

**THE CITY OF KENT, OHIO
PUBLIC HEARING
WED., MAY 19, 2010**

This public hearing was called to order at 7:20 p.m. on Wed., May 19, 2010, by Jerry T. Fiala, Mayor & President of Council. Mayor Fiala explained the purpose of this public hearing was to obtain public comment on the City's 2010-2014 Five Year Consolidated Plan and PY2010 Action Plan.

PRESENT: MR. AMRHEIN, MR. DELEONE, MR. FERRARA, MR. KUCHAR, MS. SHAFFER, MR. TURNER, MR. VALENTA, MS. WALLACH, AND MR. WILSON

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

Bridget Susel, Grants Administrator, explained this is the second of two planned public hearings to provide information and to obtain public comment on the Five Year Consolidated Plan and on the PY2010 Action Plan. Ms. Susel said when they made their presentation at a committee meeting, they estimated the total allocation to be \$300,000. She said they have since received word that they will be receiving \$325,555 from HUD. Ms. Susel said this is the first increase they have seen in years. Ms. Susel said that money has been applied to the SR 59 light replacement project, a project approved by Council and administered by the Engineering Division. She said they felt this was better than soliciting for new applications, as they could not fund another project totally.

Ms. Susel said they had a thirty-day comment period and another public hearing previously, and have received no public comments.

Hearing no public comment, Mayor Fiala closed this public meeting at 7:25 p.m.

Linda M. Copley, Clerk of Council

Jerry T. Fiala, Mayor & President of Council