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Interesting that the city would spend money out of town to attract out of town businesses to Fort Bragg. One easy step is rescinding the formula business ordinance. Fort Bragg has sent the message to everyone that corporations are not welcome here. Who else could handle something like the Rite Aid building? A nonprofit perhaps with grant funding. You get all the advice you need for free if you would just listen to the folks that are here and have been speaking up. Look at your survey. I don't recall seeing "more mom-and-pop stores"

Amazon has changed the world, fight for sales tax where a product is delivered, that would help a bit, but the politicians were way ahead of us on that. When they are open, ask Grocery Outlet how Fort Bragg compares to other locations as far as "encouraging business"

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