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Comments: I am a 68 year old disabled veteran and I did not have the strength or endurance to ride most trails until I recently purchased an e-Mtb. I also bought my wife one who is also a disabled vet. Where we ride here in Colorado there are many younger riders on non-electric bikes which travel the trail much, much faster than we do on our e-bikes. I'm fine with limiting Class 3 bikes because I think you should still have to peddle. Those who say the e-bikes are so much faster than standard bikes are ill-informed. All bikes gather speed when traveling downhill due to gravity and that actually makes standard bikes faster going downhill because of less weight. There will also be negligent riders who ride too fast regardless of the type of bike they ride but to ban e-bikes will significantly limit those of us who are older or partially disabled.