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Comments: I believe people who go to the Forest Service woods and wildlands for recreation deserve to find places where there are NO motorized vehicles of any kind.

Motorized vehicles, even e-bikes, are detrimental to a wild experience.

1) Their presence, speed and noise will frighten wildlife and birds, to say nothing of other humans using the trails.

2) They travel much faster than a person on foot, and will present a traffic hazard to those of us who love to amble along in the wild.

3) Their extra power will erode trails, making it more difficult to walk into the woods.

Last but not least, there are already plenty of places where motorized vehicles are allowed to play.

It is IMPERATIVE that forest service wild lands remain a place of silence and slowness. The speeders can and should go elsewhere.