



Public Hearing

The City Clerk has scheduled the second public hearing for the 2021 CDBG Action Plan and the 2020-24 CDBG Consolidated Plan update at 7:25 pm.

Unauthorized Items

1. Resolution in Opposition to HB 110 (Draft #2021-046)

Hope and Joan have requested Council's authorization of a Resolution opposing Ohio House Bill 110 which proposes to eliminate Health Departments in cities with a population under 50,000. (attachment)

Administration Recommendation

The State legislature is considering HB110 which proposes to "force" the consolidation of City Health Departments with County Health Departments by eliminating the Health Departments in cities with a population less than 50,000. I urge Council's support for this Resolution opposing HB110 as it calls for the elimination of the Kent Health Department.

Council Action

Authorize the proposed Resolution opposing HB110.

2. Accept Chimney Swift Grant and Donations (Draft #2021-050)

Jim has requested Council's authorization to accept a grant (\$3,140) and four donations that will be used for the construction of the Chimney Swift habitat structure. (attachment)

Administration Recommendation

I recommend Council accept and allocate the grant and donation funds.

Council Action

Authorize the acceptance and allocation of the grant and donations for use in the Chimney Swift habitat project with the emergency clause.

Information Items

1. Income Tax Report

Rhonda Hall has provided a summary of income tax collections for the April of 2021. Overall the City income tax collections YTD are down 10.4% (\$519,578) compared with 2020. For the month of April the City income tax collections are down 2% (\$23,617) compared to April of 2020. (attachment)

