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Comments: I urge you to increase eMTB access to National Forests. Ebikes allow people with disabilities or lower level fitness to enjoy forests in a way they would not be able to otherwise.

I encourage people to try an eMTB - they were in no way comparable to the power and trail impact of actual dirtbikes or motorized vehicles. An ebike is just 20 - 25 lbs heavier than a regular mountain bike. The weight variance between mountain bikers of different sizes, men, women, and children is greater than the difference in weight between ebikes and mountain bikes.