



## Memorandum

**TO:** Scott Niehaus  
Village Manager

**FROM:** Nicole P. Aranas  
Assistant Village Manager

**DATE:** February 11, 2015

**SUBJECT:** Community Promotion & Tourism Committee Recommendation  
Local Tourism Grant – Lombard Civil War Reenactment

The following is a recommendation from the Community Promotion & Tourism Committee for funding through the Local Tourism Grant Program for the Lombard Historical Society in an amount not to exceed \$10,045.50 for the Lombard Civil War Reenactment.

**Grant Request: \$10,045.50**

The Lombard Historical Society has requested a grant in the amount of \$10,045.50 to be used towards the 2015 Lombard Civil War Reenactment. The Civil War Reenactment event draws visitors and reenactors from throughout the region. The Event spans a full weekend and includes a Friday night movie in the park, battles throughout the weekend, a Civil War Ball and appearances by President and Mrs. Lincoln. The Lombard Historical Society is requesting funds to cover costs including advertising, entertainment and supplies for this event.

The grant request from Lombard Historical Society and event budget are attached for your review.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Community Promotion & Tourism Committee recommended a grant in an amount up to \$10,045.50 to the Lombard Historical Society, to be used towards the reimbursement of expenses relating to the 2015 Lombard Civil War Reenactment.

Please place this item on the consent agenda of the February 19, 2015 agenda of the Board of Trustees. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you.