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As an older athlete and backcountry Enthusiast (61 years young) I have to say that the class one Ebike development has been a blessing for boomers and people with physical limitations that have a passion for cycling. The Emountain bike has opened the door for older cyclist to ride longer trails and also ride with younger cyclist in areas that may have become to Strenuous for them to complete. I was very Disappointed to find that many of my Favorite trails in the Chugach National Forrest are now closed to Ebike use. It has been my observation that even though Ebikes have a motor they don't have any more of an negative impact on trails than very fit riders. Please consider opening all trails in the forrest to Ebikes that are open to analog bicycles. Thank you for the Opportunity to provide input.

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