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To whom it may concern,

I'm writing this letter to show my support for Jason Watt and his team. I have worked as a paramedic for over 15 years in both urban and remote areas. This career has taken me to many remote places and austere environments. Having a stretcher that can access these places would be incredibly beneficial to both patients and rescuers/paramedics. Patient and paramedic safety is always our number one priority. I have been part of the Ski Patrol system for over 30 years. I started off at a small hill in Hamilton, On and quickly moved west to the Mountains of Northern California and now continue to work part time at my local ski hill in the Ottawa Valley. Having a stretcher that can access a patient on the ski hill would reduce worker stress and injury and increase patient safety. Having access to a tracked stretcher to help access and safely extricated a patient from remote and harsh environments would greatly reduce the time to definitive care for many patients, leading to a better outcome post injury and illness.

Yours truly,

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