APRIL 4, 2012 WAYNESBORO, PA 17268 PUBLIC HEARING RE: 2012 CDBG PROGRAM AND PRIOR YEAR MODIFICATION

Council President Jason Stains called the public hearing to order at 7:15 p.m. with the following in attendance:

Borough Council Members – Benjamin Greenawalt, Craig Newcomer, Darrel Potts, Jason Stains, Wayne Driscoll and Michael Cermak

Mayor Richard Starliper

Borough Staff – Lloyd R. Hamberger, II, Borough Manager
Denny Benshoff, Maintenance Superintendent
Dan Sheffler, Zoning-Code Enforcement Officer
Kevin Grubbs, Head of Engineering Services
Sam Wiser, Borough Solicitor (Salzmann Hughes, PC)
Jason Cohen, Assistant Borough Manager
Mark King, Police Chief
Dave Martin, Fire Chief

Mr. Stains noted that the hearing was advertised in accordance with rules and regulations of the CDBG Program. The Borough held a public hearing on February 15, 2012 to solicit the views of citizens on the types of projects which should be carried out with the 2012 CDBG Program funds. The Borough anticipates receiving a grant of \$129,111 in FY 2012 CDBG funds. The Borough has determined that the best use of these funds would be for the following activities:

Street Improvements \$60,111
 Handicap Access (Curb Cuts) \$49,000
 Administration \$20,000

In addition, the Borough is proposing to modify the FY 2009 and 2010 CDBG Programs by moving funds allocated to Downtown Facade and Administration to Street Improvements and Curb Ramps. With these modifications, we will have approximately \$136,000 available for Streets and approximately \$166,000 for Curbs this year. DCED has urged entitlement communities to spend this money as soon as possible.

Present was Karen Parish of Mullin and Lonergan Associates (the Borough's CDBG consults), to explain the program, proposed projects and modifications, and to answer any questions. Handouts were available for distribution to interested parties.

Mr. Hamberger noted that bids will be opened for CDBG streets on 04/24, contract documents will be prepared after that for handicapped curbs; and the monies will be spent by the end of summer.

Hearing no further questions or comments, the hearing closed at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melinda S. Knott

Administrative Assistant