Instructions for getting started with Geocoding

1. Log in (create if necessary) to your Google account.
2. Go to the web link below…  
   <https://developers.google.com/maps/documentation/geocoding/>
3. Scroll to the bottom and click the button “GET A KEY”.
4. Select “YES” and click “CREATE AND ENABLE API”.
5. To manage this API, click the web link below…  
   <https://console.developers.google.com/apis/>
6. Enable the following three API’s. Under “Google Maps APIs”, click “Google Maps Geocoding API”, “Google Maps Geolocation API” and “Google Maps Distance Matrix API” and for each of these links click on “Enable” near the top of the screen next to where it says its API.
7. In the directory “C:\PHP\php\_7.0.10”, edit the file “php.ini”.
8. Remove the leading semicolon for the line “;extension=php\_curl.dll” (~line 866).
9. To restart Apache, type “httpd –k restart”. If that returns an error, type “httpd –k stop” and then “httpd –k start”. If this still returns an error, try determining what application is on port 8080 by using “netstat –an” in command prompt and closing any application on that port. If still unsuccessful, simply restart the computer.