

Asylum Hill Then & Now 85 Sigourney St



Back in March, this was the after photo. While there doesn't seem to be a big difference between then and now visually, there is an important difference just the same. This building was last the home of Lincoln Culinary, who closed its doors after its final graduation in January 2017. Since then the building's owner at that time sought a new tenant until 2019 when Peoples bank, the mortgage holder took possession of it. As of August 16th, there is a new owner, 85 Sigourney Holdings LLC.

What it will be used for remains to be seen, but it's encouraging to know that it won't be vacant for long. There will be a lot of work that needs to be done to make it productive, but renovating the storefronts on Farmington Ave. could be a great start. They have been empty since Tanner's Diner closed. You can see the booths and stools waiting for diners. Photos at <https://bit.ly/207Farmington>

