PROCLAMATION

LOMBARD PRIDE WEEK

WHEREAS, the Village of Lombard and its residents take Pride in the community; and

WHEREAS, the annual Pride Clean-up takes place every year before Lilac Time to get the community ready for the influx of visitors who come to Lombard to visit the

parks and take part in Lilac Time activities in our community; and

WHEREAS, all citizens are encouraged to clean up their properties and any other public

properties to enhance the image of the Village to display their Lombard Pride;

and

WHEREAS, Pride Week is one of the great partnerships in our community for residents and

the hundreds of volunteers who work together for the betterment of the Village;

and

WHEREAS, 2006 marks the 21st year for the observance of Lombard Pride Week; and

WHEREAS, the Village wishes to thank the residents and numerous volunteers who will

donate their time for the "great clean-up" which occurs during National

Volunteer Week:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William J. Mueller, President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby proclaim April 23-29, 2006 as **Lombard Pride Week** and urge all residents of the Village of Lombard to do their part in displaying their Lombard pride.

William J. Mueller Village President