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Comments: I oppose the proposed changes to E-Bike usage on National Forrest lands including all Wilderness Areas. These motorized vehicles can travel as fast as 55 miles per hour and will certainly degrade and destroy the wilderness experience.

E-Bikes ruin trails and have a very negative effect on wildlife. They will allow hunters, whom I am one of, travel many miles farther than what they normally would be able to and destroy the fair chase experience. Many more game animals will be harvested to the detriment of existing herds. This should not be allowed!

On a recent trip to Glacier National Park E-Bikes were allowed on roads closed to motorized vehicles to the consternation of many people riding regular bike or walking! Some said that you might as well allow motorcycles! In closing, I very much oppose this change to the rules. Motorized use in our Wilderness Areas and even on many regular trails has not been allowed for many good reasons, and let's not let this happen now!!!