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LILAC PARADE SPECIAL HONORED GUEST

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Village of Lombard and its residents take great pride in their community, the Lilac Festival and the Lilac Parade; and

WHEREAS, the annual parade takes place every year on the third Sunday in May; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to thank everyone for their hours of dedication and hard work in making Lombard a great place to live, work and play; and

WHEREAS, this year the Lilac Parade will be presenting a "Special Honored Guest" in honor of his retirement and for his 23 years of continued service and dedication to our great Lombard community;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William J. Mueller, President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby recognize Bill Lichter as the 2008 Lilac Parade Special Honored Guest for his hard work and dedication in making life better for the residents of our community. he gives to benefit others in the Village of Lombard.

William J. Mueller
Village President

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LILAC PARADE GRAND MARSHALL**

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WHEREAS, the annual parade takes place every year on the third Sunday in May; and

WHEREAS, the Lilac parade is the culmination of two weeks of activities centered around Lombard's lilac heritage and all the events included in the celebration; and

WHEREAS, the Lilac Festival and Lilac Parade are known throughout the area and each year thousands flock to our community to enjoy Lilia Park, the Festival and the Parade; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to thank all the volunteers who donate countless hours of their time to make a positive impact for our community; and

WHEREAS, every year the Lilac Parade Committee selects a Grand Marshall who exemplifies true community spirit and dedicated volunteerism;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William J. Mueller, President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby recognize Rob Hatfield as the 2008 Lilac Parade Grand Marshall for his dedication to the community and for the time, talent and service he gives to benefit others in the Village of Lombard.

William J. Mueller
Village President