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I wanted to take a moment to express our sincere gratitude for the funding that supported SledTRX's development. This grant played a critical role in helping us transition from an MVP website to the beta release of our mobile app, a significant milestone for our business. With this progress, we were able to shift from an advertisement-based model to a subscription-based service—an essential step toward ensuring long-term sustainability and growth.

Beyond our own success, SledTRX directly supports local snowmobile clubs, the nonprofit organizations that maintain Maine's extensive trail network, which is a vital driver of winter tourism and the rural economy. Additionally, our software has been developed exclusively through Maine-based talent, from recent UMaine graduates to experienced local freelancers, keeping the economic impact within our state.

As you know, software development is both expensive and complex, regardless of the enthusiasm for the product. This grant was instrumental in making our vision a reality, and we hope similar opportunities will be available in the future to help us continue growing. If you're interested in learning more about our business and its impact, visit us at SledTRX.com.

Thank you again for your support, and we appreciate your continued efforts to fund programs that drive innovation and economic growth in Maine.