

SkiTheBeav Inc. 30 Long Pond Road Concord, NH 03301

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Brian LeBrun Deputy Finance Manager City of Concord 41 Green Street Concord, NH 03301

Subject: Request to Store Trailer at Beaver Meadow Golf Course

Dear Mr. LeBrun,

On behalf of SkiTheBeav Inc., I am writing to request your support to store a 16 foot utility trailer at Beaver Meadow Golf Course. SkiTheBeav is in discussions to potentially purchase approximately 60 cross country skis and boots and an enclosed Thule trailer from Manchester Moves, a local nonprofit. Manchester Moves was founded to remove barriers for residents to enjoy outdoor recreation through providing access to sports equipment. The organization acquired cross country skis, boots and poles and a utility trailer to store them. Since then the organization has pivoted its focus to rail trails and no longer needs this equipment. They approached SkitheBeav when they decided to sell off the equipment.

Having cross country ski equipment available for those who do not own equipment will increase the accessibility of skiing at Beaver Meadow Golf Course. Last year Beaver Meadow Golf Course hosted the New England Nordic Ski Association's <u>Learn to Ski Day</u> which was a highly successful event with 76 registered attendees, nearly all of whom had never skied before. The biggest constraint to the size of the event was the number of skis and boots available for people wanting to participate who did not have access to equipment.

Manchester Moves purchased a Thule utility trailer which they outfitted to hold skis and boots. We believe this trailer would be an excellent place in which to store the equipment at Beaver Meadow Golf Course. It could be used to store other equipment used to host or attend ski races as well. Beaver Meadow also owns two pulks which are currently stored off-site due to lack of storage.

We are hereby requesting permission to store this 16 foot utility trailer at Beaver Meadow. We hope that during the ski season the trailer could be positioned in the parking lot near where the skiers access the trails. The sides of the trailer could be utilized to display maps of the ski trails, updates on trail conditions, information regarding events, etc. In the off-season we hope this trailer could be stored by the storage sheds.

Thank you for considering our proposal. We eagerly await your response and the opportunity to discuss this project in more detail. If you require any additional information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at skithebeav603@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Sam Evans-Brown Chair, 603.498.3844