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A campaign by the Weymouth Waterfront Development Committee

Idea #	Ideas	Benefit / Advantage (or More info)
1	Affordable rental units, e.g. for students of St. Anne's or Seniors	Seniors who sell can stay in the area
2	More affordable housing for lower income residents, seniors who want to stay in the area.	
3	Senior residence with full care and meeting area with coffee lounge, internet facilities - New, attractive building	
4	Update Sissiboo Landing - especially upstairs	
5	Keep Vehicles off sidewalks, discourage drinking/smoking on sidewalks	Appearance and accessibility
6	Clean-up Challenge - Before/After pics	Sponsor Prizes for House / Road / Beach Clean up
7	Turn area where Bell store was into a Garden or Picnic area	Need retaining walls, level area
8	Upkeep of Downtown buildings	
9	Require owner's of downtown buildings to maintain appearance.	
10	Clean up of downtown property or get gates like the Huntley home in Weymouth North	Unightly downtown property
11	Paint front & sides of old Drug Store	Have a Volunteer Day and a yard or penny sale to pay for paint and supplies
12	Paint the little bldg. (little library?) (Garden Club is putting in Cement Bench in the spring)	Volunteers or Students
13	Put Canadian Flag in Activity Board (beside the Landing)as a backdrop.	Spruce up the activity board (Dollar store carries flags)
14	Village bldgs. - painting and refurb. - different colours (like Yarmouth)	
15	Funding should be made available to improve the condition of Sissiboo Place.	
16	Spruce up the Medical Centre Building / Spruce up the little library and Post Office in Weymouth North	One end of town to the other - either one is looking a little tired
17	Clean up the downtown buildings (paint building)	Looks bad for tourist
18	Plant small flowering shrubs - pink or red rhododendrons	
19	Clean up area gardens and look after them (similar to what was done by Art Henderson with students in the summer)	Garden Club
20	Plant more trees (consult with property owners for permission)	
21	"First Impressions" Community project - grants/donations to improve appearance and condition of buildings	increase pride in community + volunteer involvement + increase property values
22	Anyone have a field to use as a Community Garden - also someone to teach how to grow their own vegetables, etc.	Fundraise / Charge minimal rent
23	Put together a crew and offer free/reduced painting of houses offered to house owners, and or yard clean-up	
24	Community Gardens / Raised Beds / Farmer's Market - Dedicated area of land for rental for gardens. Sold at Farmers Market or Surplus given to local food bank	Fresh produce for community , accessible gardens, promote healthy eating, provide additional income/revenue
25	Community Gardens	Improve resident life
26	Pave behind shops - add tables, stalls, toilets - hold trunk sales, markets (Or use Storybook Trail)	Like Belliveau Cove ,
27	Boardwalk in front of Mercantile (like western Saloon)	Stop Parking - increase safety both cars and pedestrians - WWDC pay, Larry maintains
28	Clean up the "Party Zone" on the hill	Lawn chairs, drinking - not safe or appealing for residents or visitors
29	Fix Sidewalks	



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30	Refurbish Gates' Lane Bridge	
31	Sell Lots for a nominal fee to encourage people to move to the area. (This was done in McAdam, NB)	https://www.huffingtonpost.ca/2018/11/26/mcadam-nb-houses-one-dollar_a_23601313/
32	Incentives for eXisting real estate to encourage purchase.	
33	Dredge the riverbed between Weymouth Bridge and Gates' Bridge	
34	Get Youth committee 'what direction does the Village want to take?' (thru Social Media)	
35	Move Little Library bldg. from Weymouth North to Dock area.	Use as an office / registration area for river based activities
36	Buy area around and including the water fountain, beautify it with fountains, benches, picnic table, rebuild public access point for water.	Increase Safety around fountain
37	Dog park (leash free park)	
38	Partner with the Bottling Plant to get it up and running	
39	Collaboration between Local organizations (Legion / Lions, etc.)	Same Goal - to support the town
40	Water Fountain - property of the Village	Ensure access to water
41	instead of 5 diff. meetings should be 1 combined for the good of Weymouth	
42	Form a committee with the focus of bringing business into Weymouth	Sell the fact that we have workers
43	Weymouth should own and be in control of the water at the fountain. Rights could be "leased" only.	People come from all areas for this water.
44	ByLaw for properties along main routes to be maintained, garbage and junk free.	
45	Create a memorial park - School children could assist and learn about nature.	
46	Crafty Corner Consignment - could rent space and sell local crafts, offer instructional courses,	would utilize eXisting (empty) bldg., showcase 'local', provide income to crafters, promote leisure activities
47	Start a Community Radio Station (FM or Internet) to communicate about what's going on in and around the village.	Emergency notifications, promote local events, talent.
48	Wake up Sissiboo Landing - Open year round, same hrs. as Library / Move around static displays / Change layout / encourage interaction / Merchandise upstairs / Create programs, talks, presentations / Backgrnd music / Refreshment station / internet access /	Beautiful building in perfect location bring back to life, "open windows" get new perspective on building.
49	Community use for Village Land - solicit ideas for use of "the Gulley". Land is already owned by the village, could be oval running track / open ice surface in winter / Community Centre	
50	Find uses for vacant areas of Sissiboo Place	
51	Speakers - Dancing, Sewing, Art, area History, Budgeting, University topics	
52	A sign language workshop	
53	Include Black History in written history of Weymouth at Sissiboo Landing (eg. Arrival in area)	
54	Boat Building Workshop	
55	BEARS (Be EXcited And Read Something) Bookstore - Literacy encouragement and opportunity	spin off - book clubs, Read-aloud or Read Along sessions - Complement to eXisting Library
56	Install "Little Free Library" BoXes in town (possibly the veranda at the Goodwin would be a suitable location)	Take a book, leave a book - encourage reading for all ages



WAKE UP WEYMOUTH 2019!

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57	Art Show / Photography Group / Gardening Group	
58	Invite speakers on a variety of topics e.g. education, teach dancing, sewing, art classes, budgeting, history classes.	Use Legion
59	Access to Audio/Video/Editing media for production of online (web-based) content possibly to create revenue for online content.	knowledge sharing and instruction
60	Build a Statue in the water to show how High (or Low) the tide goes.	Picture with owls included with suggestion
61	Put a Tide Pole in the river to measure Tides	A great tourist attraction
62	Programs and eXposure tor new graduates and skilled persons	
63	Fish Ladder at Weymouth Falls (First Dam)	
64	Build a place where plays can be performed in town.	Bring people here instead of them having to go outside the area
65	Virtual Reality Room (ride a rollercoaster, climb a mountain, etc.)	
66	Board Game / Virtual / Internet Café - inter-generational get together for fun and entertainment	Quality of life, reduce isolation, leisure activities, internet access
67	Street dances	
68	Tablescaping course	
69	U3A model organisation- University of the third Age, a UK group which invites speakers, teachers, anyone to talk to or teach others on any topic. Members go to learn.	
70	Show and Shine - Car show	
71	a walk way or boardwalk where they can enjoy being on or in the water.	
72	Community BBQ - build a permanent BBQ pit	
73	Eagle feeding station	
74	Escape Rooms	
75	For the summer months on the river have a tubing staning where folks can come purchase bathing suits, beach towels , beach balls, umbrellas sand toys. ideally a shop where one can come in and see all the summer apparels.	
76	Eagle Feeding Station	
77	Establish feed stn. For eagles	
78	Construct a splash pool on the waterfront (Graham's Park, Shelburne Splash Pad)	
79	Drop in center (moms & tots) (see other sheet)	
80	Indoor Kids center: so any day of the week or rainy or stormy days they can come and play through an obstacle course and or games.	
81	Movie in the park: two nights a week Friday and Saturday nights where you can come out as a community and watch movies under the stars.	
82	Outdoor movies	
83	Water Slide for Kids	
84	Electric City - building some original looking bldgs./ Workers in period costume / "day in the life" activities / Guided trails	
85	Extend Boardwalk along River	Nature Hikes / attraction for visitors
86	A place for seniors to gather (Liquor Free) for games, cards, etc.	Keep seniors active, healthy, safe
87	Tours of the area / graveyard tours	



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88	Boat rides - Maybe work in conjunction with Hinterland	In addition to their existing Kayaking Experience
89	More exposure for local artists & photographers - local art at Historical society	
90	Print a walking guide of historic houses	
91	Pictorial History of Weymouth - Stores, etc. at the Landing	
92	Artist Studio Tours (set dates)	e.g. Andy Elliott, Hika Wagner, Tobilee Sabean, Ancient Hermit, Tracey Dugas, Digue, Jean Belliveau's Boat
93	Promote New France thru an interpretive site	Create employment, attract residents and visitors
94	Tours of the Sissiboo River on a houseboat (or similar)	
95	Deck or wharf on the upper side of the bridge with seating / place to fish from / launch Kayaks	
96	Use the RIVER - eXpand public dock to accommodate more boats / Encourage private business to start boat tours / Flat boats so seniors or disabled can go fishing, Bird watching, sunset cruises	WWDC might be able to provide Seed monies
97	Fitness classes	
98	Senior's exercise by qualified instructor	
99	Fitness Park	
100	Tidal Power Sissiboo River	
101	A pet Store	
102	Conference Centre or Community Centre - Multi-phase, multi-use project - Stage / Camp / Retreat / Lodge /	See breakdown for detail
103	Solar Panel Farm	
104	Encourage Smaller Business esp. to replace Mink farms	Spur Economy
105	Bakery - already proven to be successful here	Space is available at Sissiboo Place
106	Bakery - Gluten-free / Sugar-free / Nut-free	Local source of these products, provide additional gathering place, increase business and revenues
107	Trap Door on outlet to Salt Water	
108	Establish a chapter of "Elder dog" organisation (http://www.elderdog.ca/) - to connect with people with pets who may need assistance in their pet care.	
109	Internet Café	
110	Internet Café/Bakery/Tea Room - overlooking the river - view of nature	Create employment, attract residents and visitors
111	Some kind of Café like Tim Horton's or Robins Donuts	
112	Café or Coffee shop meeting place (internet Bonus)	Keep people in town to meet and not have to go to other communities to meet up
113	Farmer's Market on Sunday afternoon's (to not compete with Belliveau Cove) - On the waterfront near the Landing - possible weather structure	Bringing people into town
114	Farmer's / Craft Market - Permanent booths (similar to Annapolis or Belliveau Cove). Start with a couple and eXpand as needed	Possibly Sunday afternoon to not conflict with other markets, but give people somewhere to go
115	24 hr. Donut Café (Robins)	
116	A mall with a Dollar Store, a Costco and a small restaurant like Swiss Chalet.	
117	A small Tim Horton's neXt to Sterno's	It will help boost sales at all the other stores
118	Free store (https://lifespun-org.doodlekit.com/home/free_store)	



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119	Fast food vendors: hamburger and/or hot dogs in one of the empty shops and utilized the old world charm the town brings and in winter bring in beaver tails, hot chocolate and hot apple cider, also maple treats from a sugar shack.	
120	Fast Food Chain - Arby's Wendy's Burger King, Mary Browns	
121	Toy store: where kids young and old can come and find what they are looking for either it be wood toys(vintage or antique) to new tech toys. Also this is great for parents that don't want to travel 30-45 min to a major city	
122	Farmer's Market	draw people / visitors to town
123	Café / coffee shop / board game café	
124	Barber shop where guys can laugh, joke, drink coffee and just relax. Place to go to talk and get along with others and feel wanted.	
125	Speed Indicator thru town	
126	Better RCMP presence in town	
127	Speed Bumps behind the drug store and library	reduce speed and increase safety
128	Pave behind shops - reduce potholes	
129	Village wide wi-fi	
130	Welcome Basket -incl. info on services (plumber, carpenter, Electrician, Seamstress, disability services, recreation, etc.	Info for newcomers on what's available as well as volunteer opportunities
131	Anaerobic digester in Weaver Settlement - how to get up and running again?	
132	Styrofoam recycling	
133	Area wide Internet	
134	Payphone for those who don't have a cell phone	Won't have to ask local businesses to use phone
135	Improve area Internet services	
136	Welcome Wagon / Email Newsletter	
137	Phone Charging Stations - Landing, Storybook, Bandstand	
138	Internet availability, Services for disabled, Youth activities	
139	Bottle Depot (recycling centre) in town	
140	More Doctors in our Medical Centre - Weymouth is important, too!	
141	Support groups at the Medical Centre - Sexual assault survivors, self-esteem	
142	Wellness Centre - Osteo, Massage, Naturopath, Alternative Medicine, Mental Health -	draw people to village as well as create employment
143	Bird Watching / Eco Tourism	Encourage naturalists to experience the area, stay, spend, etc.
144	Look out on 'the Loop' in New Edinburgh or Fort Point - Signage to indicate	encourage tourists to stop and ask questions in town
145	Internet - Storybook Trail and New France / Retro Fair - vintage costumes, music, etc.	
146	Better signage on the road to guide people to Storybook Trail AND New France	
147	Available water and a dumping station for Recreational Vehicles	
148	ATV Tours, Hiking, Fishing, Local Cuisine, Eco-Tourism,	



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149	Grow the Tour de New France to a Tri-Athlon	
150	Walking trail along the river with signage	
151	Kings Transit to travel beyond Weymouth, down the French Shore into Yarmouth	People will have a low cost means of transportation to Clare and Yarmouth and vice versa
152	Bus Services towards Yarmouth	help people get to Appointments in Meteghan or programs at the University.
153	Kings Transit - French Shore to Yarmouth	Lower cost transportation to hospitals, malls, etc.
154	Kings Transit Bus from Frenchy's instead of Foodland	
155	Bike Lanes	increase bike travel before, during and after Gran Fondo (bike rally - Baie Ste. Marie), bring cycling enthusiasts to area.
156	Zoning issues	Clarification/enforcement of zoning by-laws
157	Oversize roadside sculpture of something relevant to the area	like a Fairmiles ship, Giant Deer, SiX Owls
158	Acquire a 'novascotiawebcam' pointed to 'where the river meets the sea'	
159	Open air swimming pool	
160	Mink farms could try angora rabbit farming	Employment, new business.

