This 1890s home experienced a kitchen remodel in 2017 by the homeowners who removed walls and a back staircase to add a pantry and open the kitchen to the dining room. The style is a blend of Scandinavian modern with vintage feminine touches like the Moroccan tile backsplash and pale pink walls. Favorite details are the open kitchen with lots of counter space, radiant floor heat, marble hex tile flooring, and upper cabinets with small glass fronted inserts lit from within. The original island was changed to a peninsula with pendant lighting above. Grey custom-made lower kitchen cabinets with lots of drawers and white uppers all with polished nickel pulls from Restoration Hardware add charm while white quartzite countertops with grey veining, a Miele range, and Bosch double oven complete this wonderful space. A large built-in window seat at the bay window, original to the home, enhances this beautiful kitchen.

This empty-nester’s condo makes the most of every inch with this renovation, completed in 2017. Walls were removed at the home’s entrance and between the kitchen and dining room to create a fully open-concept first floor. In the kitchen, the floor-to-ceiling pantry cupboard with sliding shelves, a built-in wine rack over the stove, ceiling-height upper cabinets, and two islands, one a breakfast bar and one for prepping food are the homeowner’s favorite features. New black stainless appliances, an under-mounted sink, dramatic Silestone quartz countertops, seeded glass pendant lighting, and white Shaker-style cabinets with very modern hardware add to the appeal of this beautiful kitchen. A front courtyard greets tour-goers upon arrival.

This modern farmhouse-style home in Hermon was built in 2017. The kitchen features two exceptional islands made of beautiful Brazilian granite. The huge second island seats eight and features lovely pendant lighting and a prep sink. Two large under-mounted apron sinks grace this kitchen along with an electric double oven, extra large propane range, and a custom built wood-clad hood vent which matches the cabinetry. The dark gray cabinets on the smaller island contrast nicely with the pale gray on the uppers. The flooring is commercial-grade luxury LVT that has the look of wood but is more durable. The living room features a stone-surround gas fireplace. An oil burner heats this home and a heat pump cools it. The homeowner designed the landscaping which surrounds this attractive home.

Leathered granite in “fantasy brown” graces the countertops in the kitchen of this 1989 Cape renovated to a modern farmhouse style in 2017. The layout was changed by replacing a peninsula breakfast bar with a large L shaped island with bubble glass pendants above and seating for four. The lower cabinets are finished in a warm gray tone with white uppers featuring one glass-fronted door as an accent. A Vigo apron sink, stainless steel hood, and white subway tile backsplash with dark grout add to the modern feel. Some of the homeowner’s favorite features are a hidden trash/recycling drawer and a floor to ceiling pantry. Flooring is Armstrong LVT and paint color is pale gray in this lovely kitchen.

Rustic-modern with a touch of New Orleans flair best describes the interior of this beautiful 1950s home whose kitchen was renovated in 2017. Interior walls were removed to make four rooms into one large eat-in kitchen and living space which includes a barn door leading to the butler's pantry where all the kitchen appliances are cleverly disguised. The large island seats seven and is surrounded by navy cabinets with white blue-veined quartz counters and accented by hanging pendant lighting. The fireplace mantle in the living room, from Maine Heritage Timber, was hewn from a log found floating in the Penobscot and the brick surround, original to the home, was sourced from an old schoolhouse in Bangor that was being torn down. Designed with durable and kid-friendly materials for the five children living in this home, there are many features which have been built lower to accommodate them including a drawer-style microwave, a shallow stool drawer built into the toe kick at the beverage sink for easy hand washing, and a low snack drawer in the butler’s pantry. You’ll enjoy touring this lovely home.

Built in 1951, the kitchen in this mid-century ranch home was renovated into a lovely modern cottage style by the homeowners, most of the work completed by the husband in 2016 which included installation of the kitchen cabinets, tile and trim work, plumbing, electrical, and much more. A breakfast bar was added along with a new gas range, double oven, tap/touch faucet, large under-mounted apron sink, a floor-to-ceiling pantry cabinet, granite countertops, and glass subway tile backsplash. The homeowner is particularly excited about the new stainless steel hood. You will find cherry oak wood flooring throughout, a dining room set from the wife's childhood home that her husband refurbished when they married, and custom built-ins on either side of the fireplace. This “smart house” has many high-tech features including integrated lighting and door locks controlled by Google Home, and Nest thermostats, to name a few.