



**Report to ECDC  
September 3, 2014  
Prepared by Sarah Richardt, Lombard Town Centre Executive Director**

### **Summary of Activities August 2014**

#### **New Businesses**

- Slow month of August
  - New renter at 9 S. Park (next to Shannon's) has been a no-show for a month

#### **Business Retention**

Deer Fina closed at the end of August.

#### **Business Recruitment**

- Multiple people looking to open business in the downtown
  - Bakery
  - Bead store
  - Pasta restaurant
  - Commercial baker
- Old hotel
  - A few interested people have looked seriously at the old hotel but have walked away due to rehab costs.

#### **Membership and Fundraising**

Membership last year brought in From Jan 1 – December 31	\$2388
Membership this year Jan 1 to Aug 31, 2014	\$4223

- Working on how better to fundraise at our proposed outdoor viewing parties.
  - September 14 Bears/49ers game
  - November 9 Bears Packers with bags tournament
- \$775 brought in for Spooktacular booth sales
- \$1500 in sponsorships for Spooktacular
- \$4500 in in-kind sponsorships

- Spooktacular will charge \$1/child for all activities (we had 3000-4000 attendees last year)

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Respectfully Submitted,

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