

SPECIFIC BUSINESS IDEAS - FEB. 3, 2018 DT COMMUNITY MTG NOTES	Comment
ART/CRAFT SUPPLIES: (6) mentions missing Belmains; Sewing/fabric store	
BAKERY	
BIKE SHOP	Some interest already
BOOK STORE: (3) +cafe; +toys	
BREWERY: (2) +music venue	
CAFÉ: (6) +outdoor seating; +books; after Chandler shows; "downtown sidewalk"; wifi	
CLOTHING: (5) "complete;" +shoes (2); "kids' and men's casual clothing"; "high quality basic clothes/ emphasis on locally/ecologically made/ clothes made to last - can be repaired by tailor/seamstress"	
CO-WORKING SPACES: (2) "for entrepreneurs who start businesses and attract young people and jobs"	
COMMERCIAL KITCHEN FOR RENT: (2)	
DINER:(5) "place where people walk in & talk, like Depot"; Breakfast diner	
FAMILY RESTAURANT: (4) like August Lion; bustling	
FARMER'S MARKET: (2) Produce Store (affordable); indoor (4); 2-3/week; outdoor; like Newbury Mkt in WRJ. Local pickup (online order). A shop focused on sourcing products from local farms. CSA Distribution point within the store.	Farmer's Market needs GR support & involvement
GENERAL/VARIETY STORE: (12) "like Belmains but more versatile"; "local products and regular items, groceries, prepared foods – like a general store (current offerings have some aspects but not all)"; "offer things not available online"; "Mix of business offering staples (toys, clothing, shoes, 5 & 10 basics) and unique local/Vermont products, gifts such as lotion/soaps, books, clever/humorous products with emphasis on locally made/sourced"	
GOAT PRODUCTS: (2) RTCC's culinary department can run a cafe based on goat products; Nothing less than becoming the Goat Capitol of Vermont	
GROCERY STORE COOPERATIVE (11) with meeting space; bulk bins; local products; (8) ownership agreement for the Depot which could become the local diner/restaurant/cafe, farmer's market, herbal apothecary and bookstore; An everything space: retail, farmers mkt; Belmain type store with books and a coop type arrangement for artisans and others; coop & wellness center; administered by RACDC - divide into multiple retail shops; in old Belmains with a variety of retail; part of Belmain's space as a local crafts venue for different crafters to sell their wares	

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GROCERY STORE: (14) Mac's Market; Lantman's market; Richmond Market; Trader Joes behind 3Bean; variety, discounted; parking; in Rite Aid	Might be very helpful to people
HARDWARE STORE - items available after hours	
HOTEL/LODGING: (11) "where Belmains was"; Windover House; B&Bs; in old Brooks bldg; in downtown (not by highway); Mari Castle would make an ideal B&B, & Windover House would be idea motel.	
ICE CREAM (9)	
MEDIA CENTER/ORCA TECH CENTER - SHARED SPACE (2)	
MEDICAL INNOVATION: entrepreneurs at Gifford capture medical innovation	
RECREATION: CLIMBING WALL; ESCAPE ROOM/LASER TAG	
RESTAURANT/DINING: (13) food trucks; outdoors dining Merchants Row(?); Food with consistent hours of operation (inconsistent days & hours for most); Sunday breakfast spot; some odd restaurants; beer-tasting; Outdoor cafe; Places for people to sit and eat outdoors; Mon - Fri - coffee; Breakfast/lunch restaurant	
SALON/DAY SPA, FULL SERVICE	
SPORTING GOODS STORE	
TECH STORE: Technology builds commerce. Bring tech here using RTCC, VTC, Norwich. Young people come for training but don't stay. Storefronts with computer, architecture, services...	