


**PROCLAMATION  
VILLAGE OF LOMBARD SESQUICENTENNIAL  
150<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

- WHEREAS,** 2019 marks the Sesquicentennial 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the incorporation of Lombard as a town; and
- WHEREAS,** the Village of Lombard was incorporated on March 29, 1869 and has grown to more than 43,000 residents, but has maintained its quaint small-town charm and hospitality; and
- WHEREAS,** throughout 2019, the Village of Lombard will celebrate this major milestone of 150 years of history with events including
- Recognition this day of Lombard's Founding Date,
  - The Lilac Time Parade on Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> themed "Happy 150<sup>th</sup> Birthday,"
  - Features of the Lilac Time Photo Contest celebrating the sesquicentennial and Lilac Times of the Past,
  - A Special Village Board Meeting, celebrating our community's sesquicentennial milestone on Thursday, August 1, followed by an old-fashioned ice cream social, and
  - Ongoing events and displays from the Lombard Historical Society
- WHEREAS,** the Village of Lombard will continue to grow and prosper, but will always remember its small-town roots of days gone by;
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Keith Giagnorio, President of the Village of Lombard, do hereby proclaim Friday, March 29, 2019 as **CELEBRATE LOMBARD'S SESQUICENTENNIAL 150<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY DAY** in the community.

  
Keith T. Giagnorio  
Village President

