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## Company Description

## 122 Amsterdam Ave, New York, NY 10023

October 1st, 2011 as C-Corporation

Rebranded as: Gotham Enterprises on July 14, 2014

## Mission Statement



## Short Term Goals

| Short Term Goals | Strategies | Deadlines |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Generate at least \$3.7 million in <br> sales | Proactively emphasize the need to make <br> sales by sending representatives to the <br> trade fairs and by promoting the website | April 2015 |
| Launch a website | Find simple templates and easy to use <br> shopping carts | October 2014 |
| Make a company handbook | Plan a foundation for company work <br> policies | December 2014 |

## Long Term Goals

| Long Term Goals | Strategies | Deadlines |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Reduce accounts receivable <br> to under $\$ 100,000$ | Send out mass reminders and emails, <br> asking to be paid back | May 2017 |
| Pay off the original \$225,000 <br> loan in addition to the new <br> $\$ 100,000$ loan | Make on-time loan payments every <br> month | May 2019 |
| Establish international <br> relations with at least two <br> countries | Develop the company domestically <br> before going overseas | May 2019 |

## Organizing



## Directing



* Sometimes there is a switch to a matrix system
* Everyone assists one another to accomplish the goal


## Controlling



* Weekly employee evaluations are made
* Employees evaluate leadership of VP's and C-levels
* VP's and C-levels evaluate employee productivity of employees
* Evaluations are kept in record to select the employee of the month


## Interest Rates

UNITED STATES UNEMPLOYMENT RATE


* Unemployment rate dropped to $6.1 \%$
* Lower unemployment $=$ more hiring $=$ bigger companies $=$ more office supplies


## Interest Rates

US INTEREST RATE


* Discount rates kept at $0.25 \%$
* Fixed loans are kept at 4.25\%
* Lower interest rates $=$ more loans $=$ more company start ups


## Inflation Rates

UNITED STATES INFLATION RATE


* Inflation rates have increased based on the CPI, consumer price index.
* Inflation is $2.1 \%$ higher
* Higher inflation = less buying power


## GDP

## UNITED STATES GDP GROWTH RATE



* The GPD reveals a 4\% increase in Q2 2014
* More goods = more supply $=$ more demand


## GDP

## RATES TABLE

1.00 US Dollar Rates table

| Top 10 <br> US Dollar | $\mathbf{1 . 0 0 \text { USD }}$ | Jul 31, 2014 06:24 UTC <br> inv. 1.00 USD |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Euro | 0.746495 | 1.339594 |
| British Pound | 0.591091 | 1.691786 |
| Indian Rupee | 60.277972 | 0.016590 |
| Australian Dollar | 1.072680 | 0.932244 |
| Canadian Dollar | 1.090471 | 0.917035 |
| Emirati Dirham | 0.673050 | 0.272253 |
| Swiss Franc | 6.173501 | 1.100568 |
| Chinese Yuan Renminbi | 3.190865 | 0.161983 |
| Malaysian Ringgit | 1.174192 | 0.313395 |
| New Zealand Dollar |  | 0.851649 |

* At the moment, the dollar is weaker than the euro $(€)$ and the pound $\left(\ell_{\mathrm{g}}\right)$
* Our products would be deemed "cheaper" to Europeans due to buying power
* Will take into consideration for long term goals of international relations


## Industry Analysis - Real World

|  | OFFICE SUPPLIES | FURNITURE | ELECTRONICS |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Revenue | $\$ 21$ billion | $\$ 23$ billion | $\$ 76$ billion |
| Annual Growth | $-1.8 \%$ | $2.0 \%$ | $-2.0 \%$ |
| Employment | 100,690 | 109,081 | 328,425 |
| \# of Businesses <br> (U.S.) | 9,714 | 3,805 | 41,295 |

## Industry Analysis - Real World



## Industry Analysis - Virtual World



* Internationally many office supply retailers in
$>$ Austria
$>$ Germany
$>$ Spain
* Nationally - very few office supply retailers


## Industry Analysis - Virtual World

* Over 300 VE firms in U.S.
* All firms required to have an office equipment budget
* Average supplies expense: \$4,304*

| Average cost of TOTAL FIXED ASSETS | $\$ 28,000$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| Average amount of CASH | $\$ 443,435$ |
| Average amount in SALES | $\$ 1.2$ million |

*based on 2014-2015 NYC Certified Firms list

## Competitive Analysis

| Indirect Competitors | Direct Competitors |
| :--- | :--- |
| Fresh Designs | Oh! Furnishings |
| $375+$ VE Firms Nationwide | Business Casual Furnishings |
| Adams Electronics |  |
|  | High Tech <br> Next Dimension Technology, Inc. |


|  | Fresh Designs St. James, NY | Oh! Furnishings Queens, NY | Business Casual <br> Furnishings <br> Bellmore, NY | Gotham Enterprises New York, NY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| -Affordable office supplies | $\checkmark$ |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Modern technology |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Office furnishings |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |
| Ecoofriendy |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |

## Target Market \& Market Segmentation

## Geographics:



## Target Market \& Market Segmentation

Primary Market

* $70 \%$ of estimated 185 startup firms
Secondary Market
* $30 \%$ of $500+$ existing firms

Tertiary Market


* Non-VE customers


## Target Market \& Market Segmentation

|  | Primary Market | Secondary <br> Market | Tertiary Market |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Demographics | * Start-ups with an average of 25 employees <br> * Entrepreneurs <br> * Executive board <br> * 18-19 years old | * Businesses that existed for at least a year <br> * Sales revenue: $\$ 25,000$ <br> * Chief Operating Officer(s) <br> - 18-19 years old | * VE coordinators, school faculty, local businesses, visitors <br> * Discretionary Income <br> * 22-50 years old |
| Psychographics | * Prioritize affordability <br> * Looking to be productivite <br> * Eco-friendly | * Innovative <br> * Looking to update <br> * Value environmental sustainability | * Redesign home office or school desk <br> * Use Gotham's office supplies for school use |

## Product

* Eight different bundled packages
* Stay up to date with evolving technology while keeping cost low
* Saves time by reducing unnecessary purchasing hassle



## Price

* Cost-based pricing
* Flexible
* Profits are assured since we are operating on a markup percentage
* Bundled packages to make it simpler and easier for customers to choose from.


## Placement

* Cost-base pricing
* Interact directly with consumers by using direct distribution
* Ability to observe trends in the marketplace and changes in consumer preferences

Sales by Source


## Promotion



## Position

* Eco-friendly office supplier
* Loyal
* Responsible like Staples and Office depot
* Saves time and money by selling Bundles
* $3 \%$ off purchase for referrals


## SWOT Analysis

## Weaknesses

- New firm- not well known
- Interactions can be difficult with time zones


## Opportunities

- Half of total firms are expected to be start ups
- Firms are required to buy office supplies, furniture, etc.
- Constant change in staff can affect projections
- Preparation of trade fairs creates a demand


## Threats

- Start up firms can sell similiar products
- Bundles offer products that customers may not need
- August - October: start ups may have bought their necessities


## Risks \& Risks Addressed

## RISK IDENTIFIED RISK ADDRESSED

Our sales goals are not reached due to We can address this by conducting resistance in the market due to the high costs of our bundles additional market researched efforts directed at our target market to ensure we are addressing their product needs

The number of start-up firms in the US VE network is lower than originally anticipated, resulting in fewer sales of our office equipment bundles than projected.

Unforeseen circumstances prevent us from participating in one or more Trade Fairs we expect to attend.

We will shift our primary focus of sales from new and restarting VE firms, to existing firms looking to refurnish or expand their office. Additionally, we will also draw more focus to our line of office supplies and software.

We will send out email blasts to all participating firms, informing them that we are unable to have a physical presence at the given Trade Fair, and that our website will be fully operational for real-time purchases to be made.

## Breakeven Analysis



Average unit price: \$13, 896.62
Average variable cost: \$9, 727.63
Fixed costs: \$694, 968
Roughly 167 units to break even

## Income Statement

## SALES REVENUE



## Projected Cash Budget

## PROJECT CASH BALANCE



## Balance Sheet

|  | PROJECTED AS OF | Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | April 30, 2015 | Total Current |  |
| Assets |  | Liabilities | 233,863 |
| C |  | Loan payable | 266,452 |
| Current Assets |  | Total Liabilities | 500,315 |
| Cash | 665,706 | Stockholders' Equity |  |
| Accounts Receivable | 100,172 | Paid-in capital | 0 |
| Supplies | 1,000 | Common stock | 200,000 |
| Merchandise inventory | 45,000 | Retained earnings | 141,563 |
| Total Current Assets | 811,878 | Total Stockholders' |  |
| Total Fixed Assets | 30,000 | Equity | 341,563 |
| Total Assets | 841,878 | Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity | 841,878 |

## Income Statement

## Gotham Enterprises

Income Statement
For the Year Ending 04／30／2015

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## Cash Budget

Gotham Enterprises
Projected Cash Budget
Fiscal Year beginning 5/01/2014 ending 4/30/2015


## Business Risks



## In Summary

## Gotham Enterprises is:

* Rebranded, reimaged, and redefined
* Your one-stop shop for office furniture, equipment, and supplies
* Strategically positioned to have a successful year of operations
* Eco-friendly, affordable, and revolutionary

* Filling a much needed void in office furniture

* An EXCELLENT investment opportunity!



## Closing

## Thank you!

