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Comments: I do not believe e bikes should be allowed on trails. The non motorized status is a clear designation meant to delineate trails from off road vehicle roads and trails. Opening to motorized traffic starts a gateway to progressively loosening restrictions until throttles are allowed as well. Further crowding of trails would impact the enjoyment of those who choose to recreate under their own power. Additionally, the weight and torque of e bikes would surely lead to greater trail wear and more frequent need of maintenance.