# Building Bingham Back

## 1. Needs: What does your community need today!

- Place for kids to play
- To revitalize the American Legion
- Community Night; Movie/music Coordinate with the Colby Theater building theme
- Boat Launch
- Promoting affordable housing/ possibly finding incentives to tear down failing structures; curb appeal
- New business to spread tax burden; employment
- Tourism Campaign, change pass through traffic to visiting tourist
- Main Street needs new paving, sidewalk along Hwy 201 all the way through town.
- Brochure describing attractions; get school students involved
- Grants, fund raising,

## 2. Wants: What will make our community robust and resilient!

- Influx of dollars and people – attractions
- Correspondence with alumni and families that have connections with the community
- College students to run summer rec program, provide financial aid packages as incentive
- New business
- Clean up the community,
- **Open air Gazebo with recreation/outdoor cooking area along Kennebec river for reunions, family gatherings, company outings for rent by BADC**

## 3. Dreams: What attributes do I see to make the community exciting to live in!

- Make Main Street look better
- Fix up tennis court, playground area
- Cemetery Perpetual Fund that will provide the resources to celebrate the military service this community has given to our nation
- Nature river trail,biking,-running,Kayaking, fishing
- Get it back to the way it was when Bingham was a celebrated community