

**PROCLAMATION
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN
125TH ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, the future of our nation's productivity and competitiveness in the global workplace depends on the success of boys and girls, men and women; and

WHEREAS, women have had limited opportunities in education, the workplace, and society as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of University Women opens doors for women and girls and influences public debate on critical social issues such as education, civil rights, and workplace equity; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of University Women promotes excellence in academia for women through the improvement of schools, communities, and fields of work for the benefit of all; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of University Women is one of the oldest existing organizations dedicated to promoting education and equity for women and girls; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of University Women celebrates its 125th anniversary this year from its inception on November 28, 1881; and

WHEREAS, the Lombard Area AAUW advances the American Association of University Women's 125-year legacy of leadership on behalf of women and girls in the Lombard area;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William J. Mueller, President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby proclaim November 28, 2006 to be **American Association of University Women Day** and urge all the citizens of Lombard to recognize the value of education and equitable society, and the laudable work of the American Association of University Women to that end.

William J. Mueller
Village President

