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Comments: Off road E bikes are necessary for older folks to enjoy outdoor trails that are impossible to travel on without assistance. An E bike offers NO noise pollution, NO exhaust pollution, and does less damage than a horse traveling on a trail. These bikes definitely need a separate classification than "motorized vehicle".

Whether older people get assistance from a small electric motor or one with squirrels running on a treadmill, they should be allowed to venture into the forests and trails just as any bicycle should.