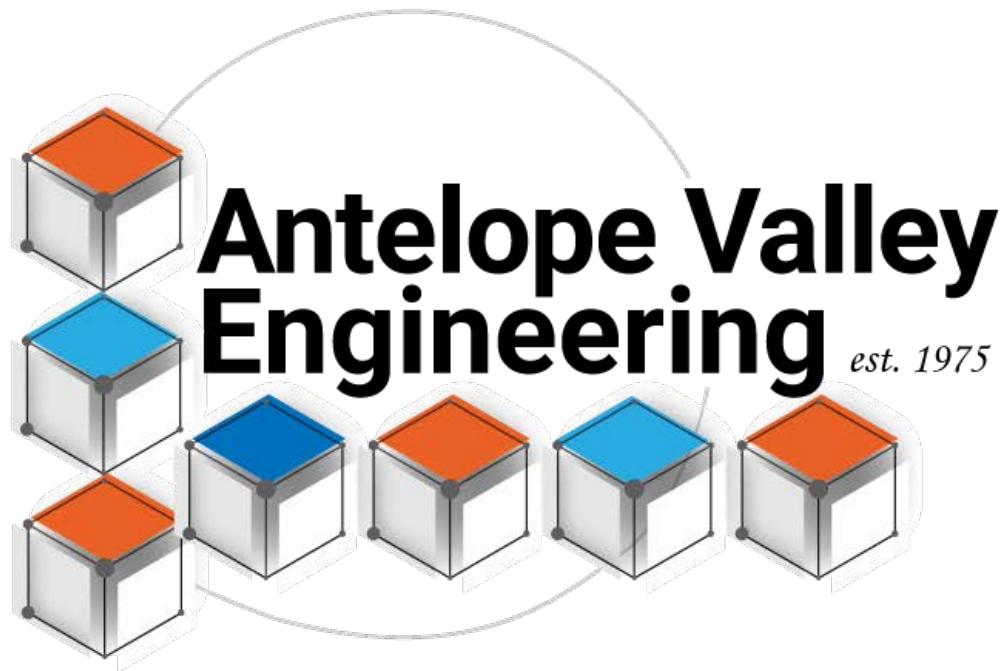
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Congratulations, Andrew, on becoming  
the Governor for the Order of AHEPA  
El Camino Real District 20.

Your dedication and commitment have  
truly paid off, and your leadership will  
undoubtedly inspire many.

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Congratulations to  
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Your friend,  
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**Congratulations to Andrew J. Eliopulos  
on his nomination as Governor of AHEPA District 20**



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**We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Andrew Eliopulos upon his election as Governor of AHEPA District 20. We take immense pride in your achievements and wish you continued success in your future endeavors.**

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**AHEPA CHAPTER 412**



**Welcome to the beautiful San Fernando Valley!**

**We are honored and proud to host the  
2025 EL CAMINO REAL 2025 DISTRICT CONVENTION**



**It's been an eventful year for our Chapter, growing stronger with 20 new Brothers initiated in 2024-2025.**

**Fishing trips, skeet shooting, charity poker night, and our Christmas dinner were just a few highlights.**

**We're looking forward to sharing a productive and memorable weekend with all our Brothers and Sisters!**

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# EL CAMINO REAL DISTRICT 20

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, ARIZONA, NEVADA AND HAWAII



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I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our Brothers, Board members, and the Convention Committee of Chapter 412 for their unwavering dedication in planning and executing the monumental task of hosting the Convention.



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In memory

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Katherine Diamantidis Past Grand Governor

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*On a successful*

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*AND A*  
*WONDERFUL DISTRICT CONVENTION*

**AHEPA Chapter #152  
and  
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**We send our best wishes to  
the San Fernando Valley Chapter Ahepa #412  
For a successful 2025 District Convention!**





## **Chapter 219 “Saguaro” Phoenix, Arizona**

**Congratulations and  
Best Wishes to the Ahepa Family  
for a Successful 2025 WRDC Convention  
and honoring our District 20 for their 94  
years of service**



**From the Chapter 219 BROTHERS**

Thank you  
San Fernando Valley Chapter 412  
on hosting the 2025  
El Camino Real District 20  
Convention



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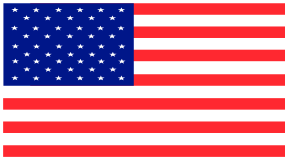
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**American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association**

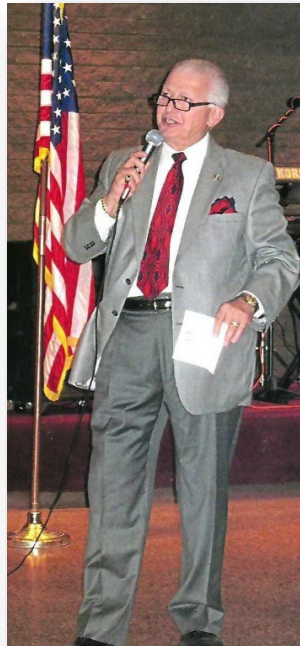
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## **PERICLEAN AWARD**

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## **Pete Marudas**



**Very worthy of this award, as proven through  
his steadfast support for the AHEPA Family of District 20**

## **AXIOS PETE!**

THE BROTHERS OF CHAPTER 219  
CONGRATULATE  
**BROTHER PETE MARUDAS**  
ON RECEIVING THE  
**2025 EL CAMINO REAL DISTRICT 20  
PERICLEAN AWARD**



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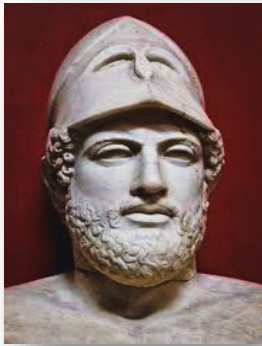
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recipient of the



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We celebrate with you the recognition of your leadership  
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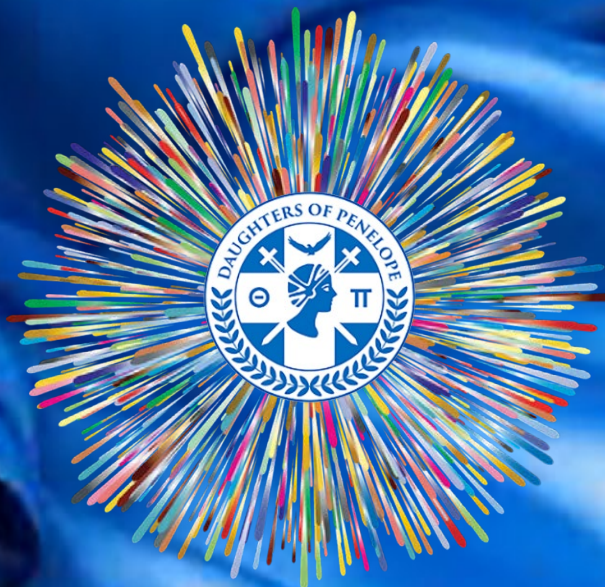
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*Congratulations to Pete Marudas  
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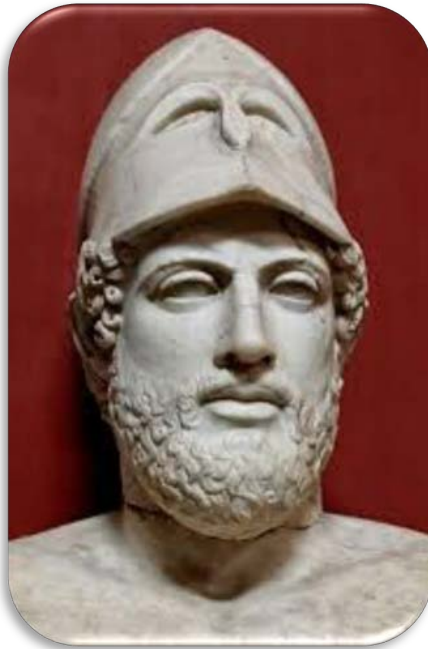
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*Best Wishes for Great Deliberations  
And a Wonderful 2025 District 20 Convention*



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**Congratulations**  
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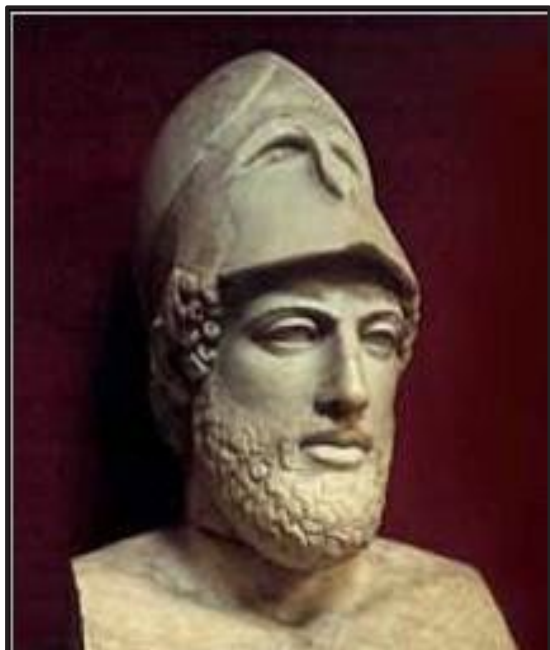


**AXIOS!!!**

**John & Rene' Grevas**



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***District 20 Family***



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PETE MARUDAS

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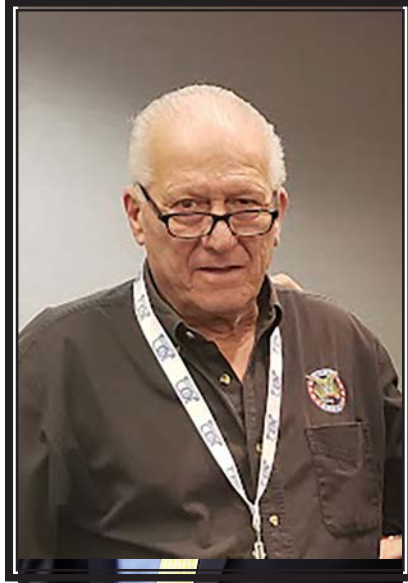
**Pete Marudas**

2025 El Camino Real Periclean Award

**From The Eliopulos Family**



**BROTHER PETE MARUDAS**  
**CONGRATULATIONS AS THE RECIPIENT OF THE**  
**2025 EL CAMINO REAL DISTRICT 20**  
**PERICLEAN AWARD.**



**We are grateful for your continued commitment  
to AHEPA and your support in rebuilding our  
chapter into what it is today.**



**FROM YOUR BROTHERS AT**  
**San Fernando Valley Chapter 412**

**Congratulations to my friend, PDG Brother Pete Marudas, for being awarded District 20's 2025 Periclean Award.**



**Thank you for your many, many years of service to AHEPA, District 20 & to your home Chapter 219.**

**Your contributions have been endless & your commitment is unwavering.**

**I thank you for all that you have done as well as for everything you will accomplish in the future.**

**You have had a great run that is far from over.**

**God bless you,**

**Jim DeDakis, District 20 Governor**

We extend our heartfelt congratulations  
to Brother Pete Marudas on being awarded the  
2025 El Camino Real Periclean Award.



From your Arizona Brothers

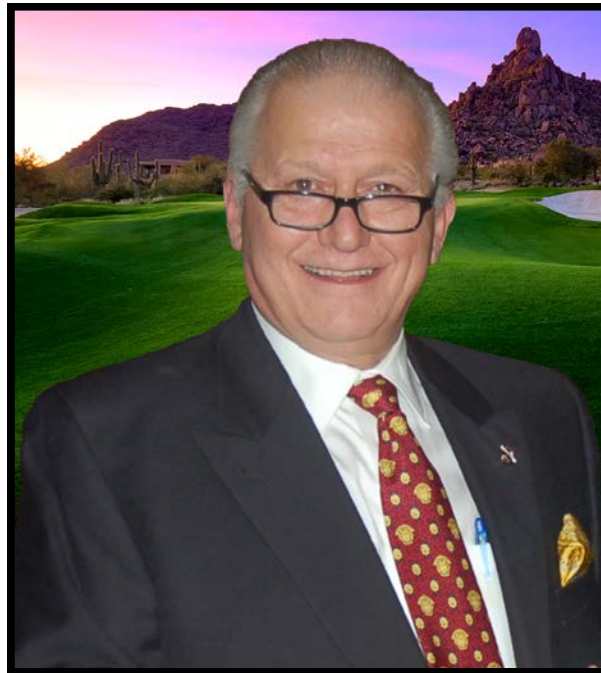


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**THE BROTHERS OF 219  
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BROTHER PETE MARUDAS**



**ON RECEIVING THE  
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**WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR HARD WORK  
AND DEDICATION TO OUR CHAPTER**



We extend our gratitude to  
San Fernando Chapter 412  
for graciously hosting the  
2025 District 20 Convention.



**From your Brothers of San Diego Chapter 223**  
***Founded 04/19/1929***

Congratulations to Pete  
Marudas on receiving the 2025  
El Camino Real Periclean Award.





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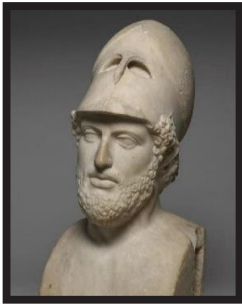
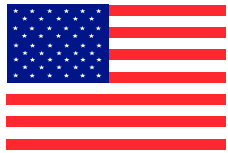
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**Congratulations to our AHEPA and District 20  
Brother PETE MARUDAS, Recipient of the  
2025 El Camino Real Periclean Award**

**For your hard work and dedication to AHEPA and District 20.  
With admiration we congratulate you on this Honor, AXIOS!  
You are to be commended for your leadership  
and a true inspiration to all AHEPANS.**

**AHEPA, Arrowhead Chapter 302 and DOP, Amphitrite Chapter 151  
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**Congratulations Pete Marudas!**

**Saluting your achievements, steadfast commitment,  
unwavering dedication, and years of service to all of us in  
the El Camino Real District 20!**

**Axios!**

**Your Helenos 432 Sisters**



## Brother Pete Marudas

Congratulations on receiving the well-deserved  
El Camino Real Periclean Award. Axios!

## The Souris Family

Peter, Nick, Steven, Ahepa 454, Georgia,  
Rebecca, DOP #340

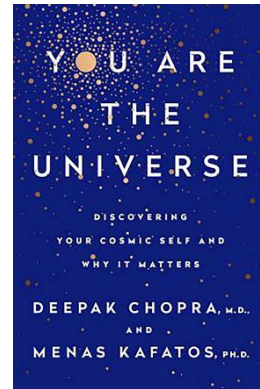
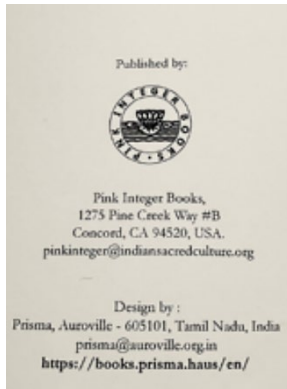


*Congratulations Pete!*

**2025 District 20 *Periclean* Award Recipient**

**From fellow “Mani” brother  
Tony Tangalos  
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Congratulations to Chapter 412 for 63 Years of Service to AHEPA

Congratulations to Andrew Eliopoulos

Newly Elected District 20 Governor

Congratulations to Pete Marudas

2025 Recipient of the District 20 Periclean Award

Michael & Joyce Sapon (Sapounakis) and Family

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Congratulations to the Brothers of  
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In Loving Memory of Frank Kunelis- A lifelong AHEPA member, initiated on April 10, 1957, Frank was part of the Burbank Chapter, later merged with the San Fernando Valley Chapter 412. Meetings often took place in the back room of Frank's Restaurant in Burbank, California.

Frank cherished his four children and eight grandchildren. His son Jimmy has continued the family legacy by operating Jimmy's Burgers since 1986.

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**We congratulate**

# **Pete Marudas**

**On receiving the 2025 El Camino Real District 20**

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## **PERICLEAN AWARD**

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**Thank you for the many years of  
support and brotherhood**

**AXIOS PETE!**



To the incredible Papa Cristo's Community

**Thank you from the bottom of my heart!**

I have been incredibly touched by the overwhelming outpouring of love and support from you all, and I am beyond grateful for my dedicated staff.

As promised, the journey continues as I work on the next phase together with my two daughters, Dena and Annie.

We just launched our new website, where you can place orders for Papa Cristo's Greek Seasoning, and (with even more delicious products on the way!)

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**-Papa Cristo**



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John P. Eliopoulos

**Hellenic Center**

**Congratulations, Andrew Eliopoulos,  
from Saints Constantine and Helen  
Greek Orthodox Church**

**We are pleased to celebrate your nomination to be the next governor for AHEPA District 20.  
Your dedication and commitment to the community have always been exemplary,  
and this nomination is a testament to your hard work and leadership.**

**We look forward to your continued positive impact  
and to the progress that will be made under your guidance.**

**Warmest congratulations once again and best wishes for your future endeavors!**



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