**Cookbook Installation Guide**

1. Install XAMPP
2. Copy directory of cookbook files to location C:\cookbook
3. Edit vhosts.conf
   1. Open C:\xampp\apache\conf\extra\httpd-vhosts.conf
   2. Un-comment line:

NameVirtualHost \*:80

* 1. Add virtual host entry to the end of the file

<VirtualHost \*:80>

DocumentRoot C:\cookbook\app

ServerName cookbook.localhost

<Directory C:\cookbook\app >

Order allow,deny

Allow from all

Require all granted

</Directory>

</VirtualHost>

* 1. Open your hosts file as administrator

C:\Windows\System32\drivers\etc\hosts

* 1. Add entry to end of file

127.0.0.1 cookbook.localhost #cookbook application

1. Start server
   1. From XAMPP controll panel click start for
      1. Apache
      2. MySQL
2. Create database
   1. Navigate to URL: <http://cookbook.localhost/phpmyadmin>
   2. Click the tab labeled ‘Databases’
   3. Under ‘Create Databse’
      1. Enter ‘cookbook’ in the field labels ‘Database Name’
      2. Click ‘Create’
   4. Confirm the database is contained in the list of databases when the page reloads.
3. Seed database
   1. Open a web browser (chrome)
   2. Navigate to URL: <http://cookbook.localhost/seedDB.php>
   3. Navigate to URL: <http://cookbook.localhost/phpmyadmin>
   4. On the left panel select ‘cookbook’
   5. Confirm the DB tables were created