

PROCLAMATION
NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK April 12-18, 2015

WHEREAS, libraries create potential and possibilities within their communities;

WHEREAS; libraries level the playing field for all who seek information and access to technologies;

WHEREAS, libraries continuously grow and evolve in how they provide for the needs of every member of their communities;

WHEREAS, libraries and librarians open up a world of possibilities through innovative STEAM programing, early literacy initiatives, job-seeking resources and the power of reading;

WHEREAS, librarians are trained, tech-savvy professionals, providing technology training and access to downloadable content like e-books, online magazines and learning programs;

WHEREAS, libraries support democracy and effect social change through their commitment to provide equitable access to information for all library users regardless of race, ethnicity, creed, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity or socio-economic status;

WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Keith Giagnorio, Village President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby proclaim April 12-18, 2015 **NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK** in the Village of Lombard and encourage all residents to visit the Helen Plum Library this week to take advantage of the wonderful library resources that are available.



Keith T. Giagnorio
Village President

