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Comments: Please do NOT allow ebikes to be used within forests! As a hiker, I would feel threatened on a trail if a bike that can go 55 mph came zooming up behind me, likely forcing me off the trail. These things do not belong on hiking trails. EVER. Also, because of their speed and quiet nature, e-bikes can travel much farther into the backcountry, and startle and disturb wildlife over far greater distances. E-bikes also conflict with other nonmotorized trail users like hikers, horseback riders, and bicyclists.

So. NO. NO. NO. to ebikes on hiking trails.