**Scottish Mountain Bike Innovation Centre - Letter of Support**

Name ……………………………………………………..

Company ……………………………………………………..

located in ……………………………………………………..

I would like to submit my strategic support for the development of a Mountain Bike Innovation Centre in the UK. In the below table I have expressed my company’s’ potential interest and have explained why these facilities and services are important to our business. I understand this information this does not form any kind of commitment and the information will only be used to support the development of a full business case to be submitted to representatives of the UK and Scottish government through the Borderlands Growth Deal.

Signed;

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| **Proposed service/facility** | **Would your company pay for service/ facility?** | **How many times a year might you use this service/facility?** | **What in particular is important about this service/facility to your business?**  Are there specific pieces of kit that you would like to see in this part on the Innovation Hub? |
| Development testing equipment.  For example;  Instrumented trails, environmental testing chamber, vibration analysis equipment. | Yes/No |  |  |
| Development ‘Maker’ lab equipment for prototyping; 3D printer, lathes, CNC machine, spray booth etc. | Yes/No |  |  |
| Easy access to university partner research network to solve issues or promote/fund socially important research | Yes/No |  |  |
| Standards testing, including a new benchmarking ‘Scottish Standard’ | Yes/No |  |  |
| Utilise long term office space as satellite location OR main office (delete as appropriate) | Yes/No |  |  |
| Utilise short term office space for project use | Yes/No |  |  |
| Events space for product launches, team events, brand events and potentially how many. | Yes/No |  |  |
| Events space and facilities for public facing dealer and demo events and potentially how many. | Yes/No |  |  |
| Any other feedback and expressions of support that have not been covered? |