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Comments: Electric-assisted mountain bikes aren't exclusively motorized vehicles and shouldn't be classified as such. We shouldn't be putting them in the same categories as ATVs and Motorbikes.

Electric-assist mountain bikes can be used by people who aren't strong enough to pedal their way to the top of steep hills, and should be seen more as an item for the disabled. They should be allowed on trails like anyone else. Do we ban motorized wheelchairs from paths that don't allow ATVs?

There is no law that says you need some official disability designation to use a motorized wheelchair, so there should be no special designation for a motorized mountain bike, either.