

# **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Bill Johnston, Chairperson

Economic and Community Development Committee

FROM:

Jennifer Ganser, Assistant Director of Community Development

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DATE:

December 14, 2015

SUBJECT: Downtown Restaurant Forgivable Loan; 101 W. St. Charles Road (Babcock's Grove House)

The Community Development Department has received an application for the Downtown Restaurant Forgivable Loan Program for Babcock's Grove House located at 101 W. St. Charles Road. The applicant is seeking to install interior improvements for a new full-service restaurant. No exterior improvements are proposed at this time. Babcock's would have the option to come before the ECDC for a Downtown Improvement and Renovation Grant (façade grant) for signage or other exterior improvements if they apply. In 2015, the building owner received a Downtown Improvement and Renovation Grant in the amount of \$12,000.00 for new roof shingles and to paint the exterior trim and soffits.

Babcock's Grove House leased the property at 101 W. St. Charles Road for a period of three (3) years. The first floor was vacated by Café 101 a few years ago.

The property is located in the Downtown TIF. The lowest contractor's bid is \$238,966.00. Permit fees are estimated at \$4,181.91 (1.75% of the project cost) and architect fees can be granted up to \$1,500.00. Therefore the total cost is \$244,647.91 and is grant eligible up to \$81,549.30. The Downtown Restaurant Forgivable Loan Program allows for the Village to grant the petitioner back up to 1/3 of the total project cost, not to exceed \$100,000.00. A lien will be placed on the building (similar to the Downtown Retail Business Grant) in the amount of the forgivable loan. One tenth of the forgivable loan is forgiven for each full year that the restaurant is open.

The Lombard Downtown Revitalization Project Guidebook focuses on aesthetic standards in Section 4. The design recommendations can be applied to numerous buildings in downtown Lombard. Though this building is not called in the Guidebook; a restaurant use is consistent with the Guidebook and will help in downtown revitalization efforts.

The applicant met with the College of DuPage Small Business Development Center, as required for the grant, and attached is the business plan.

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Though 101 W. St. Charles Road is a local landmark, the Historical Commission does not review interior improvements. The Village Board approved Code amendments that removed remodeling reviews from their purview.

# **GRANT REQUEST ELEMENTS**

Dean Pozarycki is the project architect and has submitted an estimated invoice of \$7,000.00. The grant will fund up to 25% or \$1,500.00, whichever is less, prior to approval of the architectural renderings. After the architectural renderings are approved, 50% of the fees can be granted. Architectural renderings are approved during the permitting process.

Babcock's has submitted architectural plans for an interior remodel and three quotes. The Building Division is reviewing the architectural plans.

Contractor	Price Quote
All Pro Construction Services, Inc.	\$292,200.00
Prairie Construction Inc.	\$238,966.00
Pro One Builders	\$313,980.00

Based on the lowest bid, architectural fees, and estimated permit fees, the applicant is eligible to receive up to \$81,549.30.

Staff is supportive of the request for the following reasons:

- 1. Consistent with the recommendations of the Lombard Downtown Revitalization Project Guidebook.
- 2. Consistent with past approval for other façade grant requests.
- 3. Support from Lombard Town Centre.

# Conditions of Approval

Staff proposes the following conditions be placed on the grant, if approved by the Village Board of Trustees. The conditions would be incorporated into a Resolution, subject to approval from the Village Board of Trustees.

- 1. Permits must be applied for and received for all of the work. Permits should be applied for with the Building Division and will be ready after the appropriate departments/divisions are able to sign off stating that the project meets code.
- 2. Work must be complete one year from the date of approval by the Village Board of Trustees.
- 3. Before the grant can be paid out, the petitioner will submit a final receipt (showing it is paid in full) and waivers of lien from the contractors. This ensures that the project is paid in full before the Village remits the grant funds.

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# **COMMITTEE ACTION REQUESTED**

This item is being placed on the December 14, 2015 ECDC agenda for consideration. Staff recommends that the ECDC recommend approval to the Village Board for the requested Downtown Restaurant Forgivable Loan being sought for the property at 101 W. St. Charles Road. The project total is \$244,647.91 and is grant eligible up to \$81,549.30. As this request is over \$10,000, it requires final approval from the Village Board of Trustees. Said recommendation is subject to the following conditions, by the Village Board of Trustees:

- 1. Permits must be applied for and received for all of the work.
- 2. Work must be complete one year from the date of approval by the Village Board of Trustees.
- 3. Before the grant can be paid out, the petitioner will submit a final receipt (showing the project is paid in full) and waivers of lien from the contractors.

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# DOWNTOWN IMPROVEMENT AND RENOVATION GRANT PROGRAM PRE-APPLICATION

A. Building Address and Description: 10/ W. St. Charles Rd
B. Property Identification Number: 0607209017
C. Legal Description of Property: SSS ASTACHED
A. Owners Name: Tom Smith + Margret Smith
2 SPARKAUS CONT 2B LOMBAND, IL
B. Owners Address: 601
C. Phone (day time): (630) 253-8223
Current Tenant, Building Address, Lease Terms, and Description of Business: (use
additional paper if necessary)
A. STEVEY DAWA MOREAU (Tenants)
101 W. St. Charles Rd, Lombord Il (Address)
B. Sevol Terms : 3 year lease with a five year optimp for this specific space.
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new Grant door.

5.	Plans/	Drawings prepared by:
	A. Na	me: Beth Howley, Antonor Designer + Dean Pozogzycki
	B. Ad	dress: 789 N. Park Blvd, Glan Ellyn, I / Beth (Anchited
	47	28 Main St. Downers Hove, I
	C. Pho	one (day time): 33/-903-8586 (Beth)
		mage Stringer also being provided by Signed Companies
	D. Est	imated Cost of the Improvement and Renovation: \$ 30,000
6.	Statem	nent of Understanding.
	A.	The applicant (undersigned) agrees to comply with the guidelines and procedures of the Downtown Improvement and Renovation Grant Program and the specific design recommendation of the Director of Community Development.
	B.	The applicant must submit detailed cost documentation, copies of building permits, and all contractors waivers of lien upon completion of work.
	C.	The applicant, owners, and all contractors must comply with all federal and local regulations (see the attached list).
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Proper	ty Own	er Signature (Date)
		Return application to:
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		Village of Lombard
		Community Development Department 255 E. Wilson Ave., Lombard, IL 60148
		630-620-5746

19,200.00

3,210.00

PRO ONE BUILDERS 101 St. Charles EXHIBIT "A"						益	EXHIBIT "A"								
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# PRAIRIE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

106 S. Oak Park Ave, Suite 209, Oak Park, IL 60302

December 8, 2015

Mrs. Dana Moreau 101 St. Charles St Lombard, IL 60148

Re: Restaurant Renovation at 101 St. Charles St, Lombard

Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to submit this proposal for your home improvement project. Listed below you will find our itemized proposal prepared by Chris Kois.

#### PROPOSAL AND AGREEMENT

Prairie Construction Company, Inc. hereby offers to perform the following Work according to provided plans and specifications by Dean M. Pozarzycki, R.A., dated November 12, 2015

#### SCOPE OF WORK:

#### 1. ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

Drawings by Owner.

Drawing will be provided by Dean M. Pozarzycki, R.A.

# 2. PERMIT EXPEDITING

Permit expediting by Owner.

Permit will be provided by Owner/Architect.

#### 3. PERMIT FEES

Permit fees by Owner.

Cost of building permit will be paid by Owner.

Note: Permit fees, which are determined by the Owner's local government, are not included in the total price. We will bill the Owner for the fees when we receive the permit.

# 4. TEMPORARY, PROTECTION

EPA Rules.

Protect the work area according to EPA Rules: contain the work area, minimize dust, clean up thoroughly.

Seal area not being demolished.

Seal off all access to areas that are not being demolished.

Plastic protection.

Cover floor areas and furniture with plastic drop cloth.

Ram-boards on floor.

Cover floors with ram-boards.

Price: \$500.00

#### 5. ASBESTOS

Note: The following proposal is based on assumption that no asbestos will be found in the structure. If there is asbestos in the existing structure a price adjustment for removing asbestos will be necessary.

#### 6. DUMPSTER

Provide 20 yard dumpster(s) or haul away debris with dump truck, 2ea.

Note: In the case a dumpster is not provided, all debris will be hauled away to a dump yard and dumping fees

phone 708-445-9271 facsimile 708-218-9477 paid by a contractor. The below price will still apply.

Price: \$1,125.00

#### 7. DEMOLITION

AC.

Remove thru wall AC unit.

Storefront.

Remove upper storefront units.

Walls, Drywall.

Remove Walls and drywall /plastering as per drawings.

Window.

Remove window, 1ea.

Plumbing.

Remove plumbing fixtures, 3ea.

Remove existing water heater, 1 ea.

Remove sink and partial wall.

Flooring.

Remove flooring in kitchen for installation of new floor joists, 340 sf.

Price: \$5,000.00

#### 8. FRAMING

Floor.

Repair floor system under kitchen area (install new LVL joists and subfloor), 340sf.

Walls.

Install partition walls, 62lf.

Fur-out wall with 2x2's, 270sf.

Openings.

Infill wall openings, 3ea.

Guardrails.

Provide guardrail at kitchen exit door, 18lf.

Provide handrail at kitchen exit door, 15lf, 15lf.

Fire escape stairs.

Install steel plate at underside of fire escape stair as per drawings.

Inspection.

Get rough framing inspection.

Price: \$12,250.00

#### 9. PLUMBING

Rough-in.

Install rough plumbing and trim for bathrooms andkitchen, utility room as per plan.

Note: Water Heater is included in the proposal and will be provided by GC.

Note: Plumbing includes grease trap.

Note: We will repair all concrete associated with underground plumbing work.

Gas line.

Provide gas lines and connections as per plan.

Inspection.

Get rough plumbing inspection. Get final plumbing inspection.

Price: \$23,250.00

#### 10. ELECTRIC

Mechanical room.

Remove existing abandoned electrical conductors.

Remove existing lights, 9ea.

Lights.

Provide fluorescent lights, 30ea.

Install light fixtures, 44ea.

Switches.

Provide electrical switches, 19ea.

Emergency lights.

Provide emergency lights, 5ea.

Exhaust fans.

Install exhaust fans, 2ea.

AC units.

Provide power for AC units, cooler, air handler, exhaust fan and ANSUL system.

Panels.

Install electrical panels, 2ea.

Service.

Modify electrical service and pipes.

Inspection.

Get rough electric inspection. Get final electric inspection.

Price: \$39,500.00

#### 11. VENTILATION AND HVAC

Kitchen ventilation.

Furnish and Installation new hood by HOODMART 10lf for cooking line.

Note: All the iron work is included in the hood installation.

Furnish and Install New duct work for exhaust and make-up air.

Furnish and Install new exhaust fan with new wall curb.

Furnish and Install new make-up air duct with louver.

Furnish and install Fire curtain, one layer.

HVAC.

Furnish and Install one new air handler.

Furnish and Install New duct work for new air handler.

Furnish and Install two new outdoor ac units By Mitsubishi.

Furnish and Install four new indoor units by Mitsubishi.

Furnish and installation all new coper pips necessary.

Furnish and Install new inline fan with damper and all necessary louvers in basement by Soler Palu.

Furnish and install new bathrooms exhaust fan ductwork.

Steam radiators .

Install 4 steam radiators ..

Inspection.

Get HVAC inspection. Price: \$49,875.00

#### 12. FLOORING

Tiles.

Install tiles, 829sf.

Wood Floor.

Repair/install salvaged wood flooring, 64sf and refinish existing wood floor, 610sf.

Price: \$13,125.00

#### 13. WINDOWS

Provide window at kitchen by JELD-WEN.

Alter 2nd floor bathroom window - make the lower sash fixed.

Provide transom window, 1ea.

Price: \$1,625.00

#### **14. DOORS**

Doors.

Provide doors, solid core, wood, 6ea. Allowance - \$3,000.

Thresholds.

phone 708-445-9271 facsimile 708-218-9477

Provide thresholds, 3ea.

Hardware.

Install door hardware: locks, 7ea. Allowance - \$1,000.

Door closers.

Provide door closers, 9ea. Allowance - \$1,000.

Adjust closer at door #1, 1a

Safety film.

Provide safety film for glass at door#1 or replace, 1ea. Allowance - \$600.

Price: \$10,000.00

#### 15. CEILING

Suspended ceiling.

Provide suspended ceiling system, 400sf.

Price: \$2,500.00

#### 16. WALL COVERING

Drywall.

Provide drywall.

FRP.

Provide FRP, as per plan.

Tiles.

Install ceramic tiles, 242sf.

SS covering.

Provide SS wall covering at kitchen, 141sf.

Baseboards.

Provide baseboards and HVAC lines enclosure per drawings.

Casings.

Provide door and window casing, 7ea.

Price: \$20,438.00

#### 17. BATHROOM ACCESSORIES

Install bathroom accessories. Bathroom Accessories will be purchased and delivered by Owner.

Price: \$625.00

#### 18. COUNTERTOP

Install counter base as per plan, including finish carpentry of the bar (finish wood panels). Countertop will be purchased and delivered by Owner.

Price: \$4,250.00

#### 19. STORE FRONT

Provide upper storefront window glass, as per drawings.

Price: \$4,125.00

#### 20. ANSUL R102

Supply and install an Ansul R102 hood fire suppression system.

Price: \$6,875.00

#### 21. FIRE ALARM

Provide Fire Alarm. Price: \$10,625.00

# 22. PAINTING AT WALLS, CEILING AND DOORS

Intumescent paint.

Paint with intumescent paint, 2 coats, 1300sf, Allowance for E-84 paint - \$7000.

1 coat.

Paint with primer and paint, 1 coat, as per drawings.

2 coats.

Paint with primer and paint, 2 coats, as per drawings.

Ероху.

Paint with epoxy paint, as per drawings.

Price: \$16,250.00

# 23. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS AND FIXTURES TO BE PURCHASED BY GC - ALLOWANCES

Bathroom accessories.

Bobrick grab bar , 3ea. Allowance - \$30 per 1ea.

Bobrick toilet paper holder, 3ea. Allowance - \$60 per 1ea.

Bobrick Mirror, 3ea. Allowance - \$100 per 1ea.

Bobrick Sanitary Napkin Disposal, 3ea. Allowance - \$165 per 1ea.

Plumbing fixtures.

Toto Urinal Spud, 1ea. Allowance - \$200 per 1ea.

Toto Sensor Urinal Flush Valve, 1ea. Allowance - \$700 per 1ea.

Toto Toilet, 3ea. Allowance - \$300 per 1ea.

Toto Toilet Seat, 3ea. Allowance - \$30 per 1ea.

Tiles.

Floor tiles, 829sf. Allowance - \$4 per 1sf.

Wall tiles, 242sf. Allowance - \$4 per 1sf.

Grout and sealer. Allowance - \$300.

Electrical fixtures.

Track lights, 8ft, 3ea. Allowance - \$374 per 1ea.

Track lights, 6ft, 3ea. Allowance - \$276 per 1ea.

Track lights, 4ft, 4ea. Allowance - \$216 per 1ea.

Track lights, 2ft, 2ea. Allowance - \$171 per 1ea.

HVAC.

Steam Radiators, SV24-36, white, Ward Hill, 4ea. Allowance - \$880 per 1ea.

Ordering and handling.

Charge for ordering and handling. Allowance - \$1,000.

Price: \$15,215.00

#### 24. PORTABLE TOILET/BATHROOM FACILITY

Provide chemical portable toilet (allowance \$150 per 1 month) - this charge will be deducted from contract if owner allocate bathroom facility for workers' use during construction, 3month.

Price: \$563.00

# 25. FINAL INSPECTION

Get final building inspection.

#### 26. EXCLUSIONS

Furnish of all kitchen, bar and cooler equipment described in equipment schedule.

Fire alarm monthly monitoring and wireless communicator.

Security system.

Providing fire shutter for 2nd floor bathroom window.

Disposal of unused AC unit.

Exterior signage for basement door.

#### 27. CLEAN-UP

Daily clean-up.

Place all waste in heavy-duty contractor bags and seal. Broom sweep construction site at end of each day.

Final clean-up.

Remove all construction equipment and debris, vacuum clean remodeled spaces, wash all glass surfaces on all new windows.

Touch-up.

Touch-up paint all painted surfaces which have been marred by construction activities.

Price: \$1,250.00

#### TOTAL: \$238,966.00

This is our complete price including all construction materials, equipment and labor for the entire project as per above specifications. If any item(s) of work is not listed above, it has not been included in the price.

Note: "Install" in above description refers to "Provide materials, equipment and labor" unless otherwise specified.

Owner shall walk through the project and check the proposal for any missing items or changes he or she wish to make, so the parties can be clear about Scope of Work: and price before we get started. If an item(s) of work has been inadvertently omitted, we will document this item(s) and its cost(s) in a written Change Order.

An allowance is how much is set aside to be spent on a particular type of item(s), such as plumbing fixture(s), tiles or carpet. Allowance includes material, tax and shipping or delivery charges. Allowance doesn't include materials needed to install allowance item(s), such as glue, nails, brackets, boxes. Owner has to verify all selections and provide Prairie Construction Company, Inc. and subcontractor(s) with proper information for purchasing or ordering. The total contract value will be adjusted for differences between the estimated and purchased items

Items to be purchased and delivered by Owner: countertop

Items purchased by Owner shall be delivered to job site before the work begins This price is valid within 30 days.

#### **PAYMENT TERMS**

First Payment 20% (\$45,143.00) will be issued as a mobilization fee at the signing of the proposal. All future Payments shall be based on progress invoices.

Final payment will be issued 3 business days after Completion Date.

Late payments will be assessed a delinquent charge at legally permissible rates (1.5% per month) and costs of collection including court costs and attorney fees.

Labor is guaranteed for 1 year. Materials are warranted as specified by the manufacturer. Feel free to contact us with any questions.

To accept this proposal, just date and sign one copy of this proposal and return it to us.

President Mac Daracz

#### OWNER ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL AND AGREEMENT TO CONTRACT

The above offer including the prices, specifications and attached General Condition of the Contract are hereby accepted. Prairie Construction Company, Inc. is authorized to supply and perform the Work as specified in the Proposal and we will abide by all terms of this Contract. I also acknowledge that I have received from Contractor a copy of the pamphlet entitled HOME REPAIR: KNOW YOUR CONSUMER RIGHTS.

Accepted by:	_
Date:	

# **Agreement between Owner and Contractor**



All-Pro Construction Services, Inc. 16W347 83<sup>rd</sup> St., Suite B Burr Ridge, IL 60527 (630) 323-5300 Fax: (630) 323-5330

Proposal submitted to:

Babcock's Grove House 101 W. St. Charles Road Lombard, IL 60148 Attn: Steve/Dana **December 4, 2015** 

We propose to furnish all material, labor, and equipment in accordance with Architect's plans and specifications, Sheets A-1, A-2, A-3, A-4, A-6, A-7, A-8, A-9 dated 10/12/15 and prepared by DEAN M. POZARZYCKI, R.A., Architects for the project and pursuant to the following scope of work:

See Exhibit 'A' - Scope of Work attached hereto and made part of this agreement.

**EXCLUSIONS:** Architectural/Engineering Fees, Builders Risk Insurance, Performance and Payment Bond, Building Permit Fees, Foodservice Equipment.

**ADDS:** Any additional work outside the scope of this proposal or prepared drawings, shall be issued in writing and shall be transmitted via facsimile, emailed, or personally hand delivered to the Contractor for approval and the immediate scheduling of the project.

All of the above work to be completed in a substantial and workmanlike manner by experienced and insured craftsman.

ALL FOR THE SUM OF \*\*\* TWO HUNDRED NINETY-TWO THOUSAND AND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$292,200.00) \*\*\*

ANY alteration or deviation from the above specifications involving extra cost of material or labor will only be executed upon written orders for the same, and will become an extra charge over the sum mentioned in the proposal. All agreements must be made in writing.

THIS proposal is made subject to your acceptance within (30) days from the date hereon, and to final approval by an authorized officer of this company after the same shall have been accepted and finally approved, shall constitute a contract between us.

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Customer Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_Date of Acceptance\_\_\_\_

#### LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

- The client warrants that he or it is the legal and/or beneficiel Owner of the premises and/or that he is an agent for the Owner or it a tenant that he has authorization or permission from the Owner to have the agreed work performed.
- If this instrument be signed by more than one person every obligation of the Client shall be joint and several, trespective of the use of verbs importing the singular number.
- This instrument constitutes the entire agreement between parties, no variations from this agreement shall be effective unless it be in writing and algred by the parties hereto.
- 1. This agreement shall not be binding on the Contractor unless accepted in writing by an officer of the Contractor, and when so accepted this contract and all the provisions thereof shall laure to and be binding upon the parties hereto and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns.
- The parties agree that the Contractor is not responsible for the relocating of or damage to any concealed piping, flutures, wiring, or other equipment.
- Owner certifies that premises are free of building code violations and/or letters of complaint from the Bureau of inspection other than the ones stated in this contract agreement.
- Owner shall maintain appropriate fire, their and liability insurance on the work and premises noted on the face of this contract, and contractor shall carry workmen's
  compensation and public liability insurance on said work.
- Contractor shall not be liable for any damage or loss caused by faulty design or installation other than our own, and such liability shall not extend to any loss not the direct result of said faulty design.
- Contractor shall not be Sable for any damage or delays caused by strikes, lockouts, embargoes, fires, car shortages, floods, tornadoes, snow accumulation, other savere weather problems or other causes beyond our control. The time for delivery of materials or doing the work hereunder shall be extended for the time of delay by reason of any said causes.
- 10. Owner shall assume the risk of any loss or damage resulting from their, misuse, fire, flood, corrosion or from any other cause, except our own act, to materials delivered upon the premises or installed by Contractor, and Owner shall reimburse Contractor for any such loss or damage.
- 11. Owner shall furnish no labor or materials for us or on our account without our written authorization
- 12. Contractor shall not be responsible for any new or used equipment supplied by Owner that does not function properly.
- All salvage materials shall be property of Contractor.
- 14. No return of merchandise shall be made by the Owner to the Contractor without the pupplier's written consent procured in advance by Owner.
- 15. Owner will pay the reasonable value for any loss of Contractor's time due to any delays caused by Owner, his agents, employees, or anyone connected with the premises.
- 16. This Agreement does not contemplate overtime work; and if any becomes necessary or is ordered by the undersigned, an additional cost shall be added to the contract price, any work done or ordered in addition to that specified will be considered an extra, and unless specifically quoted in writing, the work shall be done on a time and material basis (time to be computed from leaving effice until return and all prices for such time and material shall be computed from the normal charges used by the Contractor for the normal charges.
- 17. Upon request Contractor shall supply walvers of lien, both for his labor and melerials, as payments are received by him.
- 18. AB rights and remedies of the Contractor herein are cumulative and the use of one or more shall not exclude or waive the right to the use of any other remedy.
- 19. No mechanics tien or other tien has been waived or otherwise discharged by Owner, and Owner will do nothing during the term of this agreement to waive or discharge any such tien or iten right.
- All right, title and interest in and to the property, materials, equipment and focuses installed under this contract shall remain the property of the Contractor until payment in full has been made under this contract.
- 21. The acceptance of a note or notes, or other security for the payment of the amount or amounts due hereunder shall not affect the contractor's right to a mechanic's lien for the work performed under the terms hereof.
- 22. To secure all sums herato agreed to be paid, or upon default in any of the terms of this contract, the client hereby jointly, and severally and irrevocably, authorize any attorney of any court or record to appear for them, in any such court in term time or vacation, at any time hereafter and confess judgment without process against the undersigned, or any of them, in tevor of the Contractor, payee or holder of this contract endor note, for such amount as may appear to be unpeld or owing hereon, together with coasts and reasonable attorneys fees, and interest at the rate of 12% per arman and to waive any relatessable terms which may intervere in any such proceeding, and to consent to immediate execution upon any such judgment; and that any execution that may be tosued on such judgment may be immediately levied upon and satisfied out of any personal property of the undersigned, or any of them, and to waive any and all right of the client, or any of them, to have the personal property lest taken and levied upon to estably any such execution; and further agree that no appear or writ or error shall be prosecuted on the judgment entered by virtue hereof, and that no proceedings in equity shall be filed to interfers in any marrier with the operation of said judgment or execution issued thereon; hereby ratifying and confirming all the said attorney may do by virtue hereof.
- 23. In the event of cancellation of this contract by the Owner prior to the start of work, for any reason whatsoever, the Contractor shall receive ten (10%) percent of the lotal contract price as tiquidated damages, and not as a penalty.

#### TERMS

- 2A. On or before the tenth (10th) and the twenty fifth (25th) day of each calendar month, ninety percent (90%) of the value of our materiats delivered to the job site and of our work performed during the next praceding bi-weakly period, shall be paid by you to us. Thirty (20) days following the complete our work embodied in this proposel, you will make final payment to us. If on account of delays by you or other trades or for any cause beyond our control, we are unable to complete our work, you shall pay us in bid, on a before the beth (10th) or the benefity fifth (26th) day of the calendar month following the month in which work was suspended, for all materials delivered or in ternst and all work performed by us up to the time of suspension of the work. If payments are not made in accordance with the terms hereof, we may suspend work until such payments are made. Your failure to make any payment with thirty (30) days of its being due hereunder shall constitute a material beach of this contract, and we shall thereupon be entitled to tentinate the contract and to collect from you all damages incurred by us by reason of your basch, including lost profits. All costs or expenses incurred by us in collecting any sum due under this proposel, whether by suit or otherwise, including reasonable attorney's fees shall be paid by you.
- 26. The Owner hereby certifies that he has read this contract, that the meaning thereof has been explained to him and that he understands the said contract; that there is no misuriderstanding between the parties, varied or otherwise. The Owner further cartifies that the Contractor has made no representations other than as expressly set forth in writing in this contract.

#### GUARANTEE

- 25. Any and all complaints respecting the work performed or materials furnished shall be made by the Owner to the Contractor specifically in writing, sent by registered or certified mail to the Contractor's business address within thirty (30) days after final work is done by the Contractor, otherwise all sald work and materials furnished by the Contractor shall be deemed to have been conclusively accepted by the Owner.
- 27. Contractor guarantees his labor for one year, his material as specified by Manufacturer's Warranty.
- 28. Contractor shall make no service calls and shall not make good on any guarantee unless all payments by Owner are current as of the date of notification of complaint, if any.

DATE: DECEMBER 2, 2015

PROJECT: BABCOCK'S GROVE HOUSE

CNR OF PARK & ST. CHARLES, LOMBARD, IL 60148

# EXHIBIT 'A' Scope of Work, Clarifications & Qualifications

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ITEM #	DESCRIPTION	<b>Q</b> TY	UNIT	ALLOWANDE	INDL / EXGL
	This estimate is based on the following scope of work:				
1.	D1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS				ľ
a)	Supervision				Incl
b	General Liability / Workers Compensation Insurance	-			Inci
c)	Mobilization and Demobilization				Incl
d)	Temporary Facilities & Controls	l			Incl
<b>e</b> )	Dumpsters and Debris Removal				ind
ŋ	Clean-Up				Incl
2.	US BELEGTIVE DEMOLITION				<u> </u>
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al	BASEMENT: Remove Toilet Room walls. Remove existing gypsum		ĺ		Inci
a)	board ceiling to expose joists and existing plumbing				
	1st Floor				
	1st FLOOR - Remove plaster well down to wood furing, remove plaster & wood lath at ceiling, remove existing partition walfs, remove				
	Oak flooring for re-use, remove existing ceramic tile to subfloor,				(nci
b)	remove existing FRP, remove ex. gypsum gypsum at Bathroom to		1		HIKX
	studs, remove existing gypsum board at ceiling in Bathroom, remove Doors, Frames & Hardware as per plans and specs				
3.	DR BELEGTIVE DEMOLITION				
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a)	BASEMENT: New 4" Concrete replacement Slab to match existing				Inci
	stab as per plans and specs				i
b)	Remove existing. DHWH and Water Closet Sawout, tranch and backfill for new underground plumbing piping as				tncl
c)	bet by bares and ebecs				Incl
4.	US METALE				
a)	EXTERIOR: Remove and replace with new 1 1/2" Die. Pipe Rail at				Incl
-,	Stairs and new 42" H Balusters at 4" o.c.		l		
5.	QA_FRP				
	1st Floor		- 1		
	Furnish and install new FRP at 104 Service Bar, 109 Hall - East, South, West walls, 110 Hall - North, East walls, 111 Hall, North,				
a)	South, East, West walls, 112 Men's Urinel - South, West walls, 113				Incl
	Kitchen - North, South, East, West walls as per plans and space				
6.	DA ROURH GARPENTRY				
	Basement		İ		
a)	Sister joist repeirs and remove fire charing from existing joists. Apply				Incl
٠,	Listex Primer  Furnish and install new wood stud partition walls and pyosum board				
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7.	07 FIREPROOFING		e.	
	Basement			1
a)	ROOM 08 - Apply INT-FC-1 Intumescent Paint	1.5		Incl
	1st Floor	0.5	201	1
b)	ROOM 101, 102, 103, 104, 109 - Apply INT-FC-1 Intumescent Paint			incl
8.	D7 INSULATION			
a)	Furnish and install R-2 insulation as per plans and specs			incl
9.	QE DOORS, FRAMER & HARDWARE			]
<b>a</b> )	Furnish and install Solid Core Wood Doors & Frames as per plans			incl
٠,	and specs Furnish and install and/or adjust and repair existing hardware as per			
b)	blane and specs			Incl
c)	Furnish safety film on doors with glazing if not tempered glass			ind
10.	OP ADDUSTICAL DEILINGS			
10.	Furnish and install Vinyl Surfaced Gypsum Board White Celling Tile			
a)	as per plan and specs			lno)
b)	Furnish and install Fissured Accoustical White Ceiling Tile as per plan		ł	Incl
-,	and specs		İ	1
11.	D9 PAINTING			
a)	Paint ceiling in Vault Room with White Epoxy Paint		1	incl
b)	Paint walls and ceilings as per plans and specs			Incl
c)	Paint doors and frames			ind
d)	Paint beseboard			Incl
12.	C9 QUARRY TILE			1
a)	Furnish and Install 8x8 Quarry Tile and 6" Base with Epoxy Grout as			Incl
e)	per plans and specs			
13.	Q9 TILING			
a)	Furnish and inetalli ceramic tile at 103 Order Area, 104 Service Bar			Incl
-,	and 110 Hall walls as per plans and specs Furnish and install ceramic floor tile, Soft Greige, and 4" tile base, thin			
b)	set with epoxy grout as per plans and specs			inci
<b>c</b> )	Furnish and Install 8x8 non-slip concrete floor tile, thin set encaustic		1	Incl
-,	cement tile as per plans and specs Furnish and install ceramic tile and 4" base at 112 Men's Urinal and			
d)	105 Univex Tollet as per plans and specs			(nci
14.	Q9 WOOD FLOORING			l
	Install previously removed portion of wood flooring as per plans and		1	Inci
<b>a</b> )	specs			1
b)	Sand and refinish all existing wood floors			incl
c)	Furnish and install wood base and boxed wood base as per plans and specs			Enci
15.	10 TOILET ADDERBORED			
8)	Furnish and Install mirrors, urinal screens, 18" Grab Bars, 36" Grab	2 E		Incl
<del>-</del> ,	Bars, 42" Grab Bars and Tollet Tissue Dispensers	_		
16.	15 PLUMBING			
a)	Plumbing demo as required			incl
b)	Furnish and install Grease Interceptor, cleanout, floor drain, and plumbing flutures as per plans and spece			Incl
c)	Domestic Water Ploing			Incl
d)	Sanitary Waste & Vent Piping			Incl
a)	4" Grease Line up to new Greasy Sanitary above		*secret	incl

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ŋ	Sawcut, trenching, backfilling and concrete patchback as required				Incl
9)	Provide required Plumbing rough-in and hook-up for Food Service Equipment as per plans and specs				Incl
17.	15 HYAD				
a)	HVAC demo as required				Ind
b)	Furnish and Install Design/Build HVAC System		1		Incl
c)	Furnish and install new duct work, registers, diffusers, grilles as required				thol
d)	Furnish and install Kitchen Hood and Ansul System		- 1		Incl
9)	Provide required HVAC rough-in and hook-up for Food Service Equipment as per plans and specs				Incl
18.	16 ELECTRICAL				
a)	Electrical damo as required				Encl
b)	Furnish and install Design/Build Electrical System		l		fnci
c)	Provide a Single Line Drawing and a Panel Load Diagram/Schedule for all power & lighting				inci
<b>d</b> }	Furnish and Install new Electrici Disconnect				Incl
e)	Furnish and Install Light Fixture Package as per plans and specs				Ind
ŋ	install only Decorative Light Fixtures provided by Owner				Incl
g)	Provide temporary power as needed		1		inci
h)	Provide required electrical power and hook-up for Food Service Equipment as per plans and specs				Incl



21 May 2015

Mr. Steve Moreau 116 N. Charlotte Lombard, IL

RE: Architectural Services for restaurant build-out modification to structure located 101 W. St. Charles Ave., Lombard, Illinois.

Dear Steve;

Per our conversation at the Job site of 101 W. St. Charles Ave., Lombard on 20 May, I send this proposal for Architectural services for your Project.

The existing Tenant Areas are not occupied. You have a generalized concept of what your initial thoughts are for the Build-out improvements of your restaurant in a two-phased concept where this part of the Project only involves the first phase (approximately 1081 net sq. ft. dining/service area and 304 sq. ft. new kitchen). The Scope of Project anticipates modification to adjacent non-occupied tenant space to the contiguous south for a new commercial kitchen. You do not have "existing building plans".

Please ask your landlord for a copy of the Survey of the Property, I will need a copy for my use when authoring drawings for building permits. It is important that such Survey show existing topography and underground utilities (technically it should be current within the last three years).

At the site, you described what you felt may be necessary modification to the building, and anticipate further adjustments to said. It is your intent to keep modifications down to a minimum.

Based upon our meeting on 20 May, there are multiple jurisdictional approvals that will be required to obtain approvals from (Lombard, and DuPage Health Department). This will require our assisting you in various meetings with said jurisdictions before final technical drawings are completed. I propose the architectural services to be provided in two Phases as follows:

#### ARCHITECTURAL PHASE 1, Preliminaries and Design Development:

- A) **Site Analysis:** Measuring the existing building as necessary for my architectural services. Code review as necessary for proposed modifications which will include energy code, plumbing code, ADA code, mechanical, and electrical modifications as inclusive to the architectural scope.
- B) **Site and Building Layout:** Refining site parameters (if applicable) to graphically arrive at proposed site plan modifications (ADA entrance modifications may be an issue), utility and building service needs, fire separation requirements to contiguous tenants, etc.). With the intended use as a restaurant, you will need to provide detailed information regarding kitchen equipment needs of your restaurant. I will need specification data for my accompaniment with you to meetings with the Health Department, and you should have a basic concept Menu readied for such DuPage Health Department meetings. You will pay for all "preliminary meeting fees" that may be required (such is not in our proposal of architectural services).
- C) **Preliminary Drawings:** From our pending design development meetings (using the as-built) drawings of the structure that we will develop from field measurements) we will prepare a series of Preliminary Drawings, which sole purpose will be to more concisely present what the intended use for the property is. These **will not** be sufficient as the "technical drawings" necessary to submit for jurisdictional approvals, they are intended to only refine in general terms the basic specific nature of interior floor plan modifications. We will complete Preliminary architectural drawings as defined below,
  - Preliminary Site Plan
  - Preliminary floor plan(s)

- Preliminary Building Section(s) if necessary
- · Preliminary Elevations if necessary

#### PHASE 2, Technical Drawing Process:

Upon your approval of the Design Development Drawings, and receipt of Village and DuPage "general acceptance", and are accepted by your Landlord, we will complete architectural drawings as defined below, to result in Construction Drawings for final subcontractor estimating and application for permits.

- A) **Technical Design and Construction Drawings:** We will complete architectural drawings as defined below, to result in Construction Drawings for final contractor estimating and application for building permits.
  - Cover Sheet with Code Data and site plan information
  - Interior Demolition Plan (if applicable)
  - Floor plan(s)
  - Exterior Elevations
  - · Room and door schedule
  - sections/ and related details
  - Plumbing Plan (and related schematic drawings)
  - Heating schematic information
  - Electrical plan
  - Fire alarm/(suppression schematic if applicable) (see note below)
  - ComCheck energy code report

Please note that our fire suppression Schematic (if necessary for your project), is only a simple fire suppression criteria drawing (schematic in nature) for purpose of initially assisting licensed subcontractors in the general Scope of their Work and that such is not a complete fire alarm/suppression document. Thus, the Fire alarm/suppression schematic drawings will not be acceptable to the local Fire Prevention Bureau for final fire permits. Your Project will still require the actual Fire Alarm/Suppression Sub-contractor to make his own shop drawings and calculations, which they will have to submit during the building permitting process.

When the construction drawings are completed and are approved by you, I will provide you with "sealed" construction drawings for your use in obtaining a building permit. I will be available to assist in the application of permits; however, all applications and fees are not included in the cost of architectural services. Permit Application will require you to have the Landlord sign the Permit Application, which will be your responsibility to secure.

Explicitly **Not\_Included** in Scope of Architectural Services are: Cost Estimates, Surveys, Civil Engineering (if applicable), Permit Fees, bidding/ negotiations for construction, review of contractor pay requests, etc.. Permit and application fees are not part of Architectural Services. Also explicitly <u>not\_included</u> are extensive construction observation services,

I offer to provide the above Architectural Services based upon a Lump Sum fee (as defined further) plus reimbursable expenses. A retainer of \$2,000.00 (two thousand dollars) is necessary to begin our services which will go toward our fees below; however, full payment is due and payable upon completion of each respective Phase.

- Phase 1; Design Development.....Lump Sum fee \$2,500.00 plus reimbursable expenses,
- Phase 2; Technical Drawings ......Lump Sum fee \$4,500.00 plus reimbursable expenses

Reimbursable expenses (copies of drawings, consultant fees, etc.,) are unable to be predicted, however, from similar projects in the past, you should be prepared to spend near \$500.00 for prints by the time drawings are complete, and near \$1,000.00 should a Civil Engineer be necessary (if required by the Village).

If the Building Department requires modifications to the Permit Drawings, said drawing modifications will be provided as part of the above cost (you will be responsible for reimbursable print costs during such Technical Document resubmissions). However, if after the construction drawings are completed; modifications to the drawings not part of the Village permit review process at start of submissions to them that are Owner based Revisions transcribed into the construction documents, shall be made at an hourly basis. Current hourly rates are \$159.00 per hour for Principal time and \$68.00 per hour for Technical (drafting) rate depending upon services needed, and shall occur only upon prior estimate of cost for additional service, and only upon written pre-approval by you.

Drawings are instruments of service, and as Architect, I retain all Copyrights of instruments of service. No CAD files will be made available. An archive PDF copy of our permit drawings will be given to you at time the sealed drawings

are given to you, however, said shall not be distributed to any other Party without my express written approval. Terms and conditions are incorporated by reference to the A.I.A. Owner/Architect contract for Projects of limited scope.

We will schedule a start of field measuring upon receipt of a signed copy of this Letter Form Proposal/Agreement and retainer, and upon receipt of drawings and Survey identified above.

If you have any questions please advise. Again, thank you for this opportunity.

Sincerely,

Dean M. Pozarzycki, R.A. Cel (630) 532-2399 (630) 960-1443

The above is agreed to:	
Mr. Steve Moreau, Tenant	Date



**Business Plan, November 2015** 

Steve & Dana Moreau, TOPAZ RG, LC

#### **Executive Summary**

Topaz Restaurant Group, LLC is a business that repurposes historic properties into restaurant destinations that become sources of community pride. The company is a multi-member LLC with equal ownership between us, Steve and Dana Moreau, long-time Lombard residents (18 years) with deep community connections.

**Vision:** Our company vision is to lease and/or buy historic properties and develop them into establishments that become a popular destination for a Village or community. Doing Business As (DBA) Babcock's Grove House, we will begin as a single unit of operation to accommodate 47 guests inside with addition seating for 40 outdoors.

Mission: Our mission is to provide value by offering fresh quality ingredients served by a welcoming team in a relaxed and fun atmosphere. We expect to use our location to celebrate our Lombard history and heritage by investing and developing a new restaurant concept that will revitalize the downtown commercial area and bring families and residents to the area.

Location: This business plan will outline key implementation activities to launch Babcock's of Lombard, a local eat and drinkery serving a creative take on midwestern comfort foods. The first floor of a 150+ year old building, formerly home to the Babcock's Grove House/Lombard Hotel, located at 101 West St. Charles Street in Lombard, is 1,800 square feet in size, will be developed into the restaurant, with projected open date in Q1 2016.

The proposed Babcock's of Lombard is in a prime, highly visible location, with sufficient downtown parking. It is anticipated that both daily drive-by and foot traffic in excess of 14,000 people will help drive awareness and interest in the restaurant. In addition, there are over 100,000 residents within a 10-mile radius with medium incomes of \$86,000.

**Experience:** Steve has spent his entire career in the restaurant and retail foodservice industries and has successfully launched multiple new concepts and opened restaurants all over the world. Dana has held several senior executive roles with startups and Fortune 500s, with deep expertise in marketing and communications.

Service & Décor: The sit-down, quick casual restaurant will provide a transitional interior that ties together the past and the present. The concept will be a fresh take on the original Inn and will incorporate cool and quirky elements of our Village's past into the menu, design and our service. The architect will include natural wood; tile and lighting will create an eating environment that is fun and exciting.

Food: Babcock's of Lombard will appeal to patrons because of its wholesome ingredients and thoughtful preparation, with ingredients sourced locally, including herbs and vegetables grown in our garden. Core items include fresh (not frozen) juicy burgers, fresh salads, roast chicken and Babcock's original specialties. Beverage offering will include craft beer, wine and rotating soda options. Babcock's will seek a full-bar liquor license and projects per customer spent at \$12.

**Projections:** The business plan projects that six employees will be hired to staff the restaurant that includes a full-time restaurant and kitchen manager. Year one sales revenue is expected to exceed \$375,000 and grow 16% by year 3 to reach \$438,000.

This redevelopment project will require an investment of approximately \$300,000, with owners Steve and Dana Moreau assuming the majority of this investment risk. Monthly cash flow projections suggest

break-even will occur in the first full month of operation and profit at the end of first full operating quarter. The owners are assuming the majority of the risk for this venture and expect to self-finance the redevelopment of the property and restaurant kitchen to launch the new concept. We are requesting assistance from the Village of Lombard in the amount of \$100K with proceeds that will be used to hard and soft redevelopment costs outlined later in this document (exact request will come with grant application once all bids are secured). This will demonstrate support from the Village to help the business owner improve the building, build a kitchen from scratch and create a destination to attract residents to the downtown location.

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#### 1.0 Welcome to Babcock's of Lombard

Babcock's of Lombard is a local eat and drinkery serving a creative take on Midwestern comfort foods. It is the first restaurant concept developed by Topaz Restaurant Group, LLC owned by long-time Lombard residents, Steve and Dana Moreau. Babcock's of Lombard will begin as a single unit of operation located on the first floor of 101 W. St. Charles St, Lombard, IL in the old Lombard Hotel. It will host approximately 47 guests inside with seating for an additional 40 outdoors.

The property is being leased for 3 years with an option for an additional five years and will be renovated to accommodate a restaurant location. We anticipate using both private funding and village TIF funds.

#### 1.1 Vision and Mission

Babcock's Mission

- To provide real value through thoughtful selection and preparation of fresh, quality ingredients delivered by a welcoming team in a relaxed and fun atmosphere
- 2. To celebrate our Lombard history and heritage and further revitalize our historic downtown thereby enhancing our "Lilac Pride"

#### Babcock's Vision

- 1. To become a popular destination restaurant that Lombardians will associate with positive memories of home, no matter where their lives take them.
- 2. To become the restaurant equivalent of the scent of lilacs, a true taste of Lombard

#### 1.2 About the Owners – More than three decades of restaurant experience

Steve and Dana Moreau and their two sons have lived in Lombard for more than 17 years. They've coached park district soccer, headed the PTA and many activities and served on Village Committees. Dana is a former Trustee who served on the strategic downtown plan working committee. In addition, they also possess more practical experience.

#### Steve Moreau (GM)

Steve has spent his entire career in the restaurant and retail foodservice industry. He has worn every hat in the business from early days as a dishwasher, to General Manager, to Senior Vice President of Operations for an international food brand. He has helped start new concepts and opened restaurants all over the world. He holds a BS in Restaurant Management from University of IL, Champaign-Urbana.

#### Dana Moreau (Marketing, Guest Experience)

Dana Moreau worked her way through high school and college in a variety of restaurant and bar positions. After receiving her undergraduate degree, she started a marketing career specializing in branding, digital marketing and digital solutions that span two decades. Dana has held several senior executive roles working with diverse companies from start-ups to Fortune 500s. She holds a BA in Communications from UW, Madison and an MS in Communications from Northwestern University.

#### 1.3 Menu Overview

#### Wholesome Ingredients, Thoughtful Preparation

Babcock's will specialize in quality, not quantity resulting in a menu with just the right amount of options. When possible, we will source our ingredients locally, including a few herbs and vegetables grown in our garden. We aim for fresh, wholesome and homemade versus pre-prepared and frozen. Our beef will be 100% vegetarian fed Angus. Our chicken will be hormone and antibiotic free. Our salad greens will be organic. Beers will be sourced locally. If we wouldn't feed it to our own family, we won't be serving it to our guests.

Beverage offerings will include craft beer, wine and soda that will rotate regularly by season to maintain an on-trend stance. Babcock's seeks a full bar liquor license so we can maintain flexibility for special occasions and limited time offers.

Core items will include juicy burgers, fresh salads, roast chicken as well as a few Babcock's original specialties, seasonal offerings and a host of traditional and non-traditional sides. Vegetarians and vegans will find a number of options. For competitive reasons, we choose not disclose specifics of our full menu until closer to opening.

Food will be offered, "to stay" or as "take-away". Food will represent approximately 80% of sales with beverages including wine and beer making up the rest. We have no plans to sell ancillary items, just food and drink.

#### 2.0 Our Lombard Location - 101 W. Saint Charles St.

Babcock's of Lombard is located at the busy intersection of W. Saint Charles St. and Park Ave. It will occupy the first floor of the historic Lombard Hotel in the old Café 101 space. Its kitchen will be built out in the back half of the former Slick and BJs locations. The space maintains it's historic tin ceilings and large windows with views of the downtown. The basement has also been rented out for additional storage and potential future expansion.

#### 2.1 Competitive Advantages

Babcock's claims numerous competitive advantages that will help attract and maintain a steady customer base.

#### Location

- Highly visible location at Main and W. St. Charles
- Desirable outdoor seating for up to 40 that is shaded afternoon through evening
- Convenient train station access (and viewable from passing commuter trains)
- Storied historical building that evokes nostalgia and curiosity

#### **Local Owners with Extensive Experience**

- Owners have more than three decades of restaurant and marketing experience
- Owners live in Lombard and are well connected
- Long time Lombardian owners have a good feel for the village and are uniquely qualified to provide the right concept for our neighbors (built in focus groups!)

# **Family Friendly Concept**

Downtown Lombard has a variety of good restaurants with more opening soon.
 However, many are more tavern than grill. Babcock's, while not child specific, is family centered. Food is at the forefront. Beer and wine are also available. Our goal is to keep pricing affordable for all.

#### **Food & Service Emphasis**

- Babcock's will focus on quality versus quantity of options. Food will be made fresh
  and onsite. The menu will change with the seasons to ensure optimal flavor local
  sourcing
- The customer experience will be paramount. We strive to be both efficient and welcoming to all our guests. We will keep our posted hours and go above and beyond to ensure repeat customers.

#### **2.2** SWOT

Strengths	Weaknesses
Location	Limited Interior Seating
<ul> <li>Food &amp; Beverage Quality</li> </ul>	Current Consumer Behaviors
Unique Menu Offerings	<ul> <li>Limited Parking (Car and Bike)</li> </ul>
Experienced Management	Limited Downtown Foot Traffic
Extensive Outdoor Seating	Limited Number of Downtown Businesses
<ul> <li>Historical Interest &amp; Atmosphere</li> </ul>	(not a destination location, yet)
<ul> <li>Large Local Friend &amp; Neighbor Support</li> </ul>	
Growing Social Media Presence	
Family Friendly Atmosphere	
<u>Opportunities</u>	<u>Threats</u>
New Niche Concept	<ul> <li>Increased Competition (although initially</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Underserved Neighborhood</li> </ul>	we believe this will be a positive)
High Commuter Traffic	Rising Ingredient Costs
Special Events	Rising Labor Costs
Partnerships with other Local Businesses	<ul> <li>Bad weather (high season is too hot, cold,</li> </ul>
and Community Groups	rainy, etc.)
Additional in-building space to grow	Reliable Help
Potential Ballroom Catering	Capitalization

#### 2.3 The Market

The downtown Lombard market is enjoying a resurgence of interest from new foodservice operators. Despite new and existing establishments, Lombardians remain underserved.

In the 2009 Strategic Plan conducted by Houseal Lavigne Associates, resident focus groups were conducted to obtain opinions and ideas for downtown development. The majority of residents and businesses expressed a desire for a larger mix of uses. Residents stated that the Downtown needed more shopping, dining and entertainment and specifically expressed the need for the following:

- Brew pub/tavern, Theatre and family restaurant were identified as the most underrepresented uses
- Residents suggested more outdoor dining and drinking establishments

Given the recent recession, little in the downtown has changed since this study.

Babcock's will target local Lombardians first and foremost. Our market is a mix of families, empty nesters, seniors and pre-teens/teenagers that are looking for a snack after school or during the summer. This market accounts for more than 50% of the households in Lombard (+10,000)

Glen Ellyn will be the second town targeted, as it is close by and one of the two original towns that comprised Babcock's Grove. While Glen Ellyn has its own host of great downtown restaurants, residents are always looking to try something new, especially concepts that cater to families. Many frequent Praga and are anxious to see another attractive concept emerge in Lombard. Villa Park, Addison and Wheaton will quickly follow.

Subgroups targeted primarily for lunch will include local municipal and school professionals and local businesses within a five-mile radius.

Importantly, Babcock's is not targeting a specific "class" of people, meaning we are not distinguishing blue collar, white collar, etc. It is geared towards anyone who wants great food, a cool atmosphere and a welcoming dining experience. The price point will make it accessible to all.

We plan for very little paid marketing and will rely on location visibility not only from the street but from the Metra to help generate additional awareness of Babcock's outside Lombard, especially for those communities further west on the West line.

#### Additional market facts

- IDOT reports that over 14,400 vehicles cross the intersection of St. Charles Road and Park Avenue each day
- There are 100+ condominiums within one-quarter mile of the space.
- Over 100,000 people reside within a ten mile radius of the locations
- 2.4 Specific Lombard Demographics Lombard Demographics follow.

General Demographics	
Total Population	43,492
Male	20,969
Female	22,523
Hispanic (of any race)	2,987; 6.8%
Not Hispanic	40,516; 93.2%
2040 Estimated Population *	58,883
Median Age	40.5
Total Households	17,971
Average Household Stze	2.39
Households with one or more people under 18 years	4,830; 26.9%
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	4,584; 25.5%
Median Household Income	\$68,873
Median Family Income	\$86,739
Per Capita Income	\$33,738
Total Housing Units	19,033
Occupied	17,971; 94.4%
Vacant	1,062; 5.6%
Owner Occupied	13,032; 72.5%
Renter Occupied	4,939; 27.5%
Median Home Value	\$241,700
High School graduate (includes equivalency)	6,594; 21.5%
Some College, no degree	6,999; 22.8%
Associate's Degree	2,448; 8.0%
Bechelor's Degree	8,352; 27.2%
Graduate or Professional Degree	4,350; 14.2%
Percent high school degree or higher	93.7%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	41 .496

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 American Community Survey, 5-yr estimates. All educational attainment data is for the population 25 and older.

# 2.5 Competitive Landscape Yorktown Centre

Though it is the center of town, the area from Main Street to Elizabeth and from Grove to Maple has a very limited selection of restaurant choices for a community the size of Lombard. The strongest restaurant presence in Lombard can be found at Yorktown Center and its periphery. Many top-tier chains have operations in this area. Almost every style of dining is represented from fast food-focused food courts to fine dining at the Capital Grille. However, this is a fifteen minute drive for much of the downtown area and not always convenient.

#### Roosevelt Rd. Corridor

The next closest options are on Roosevelt Road, still an eight-minute drive from the intersection of St. Charles Road and Park Avenue. These competitors are not as numerous but are very family focused and therefore, are a larger threat. Concepts include Buffalo

<sup>\*</sup> Source: Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning

WildWings (Wings and beer), Casa Real (Mexican) and Roundheads (Pizza), Buona Beef (burgers and sandwiches).

#### **North Avenue Corridor**

There is an extreme lack of restaurants other than fast food in this area. The one exception is Bauer House, which features some similar food items but is a completely different vibe than Babcock's.

#### **Downtown Lombard**

There are a number of existing competitors in downtown Lombard but there is still room for more. Additional activity in the downtown will give it a more vibrant feel and attract more residents and those from neighboring communities and will ideally, increase business for all. While not exhaustive, current and future downtown Lombard dining establishments include the following:

#### **Family Diners**

Main Street Café

#### **Deli/Sandwiches**

- Shannon's
- Bricks

#### Ethnic

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#### **Bakeries/Coffee Houses**

- Balkan Bakery
- Corner House

#### Pizza

Bricks

#### **Fine Dining**

• Praga

#### Bar/Bar & Grill/Cocktails

- Bonton
- Punky's
- O'Neils
- Vino Cellar
- Marquette
- Former Capones locations (Sports Bar?)

# 2.6 Pricing

Babcock's pricing will be competitive and provide a good value for the money. We want families to be able to enjoy a nice meal without breaking the bank. Sandwich, salad and specials pricing will range from \$5 - \$14 depending on ingredients. Sides will range from \$2 - \$5. Beverages (alcoholic and non) will range from \$2 - \$10. Anticipated average check amount is \$12/guest.

#### 3.0 Running the Business

#### 3.1 Employees

Staffing will be lean in the early days. Steve will oversee overall operations and front of the house and another full time will oversee the kitchen. The remaining staff will be part-time. As business grows additional staff will be added as needed.

#### **2016 Staffing Requirements**

Manager: 1 FTE

Kitchen Manager: 1 FTE Cooks/Dishwashers: 2 PT Front of the House: 2 PT

# 3.2 Systems

Systems will manage cash flow, inventory, POS, ordering, payroll and taxes.

The use of systems will be critical to achieving and maintaining positive cash flow. Each aspect of our operation will be managed through the daily use of basic restaurant systems and the adjustment of those systems based on a combination of data analysis and subjective evaluation of trends. Examples of the systems include:

Daily	Weekly	Monthly
Production forecast	Sales forecast	Inventory
Labor forecast	Order guides	Income statement
Cash reconciliation	Team scheduling	GL reconciliation
Sales analysis	Labor / Payroll analysis	
Menu mix	AR/AP reconciliation	

#### 3.3 Facility

Babcock's of Lombard will be a 47-seat indoor/ 40 seat outdoor quick casual restaurant with a transitional interior that ties together the past and the present. The atmosphere will be a fresh take on what the original Inn may have become had it remained a hospitality location and evolved into a restaurant today. We will incorporate cool and quirky elements of our village's past into the menu, design and possibly even our service. We are working with a local interior designer on final finishes.

Table seating will be available indoors with ample patio seating available when weather permits. Natural wood, tile and strategic lighting will create an environment that is both fun and relaxing.

The facility will have two restrooms, one ADA compliant. The old vault will house the walk-in cooler and dry storage. The kitchen will have ventilation and grease traps installed along with standard equipment. We will maintain the kitchen door and window, quite unique to a restaurant kitchen, to allow for natural light to increase employee satisfaction with their environment.

#### 3.4 Hours of Service

Babcock's will serve lunch and dinner six days per week May through August and five days per week the balance of the year.

Anticipated May – August days/hours:

Tues – Sat: 11AM - 10PM Sunday: 12PM - 8PM

Anticipated Sept – April days/hours: Tues – Thurs: 11AM - 9PM Friday & Saturday: 11AM – 10PM

#### 3.5 Service Style

Service quality is an integral part of each customer's value equation. Babcock's will offer a hybrid service model to accommodate time of day and schedules. The interior will feature a walk up counter where guests will make their selections and place orders. Initial drink orders will be given to each guest at the counter along with a large order number.

Food will be delivered to the guest's tables using the number system. This will allow for efficient servicing of lunch patrons, many of who will have a limited timeframe given work/child obligations.

Unlike traditional quick casual, service will continue with staff visiting tables to refresh drinks and offer desserts, additional beverages, etc. which can be paid for at, and delivered to, the tables. This will allow diners to linger with friends into the evening hours as they enjoy food and beverages. We believe this model of service will allow us to maintain competitive pricing while providing the friendly welcoming approach that is core to our business model. It also is "lunch" friendly as many of those visiting downtown during the noon hour are teachers, medical workers, etc. with limited lunch timeframes that cannot always accommodate full-service sit down.

#### 4.0 Marketing and Promotions

Initial efforts will capitalize on local word of mouth. As of this week, we already have 515+ Facebook "likes" and a 3.9 star review despite being nowhere near close to opening. Response from the community has been overwhelming and humbling and we plan to do our best t make the town proud. Along with word of mouth, we plan to the following:

#### PR

 Babcock's will work with local media to promote the restaurant opening, new menu items, special events, promotions and partnerships.

#### **Social Media**

 Social Media will be ongoing and will primarily be used to communicate new menu items, new flavors and monthly promotions and/or events. We will also use these channels to maintain a dialogue with our customers – to get ongoing feedback to be sure we stay on the right track.

#### **Community & Special Events**

Babcock's will actively participate in special events like cruise nights, sports viewing parties,
 Spooktacular, etc. We also plan to host a few Babcock's special events with distribution partners throughout the year.

# **Paid Advertising**

Local will be very limited

#### 5.0 Possible Risks

Risk is inherent to the restaurant industry and Babcock's of Lombard will not be immune to it. However, our experience and preparation will mitigate them. Among them are the possibilities of a slip and fall resulting in injury on the premises or an incidence of food borne illness. Either event could not only be a tragedy for the person or people directly involved but would also be costly for the business and have a negative effect on the business's reputation. Additionally, a failure to identify the correct pricing structure or menu selections could result in declining sales. Unseasonably wet or cold weather during the summer months would result in lost sales that could not be recovered. Disruptions to our supply chain or an ingredient recall could be damaging to sales and reputation. Growing competition could dilute the market or be more appealing to the limited pool of customers in the downtown area. Finally, if we do not meet or exceed our customer's expectations, the business will not thrive.

#### 6.0 Financials

By maintaining a lower price-point we will need a higher guest flow to meet our revenue projections. Our expectation is to break even in the first full month of operations and to begin showing profit by the end of our first full operating quarter. Since our guest flow is so heavily impacted by our outdoor seating, fiscal 2016 will show our strongest sales spread over the second and third quarters.

We project a per person average of approximately \$12.00 and an average guest flow of 115 per day. At this volume we will reach annual net sales of \$345,000 in our first year.

See Appendix 1.0 (Income Statement Forecast)

#### 7.0 Timeline

Preliminary Plans/Estimates
Final Plans and Bids
Start Construction
Acquire Furnishings
Renovations Completed
Obtain Inventory
Staff Training
Grand Opening

August
November
Nov/December
October-December
February
February/March
February/March

# 8.0 Future Plans

If successful, we have plans for one to two additional concepts (also rooted in historical themes) for the basement as well as the front half of the old Slick and BJs location. We believe both will be attractive to Lombard patrons and those beyond our lilac borders.



Lombard Town Centre is extending their support for the forgivable loan for a new establishment at 101 W. St. Charles Rd. Babcock's Grove House has been planning to open a restaurant for many months. Although our design committee does not review plans for aesthetics for interiors, we are excited about this potential new restaurant.

Steve and Dana Moreau have shared their business concept and design with LTC and we are impressed with their knowledge and commitment to the downtown and their business. They have spent many months in planning and ways to create a destination restaurant while being respectful to the historic location and budget.

We are pleased to be able to support their funding request and welcome future grant application for improvements to the exterior of the property as well.

Sincerely,

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**Executive Director**