



## **Norman Hanson DeTroy is proud to announce its sponsorship of the US Biathlon Team and the Maine Winter Sports Center!**

**Peter DeTroy, Norman Hanson DeTroy’s senior member, spoke for the firm: “We are proud to support the best of Maine’s youth as they participate in competition around the world and as they prepare for the games in Vancouver. Their hard work, team spirit, and pursuit of excellence are values we all share and we couldn’t be more excited to stand behind them. We know that these dedicated men and women have what it takes to make history. Join us as we cheer the US team on to victory!”**

Biathlon is a sport that captures the attention and imagination of everyone who sees it. It combines the most physically demanding sport of cross-country skiing with the focus and precision of rifle marksmanship. These opposing disciplines collide at the shooting range. With their hearts pounding nearly three times a second, the athletes struggle to control their breathing as they shoot, knowing that every shot and the number of seconds it takes to make it, will determine who stands on the podium that day. To learn more about Biathlon and the US Biathlon team, visit [www.usbiathlon.org](http://www.usbiathlon.org).

The Maine Winter Sports Center works around the state to re-establish skiing as a lifestyle in Maine. At the heart of this effort is the goal of creating a new economic and cultural model for Maine’s rural communities - one that keeps young families together and attracts businesses looking for a high quality of life for their employees. In this model community-run non-profit ski areas provide an epicenter for programs for all ages and serve as economic engines for these communities. These programs also provide the young athletes the foundation they will need to be Olympians should they chose to pursue

that goal. For all involved, the programs stress commitment, discipline and personal responsibility, a solid foundation for success in life. To learn more about the mission and work of the Maine Winter Sports Center, visit [www.mainewsc.org](http://www.mainewsc.org).

