

**THE CITY OF KENT, OHIO
PUBLIC HEARING
WED., FEB. 3, 2010**

This public hearing of Kent City Council was called to order on Wed., Feb. 3, 2010, by Jerry T. Fiala, Mayor & President of Council, at 7:30 p.m.

PRESENT: MR. AMRHEIN, MR. DELEONE, MR. FERRARA (ARR. @ 7:02 p.m.), MR. KUHAR, MS. SHAFFER, MR. VALENTA, MS. WALLACH, AND MR. WILSON

ALSO PRESENT: J. FIALA, MAYOR; D. RULLER, CITY MANAGER; J. SILVER, LAW DIRECTOR; B. SUSEL, GRANTS COORDINATOR; AND L. COPLEY, CLERK OF COUNCIL

ABSENT: MR. TURNER

MOTION TO EXCUSE MR. TURNER.

Motion made by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Amrhein, and carried by a roll call of 7-0.

Mayor Fiala explained the purpose of this public hearing was to obtain public comment on the CDBG FY2010 Action Plan.

David Ruller, City Manager, explained that this plan is done annually. He introduced **Bridget Susel, Grants Coordinator**, at this time.

Ms. Susel explained that this is the first of two public hearings. She said the purpose is to provide information on the Community Development Block Grant program, as well as to solicit comments from the public for development of the Action Plan and the five-year plan. She said they are also in the last year of the five-year plan. She said they are now developing a five-year plan, from 2010 to 2014, and are identifying projects for 2010.

Hearing no public comment, Mayor Fiala closed this public hearing at 7:03 p.m.

Linda M. Copley, Clerk of Council

Jerry T. Fiala, Mayor & President of Council