

**NOTICE OF COMMENT PERIOD & FINAL PUBLIC HEARING
ERIE COUNTY FY 2010 CDBG PROGRAM**

The County of Erie anticipates receiving approximately \$425,000 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for Fiscal Year 2010 from the PA Department of Community and Economic Development. The County is entitled to the grant monies each year under the provisions of the Commonwealth's CDBG program and Legislative Act 179 of 1984. An application requesting the funds will be submitted to the PA DCED in May.

County CDBG funds are to be used to assist "non-entitlement" municipalities address community development and housing needs which primarily benefit low-to-moderate income persons. Based upon a public needs hearing and a review of project requests, the County proposes that its FY 2010 CDBG funds be used for the following activities:

- 1) \$89,000 – Union City Municipal Authority First Avenue Sanitary Sewer Line Replacement Project – Phase II
- 2) \$100,000 – Lake City Borough Dunn Avenue Sanitary Sewer Line Replacement Project-Phase I
- 3) \$70,000 – Waterford Borough Handicapped Accessible Curb-Cut Ramps Project
- 4) \$27,200 – Wattsburg Borough Water Quality Improvement Project
- 5) \$68,800 – Single Family Housing Rehabilitation Project
- 6) \$70,000 – CDBG program administration

Citizens may comment on the County's FY 2010 CDBG funding proposal at a public hearing to be held by Erie County Council at 6:00 PM, Tuesday, March 16, 2010 at the Erie County Council Caucus Room, Room 117, located at the Erie County Court House, 140 West 6th Street, Erie, PA 16501.

Those unable to attend the hearing but who would like to comment may do so by contacting County Planning at the address/phone listed below. The comment period is from February 16 to the day of hearing, March 16, 2010.

Erie County Department of Planning
Erie County Court House, Room 111
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Following the public hearing, County Council will meet at 7:00 PM for its regularly scheduled meeting, at which time it will consider passing a resolution approving the FY 2010 CDBG program and subsequent submission of the application to the PA DCED.