

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD  
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION  
For Inclusion on Board Agenda

  X   Resolution or Ordinance (Blue)   X   *Waiver of First Requested*  
       Recommendations of Boards, Commissions & Committees (Green)  
       Other Business (Pink)

TO: PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: Scott Niehaus, Village Manager

DATE: June 10, 2015 (B of T) Date: June 18, 2015

TITLE: Amending the Alcoholic Liquor Code  
La France Café and Crepes – 708-710 S. Main St.

SUBMITTED BY: Keith T. Giagnorio  
Local Liquor Control Commissioner  
Village President

BACKGROUND/POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Le Crowe Café Co. d/b/a La France Café and Crepes located at 708-710 S. Main St. is requesting a Class "C" liquor license.

Please find attached an Ordinance reflecting said increase.

The petitioner has requested that first reading be waived due to the Village Board's summer schedule.

Please place this item on the June 18, 2015 Board of Trustees agenda.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source:

Review (as necessary):  
Village Attorney X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Finance Director X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Village Manager X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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.



## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Village Board of Trustees

**FROM:** Keith Giagnorio  
Local Liquor Control Commissioner  
Village President

**DATE:** June 18, 2015

**SUBJECT: Request for a Liquor License – La France Café and Crepes  
708-710 S. Main Street**

The Village has received a request for a Class "C" liquor license from Le Crowe Café Co. d/b/a La France Café and Crepes located at 708-710 S. Main Street.

Le Crowe Café Co. d/b/a La France Café and Crepes bought the existing business in 2014 while located at 939 S. Main Street. They subsequently outgrew their space and relocated to the 708-710 S. Main St. address where they have been in operation ever since. Serving primarily French cuisine, (a copy of their menu is attached) La France Café and Crepes would like to serve beer and wine to complement their menu. Their current hours of operation are Tuesday-Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Tuesday-Saturday from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. They are closed on Monday.

Attached is an ordinance increasing the Class "C" liquor license category by one.

The petitioner has requested that first reading be waived due the Village Board's summer schedule.

Should you need additional information, please feel free to contact me.

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# La France Cafe & Crepes

## ABOUT LA FRANCE CAFE AND CRÊPES

*Located on Main St. in Lombard, La France has been serving crepes using the highest quality ingredients since 2009. Dubbed one of the best crêpe purveyors in Chicago by Chicago magazine in 2010 and one of the "Best Breakfasts in Chicago and the Suburbs" in 2011, La France Café & Crepes welcomes diners with a mellifluous menu of French flatcakes that sets tongues to tapping and moustaches to twirling. Chef and his culinary crew carefully construct each crêpe fresh to order, filling its belly with sweet or savory selections. To help you recall sweet dreams, choose warm apricots smothered in melted brie atop a sweet vanilla crêpe or nestle apples with cinnamon and caramel within a sweet crêpe blanket. Crêpe forestiers envelope chicken or beef, wild mushrooms, and gruyere cheese to deliver a savory meal and epistles from the front lines of the kitchen, while open-faced galettes expose the stomach-invading strategies of empire-driven eggs and various members of their hunger-trouncing team, such as ham, fresh tomatoes, and braised spinach. Halal beef and chicken, Gluten Free and Eggless Crepes are also available!*

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708 South Main Street Lombard, IL 60148 ~ 630-613-9511

## SWEET CRÊPES

*Crêpes Sucrées*

### CREPE BEURRE SUCREE

*Sugar butter crepe*  
\$5.00

### CANNELLE AU BEURRE

*Sugar butter and Cinnamon*  
\$5.50

### CITRONNEE

*Lemon Chantilly*  
\$7.95

### NUTELLA AUX FRAISES OU BANANE

*Nutella, Strawberries and/or Banana*  
\$9.00

### POMMES CAMELISEES

*Caramelized Apple, Caramel, Patisserie and  
Cinnamon*  
\$9.00

### PATISSIERE

*Apples, Strawberries and/or Banana, Sauce  
Patisserie*  
\$7.95

### MANGO

*Filled with Mango Mousse*  
\$9.00

### ABRICOT ET BRIE

*Baked Apricot and Brie*  
\$9.00

\*Add Creme Chantilly or Almonds \$.045

\*Add Vanilla Ice Cream \$1.00

## APPETIZERS

*Apéritifs*

### RASPBERRY BREAD

*French bread, swiss and homemade  
raspberry sauce*  
\$3.50

### PETITE SALADE LA FRANCE

*Small salad w/Vinaigrette*  
\$3.50

## SAVORY CRÊPES

*Savory Crêpes*

### GALETTE AUX OEUFS

*Crepe with scrambled eggs inside with your  
choice of ingredients: Ham, wild  
mushrooms, red onions, spinach, black olive,  
tomatoes, gruyere, swiss, goat or feta*  
\$13.95

### CROQUE MONSIEUR CROISSANT

*Ham or Chicken, caramelized red onions,  
fresh spinach, tomatoes and your choice of  
gruyere, swiss, goat or feta cheeses*  
\$13.95

### CROQUE MADAME CROISSANT

*Ham or Chicken, eggs any style, caramelized  
red onions, fresh spinach, tomatoes and your  
choice of gruyere, swiss, goat or feta cheeses*  
\$13.95

### CANARD ET CHAMPIGNONS

*Duck breast on a bed of sauteed mushrooms,  
on top of a Ratatouille Nicoise crepe  
(roasted eggplant, zucchini, roasted red  
pepper pesto, black olives, spinach) topped  
with optional toasted slivered almonds*  
\$17.95

### BOEUF ET A L'ABRICOT

*Braised beef cooked with apricot slices,  
saffron and spinach topped with optional  
toasted slivered almonds*  
\$16.95

### POULET AUX CAPRES

*Chicken breast, capers, red onions, tomatoes,  
fresh spinach, creme fraiche, topped with  
swiss cheese*  
\$13.95

### BOEUF FORESTIERE

*Braised beef with wild mushrooms, fresh  
spinach, creme fraiche, topped with swiss*  
\$13.95

### POULET ANDALOUS

*Chicken breast, roasted red pepper pesto  
sauce, black olives, fresh spinach, feta cheese*  
\$13.95

### CREPE DE SAUMON A L'ESTRAGON

*Fresh Salmon, tomatoes, red onions,  
tarragon, spinach, creme fraiche, topped  
with swiss cheese*  
\$14.95

*Gluten Free and Egg  
Free Crepes Available  
Upon Request!*

**COQUILLES OR  
CREVET SAINT JACK**

*Sauteed sea scallops and/or shrimp, spinach,  
tomatoes, roasted red pepper pesto and basil  
pesto, topped with goat cheese*  
\$15.95

**CREPE LOX AUX  
CAPRES**

*Cold smoked salmon with red onions, capres,  
tomatoes, spinach and creme fraiche  
rolled in a crepe*  
\$13.95

**RATATOUILLE  
NICOISE**

*Roasted eggplant, zucchini, roasted red  
peppers, black olives, spinach and gruyere,  
swiss, goat or feta cheese*  
\$13.95

**CURRY A L'INDIENNE**

*Chicken or Beef in mild curry with figs,  
apple, banana and choice of slivered  
almonds on top*  
\$13.95

*\*All Menu items available spicy upon request*

ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 11, CHAPTER 112,  
SECTION 112.13(A) OF THE LOMBARD VILLAGE CODE IN  
REGARD TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD, DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS** as follows:

Section 1: That Title 11, Chapter 112, Section 112.13(A) of the Lombard Village Code is amended by revising the entry relative to the Class "C" liquor license, contained therein, to read as follows:

Class "C" - 8

This increase in Class "C" liquor licenses reflects the issuance of a Class "C" liquor license to Le Crowe Café Co. who will be operating the business commonly known as La France Café and Crepes located at 708-710 S. Main Street, Lombard.

Section 2: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as required by law.

Passed on first reading this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015

First reading waived by action of the Board of Trustees this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Passed on second reading this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015

Ayes: \_\_\_\_\_

Nays: \_\_\_\_\_

Absent: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015

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Keith T. Giagnorio, Village President

ATTEST:

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Sharon Kuderna, Village Clerk