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To Whom it May Concern,

I'm writing on behalf of the Base Camp Brewing Co. family to document our whole-hearted support of the proposed rehabilitation project plans for the Tilly Jane A-Frame submitted by the Oregon Nordic Club.

Both the Base Camp team and our customers throughout Oregon and Washington treasure the Tilly Jane cabin. Many of us have taken advantage of the cabin for an overnight around the Timberline Trail, or for winter lodging during a day of backcountry skiing.

In part, what makes the Tilly Jane cabin so special is its history. Having access to a safe, warm lodge during a stormy winter night, and knowing that you're sharing that experience with the over seventy years' worth of Oregonians that have stayed there since its construction, makes for an incredibly unique adventure.

Without the cabin, overnight winter access to Mt. Hood is limited to exposed, sometimes dangerous, tent camping or lodging in the towns and resorts farther downslope. Rehabilitating and continuing to maintain the Tilly Jane A-Frame will ensure fuller and safer public access to Oregon's winter season crown jewel.

Myself, my team, and our community of patrons, friends, and like-minded folks throughout the Northwest look forward to all the future solace and adventure that publicly accessible assets like the Tilly Jane cabin provide. It's truly an Oregon treasure, and deserves to be maintained. Please don't hesitate to approve funding for the deferred maintenance and rehabilitation needs of this unique, historic structure.

Thanks for your consideration.

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