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Dear Dr. Owen:

Group 12, consisting of D. Dworakowski, R. Jeong, N. Le, J. Park, F. Zhang, is submitting this report for review.

Members are responsible to work collaboratively and competitively, applying the design process to fulfill the projects goal. The goal this term involves designing and building a device to go over a wall and delivering a package. The detailed design analysis, selection of material and parts, and final CAD drawings are outlined in this report. The purpose of this report is to present the detailed design and the analysis of the robot.

In this project, the group aims to study and apply the design process in a multidisciplinary environment. Members will make decisions and evaluate trade-offs by applying knowledge from different courses. Likewise, students will develop further interpersonal skills, such as leadership and teamwork. This engineering challenge will give group members the experience they need to go through a full design process. This ultimately provides an opportunity to produce a useful and interesting product.

Group 12 believes that this project provides an opportunity to gain the skills required to be an effective engineer. To that end, all the students in group 12 are aware of the University of Waterloos academic integrity policy 71 student discipline and have been and will be following it throughout this project. Non-original ideas will be credited and cited to the original author.

Sincerely,

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Executive Summary

Citizens live in the region between the inner and outer walls, making them vulnerable to attacks from monsters beyond the wall. The inner city needs a safe, efficient, and autonomous method to deliver supplies over a wall to those in need in case of emergency. This report outlines the design analysis and parts selection to build a device capable of solving this problem. The report explores design analysis in the fields of mechanical, electrical and controls engineering of a robot capable of jumping over obstacles. Engineering design analysis techniques such as stress analysis, differential dynamics modelling, kinematic analysis and simulations facilitate analysis and evaluation of design choices. Project management techniques such as work breakdown structure divides a complex problem into small and solvable tasks. Using the bill of materials, a budget of 500 Canadian dollars is requested. Responsibility of design analysis and calculations are shared by discussing the strengths and interests of each team member. Gantt charts aid in prioritizing those tasks to meet important milestones along the project. Given the progress of the project so far, estimates were made for important milestones to project completion, including a construction check in week 9, with completion being projected in week 12. Currently, an initial prototype has been created and tested to ensure the viability of the project. In conclusion, the team makes detailed engineering design decisions that are either theoretically guaranteed to perform correctly or are experimentally tested to ensure the proper functionality.

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