

**THE CITY OF KENT, OHIO
PUBLIC HEARING
WED., OCTOBER 21, 2009**

This public hearing of Kent City Council was called to order on Wed., Oct. 21, 2009, at 7:20 p.m. by Mayor & President of Council John Fender. Mayor Fender explained the purpose of this public hearing was to obtain public comment on the FY2008 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report.

PRESENT: MR. AMRHEIN, MR. DELEONE, MR. FERRARA, MR. HAWKSLEY, MR. KUHAR, MR. TURNER, MS. WALLACH, AND MR. WILSON

ALSO PRESENT: J. FENDER, MAYOR; D. RULLER, CITY MANAGER; J. SILVER, LAW DIRECTOR; L. COPLEY, CLERK OF COUNCIL; AND B. SUSEL, GRANTS & NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATOR

ABSENT: MS. SHAFFER

Dave Ruller, City Manager, introduced **Bridget Susel, Grants & Neighborhood Programs Administrator**, explained that this report is submitted annually to the Department of Housing and Urban Development ninety days after the end of the program year, which is July 31, 2009. She said it identifies the projects and programs funded with the CDBG funds, highlighting expenditures and beneficiaries of the programs. Ms. Susel said the report also provides information on the City's progress in meeting their five year goals.

Ms. Susel said a public notice was published in the Record Courier on Oct. 6, 2009 announcing a public comment period. She said tonight's session is the final opportunity for public comments.

Hearing no public comment, Mayor Fender adjourned this public hearing at 7:22 p.m.

Linda M. Copley, Clerk of Council

John Fender, Mayor & President of Council