

# 2026 C-DEE Awardees

**Ama Abadoo-Brew** – The Parent Forge  
**Emerald Anderson-Ford** – The Liberation Nexus Lab  
**Whitney Barney** – We Are All Art  
**Laurianne Bennett** – Bennett Freedom Farm  
**Forrest Chess** – Mountain Wanderer  
**Whitney Elsesser** – Holistic & Hormonal  
**Mariana Gibaldi** – Gilsum Village Store  
**Harlyene Goss** – HD Merrimack  
**Kastle Harper** – Rhythm & Roots Studio  
**Roxanne Herres** – SunnValley  
**Kate MacKenzie** – South of the 6  
**Tina Marchand** – Ellie and Piper  
**Dante Marino** – DeadProof Pizza  
**Eileen Marousek** – Port City Foods DBA Port City Pretzels  
**Alison Murphy** – Penumbra  
**Jacqueline Ose** – Black Olive Pottery Studio  
**Cameron Paul** – Seventeen Management Consulting  
**Kristie Ranahan** – Village Play Cafe  
**Chandra Reber** – Collective Agency  
**Susan Riedl** – Gnomies  
**Sarah Roberts** – SJR Nonprofit Solutions  
**Aliah Rodriguez** – Alchemized Divinity  
**Yasamin Safarzadeh** – Yasamin Safarzadeh LLC  
**Elizabeth Salas Evans** – Cayena Econ Lab  
**Karen Steuer** – Hemlock Springs Soaps  
**Sonia Vazquez** – Perfectly Imperfect Flips & More!  
**Nicole West** – New Perspective Consulting  
**Tiffany Whitcomb** – The Pipeline Project  
**Jocelyn Winn** – The Eleventh Letter



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