

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Scott R. Niehaus, Village Manager

FROM:

William J. Heniff, AICP, Director of Community Development

DATE:

December 17, 2015

SUBJECT: Lombard Town Centre Quarterly Report

As part of the approved 2015 funding request for Lombard Town Centre, the Village Board requested that Lombard Town Centre provide regular updates regarding the activities associated with the downtown. Sarah Richardt, Lombard Town Centre Executive Director, will be at the December 17 meeting to discuss the report and their accomplishments to date.

RECOMMENDATION

Please place this item on the December 17, 2015 Village Board agenda under Items for Discussion.

To: ECDC

Cc: Bill Heniff, Director of Community Development

From: Sarah Richardt

Lombard Town Centre Executive Director

Re: Lombard Town Centre

Date: December 14, 2015



Highlights in Downtown Lombard:

- Jinglebell Jubilee went very well this year with hundreds of people stopping in downtown Lombard to see the dancers in the storefront windows
- Lombard Town Centre did little promotion for Small Buisness Saturday as our time was focused on our annual report and funding for 2016.
- Cyber Monday was very busy for some downtown businesses
- A tobacco shop has leased the empty Bona Pizza at 6 W. St. Charles
- The Cellar and Fringe have both hosted events at their businesses. This shows the commitment of the businesses in the community.
- MWD Photography has opened at 108 E. St. Charles Rd. This business moved from downtown Elmhurst. They have extra space in the building they purchased for potential lease.
- 104 106 E. St. Charles Rd. went up for auction on December 4, 2015. No buyers at that.
- There is continued interest in 141 W. St. Charles as well as 23 25 W. St. Charles (the old music store).

Respectfully Submitted,

Sarah Richardt Lombard Town Centre Executive Director