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Comments: To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing to discourage the approval ebikes on non-motorized trails on public Federal lands. These bikes can go very fast, and therefore have the potential to do more damage to the trails than a hiker or mountain biker. Trail maintenance is already underfunded, and adding this use to the trails will cause them to deteriorate even faster. If added, they should ONLY be added to trails that currently allow mountain bikes so as to not make existing hiking or equestrian trails less safe, which they will certainly do.

Thank you for your consideration.

- Joe Murphy