

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION
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TO : PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: David A. Hulseberg, Village Manager *dah*

DATE : September 28, 2010 **B of T** October 7, 2010

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD AS A
"START THE HEART COMMUNITY"

SUBMITTED BY: William R. Balling, Interim Fire Chief *WRB*

BACKGROUND/POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source: N/A

Review (as necessary):

Finance Director _____ Date _____
Village Manager *dahulseberg* _____ Date 9/29/10

NOTE: All materials must be submitted to and approved by the Village Manager's Office by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, prior to the Agenda distribution.



TO: David A. Hulseberg, Village Manager

FROM: William R. Balling, Interim Fire Chief WRB

DATE: September 28, 2010

RE: RESOLUTION

Please place on the Village of Lombard Board of Trustees' October 7, 2010 Agenda, the attached Resolution recognizing the Village of Lombard as a "Start the Heart Community".

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Attachment



This user guide provides an introduction to the Start The Heart toolkit, describes the materials provided for you in the toolkit and answers questions about how to use these materials effectively.

What does the Start the Heart Program involve and does my community need one?

SCA is one of the leading causes of death in the U.S., claiming the lives of over 300,000 people every year. CPR and the use of an AED can raise the survival rate for SCA up to 90%.

Start the heart is a unique program created and coordinated by the DuPage County Health Department. Start The Heart is unique because it combines many elements of proven life saving techniques into one program so that the community is prepared to save victims of SCA. Start the Heart educates community members on the steps of the “chain of survival” and gives municipalities the tools to implement this lifesaving program.

FAQ
FREQUENTLY
ASKED
QUESTIONS

What is Start The Heart?

Start the Heart is a comprehensive program that strives to save more lives from sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) by training and certifying more residents of DuPage County in CPR, increasing the number of AEDs in DuPage County, and increasing the number of lives saved from SCA.

You have brought us one step closer to reaching this goal by committing to implement the Start The Heart program in your community!

BE SOMEBODY'S HERO



RESOLUTION

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RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD AS

A "START THE HEART COMMUNITY"

WHEREAS, sudden cardiac arrest is a leading cause of death in the United States and in DuPage County and is a major public safety issue; and

WHEREAS, sudden cardiac arrest takes the lives of more than 325,000 people in the United States each year and has a mortality rate of nearly 95 percent; and

WHEREAS, anyone can experience sudden cardiac arrest, including infants, high school athletes, and people in their 30s or 40s who have no sign of heart disease; and

WHEREAS, the use of lifesaving treatments such as Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and automated external defibrillators (AED) for sudden cardiac arrest are effective if administered in time; and

WHEREAS, automated external defibrillators can increase the survival rate for sudden cardiac arrest up to 90 percent by delivering a life-saving shock within the first few minutes of an attack; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Lombard continues to proactively address issues of public safety; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Lombard is partnering with the DuPage County Health Department through the "Start The Heart Program" in order to recognize comprehensive efforts by offering to coordinate successful CPR training through Start the Heart, and public access to defibrillation campaign; therefore

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGEOFLOMBARD, DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: That the Village President be and hereby is authorized to sign on behalf of the Village of Lombard said Resolution as attached hereto.

SECTION 2: That the Village Clerk be and hereby is authorized to attest said Resolution as attached hereto.

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2010.

Ayes: _____

Nays: _____

Absent: _____

Approved this ____ day of _____, 2010.

William J. Mueller

Village President

ATTEST:

Brigitte O'Brien

Village Clerk

APPROVAL AS TO FORM:

Thomas P. Bayer

Village Attorney