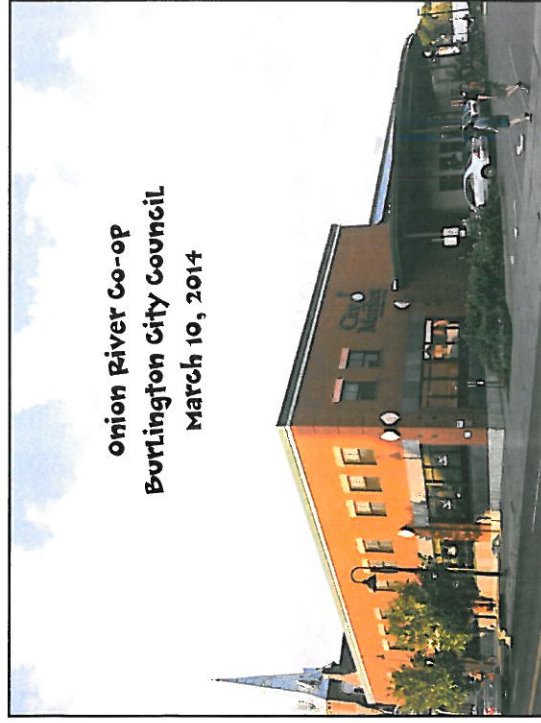




**Onion River Co-op  
Burlington City Council  
March 10, 2014**

### Why Are We Presenting?

- We're sharing the Co-op's commitment to the community we serve.
- City Market owns our building and the City owns the land and leases it to us.




### City Market's Global Ends

The Onion River Co-op will be central to a thriving and healthy community, where:

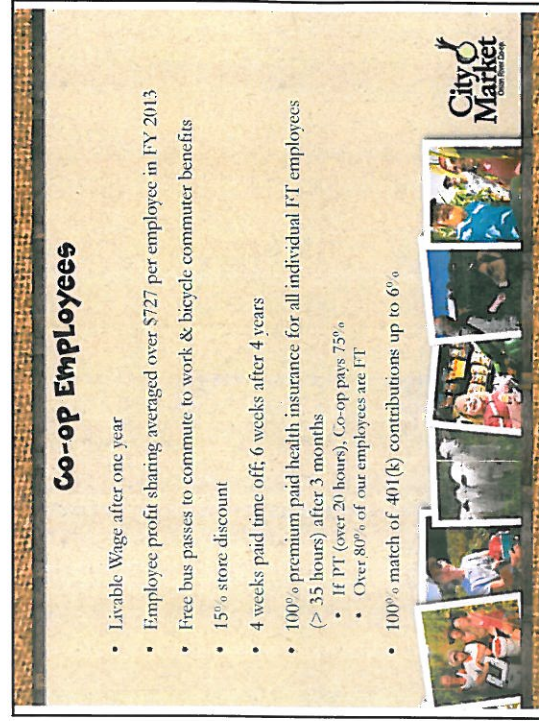
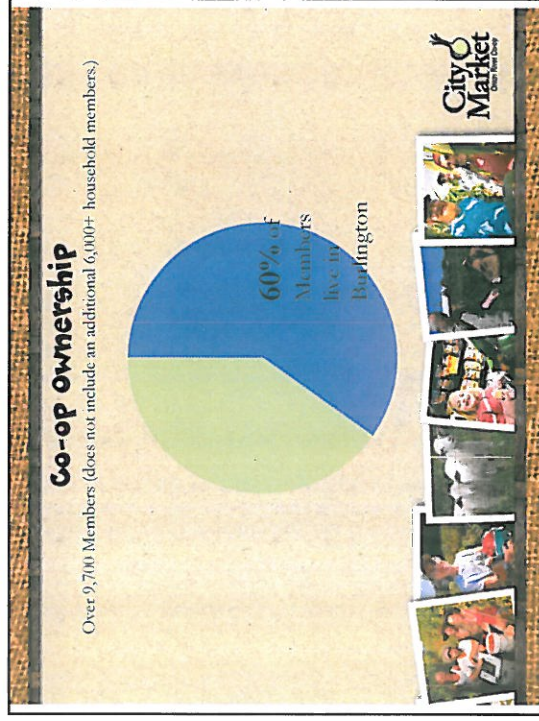
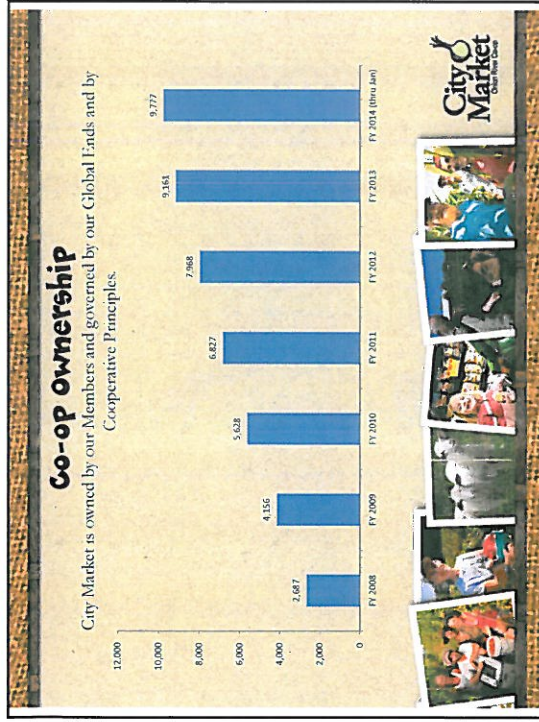
- Consumers have local access to progressive social, environmental and healthful choices;
- Residents enjoy an enhanced quality of life;
- The local food system is strengthened;
- The cooperative model is supported; and
- Our owners have a sense of pride in their cooperative.

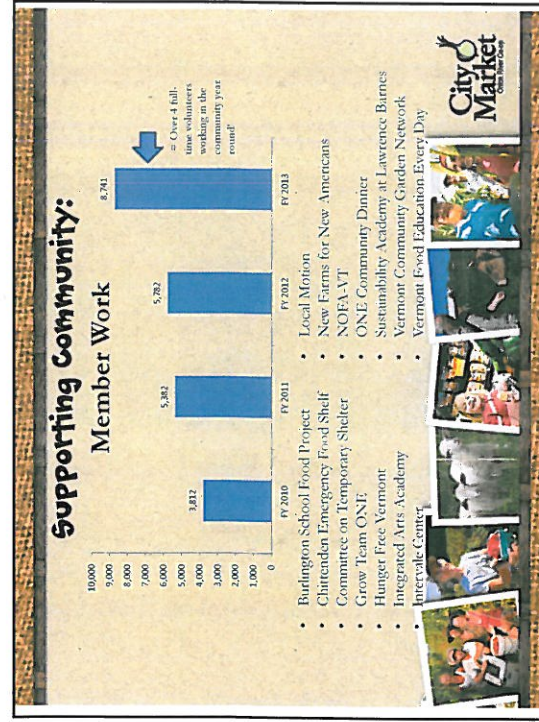
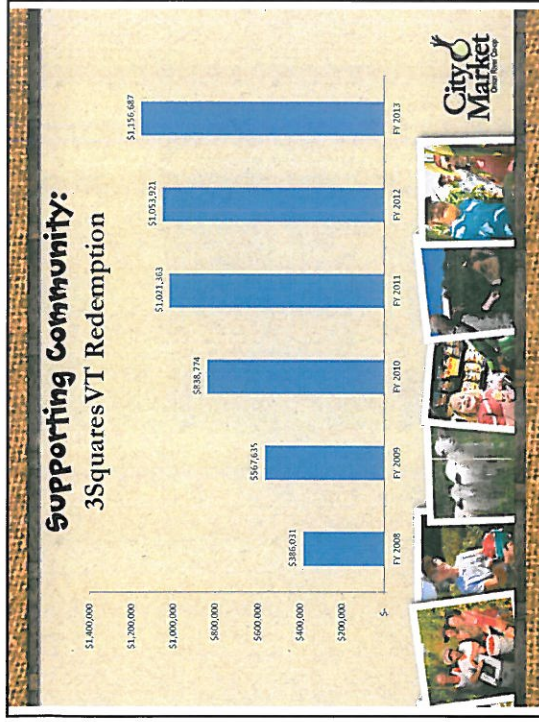



### Meeting the City's Needs

- City Market will meet the needs of low-to-moderate income, disabled, and elderly residents.
- City Market will support local agriculture and Vermont products.





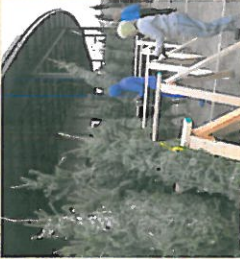
### Supporting Community:

#### Annual COTS Tree Sale

|                |            |
|----------------|------------|
| December 2013  | \$11,235   |
| Total Donation | > \$90,000 |

"This wonderful event that benefits COTS raises much needed money for services, heightens awareness about those who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless -- and has become a wonderful tradition for so many people in our community."

Rita Markley, Executive Director, COTS





### Supporting the Local Economy

- We offer 2,050 VT products
- \$12 million in VT product sales each year (34% of sales and growing!)
- The multiplier effect for agriculture (2.5) is one of the highest of any sector of the economy




City Market's Annual Harvest Celebration  
Butterbrook Farm, Westfield VT

### Supporting Burlington

Taxes and Fees Paid

- FY 2010 \$424,626
- FY 2011 \$434,411
- FY 2012 \$463,258
- FY 2013 \$469,600




### Supporting the Local Economy:

#### Patronage Refund

|                        | FY 2010   | FY 2011   | FY 2012   | FY 2013   |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Total Patronage Refund | \$390,586 | \$610,652 | \$643,469 | \$873,848 |
| Number of Checks       | 4,856     | 6,230     | 7,689     | 9,039     |

