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Comments: Thank you for the opportunity for the public to engage on FSM 7700 and 7710, which would revise Forest Service directives to update and clarify guidance on management of electric bicycle (e-bike) use on National Forest System lands.

I'm 71 years old. Started riding mountain bikes at 49 years old.

Started racing downhill at 50 years old.

Five time national champ; two national second places; two NORBA series championships.

The people I ride with are between 40 & 50 years old and are strong technical riders.

I have not been riding with them for some years because I am sensitive to holding them up.

Then I bought a Specialized Turbo Levo class 1 emountain bike.

NOW I CAN RIDE WITH ANYBODY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

An emountain bike weighs a little more than a downhill mountain bike and has no more affect on trails than a typical mountain bike.

CLASS 1 EMOUNTAIN BIKES SHOULD BE ALLOWED ON ANY MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAIL!!!