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Comments: Hello,

I agreed with American Mountain Bike Riders' position and oppose the NFS proposal as it is written. Further:

- * Don't agree with the NFS proposal. It's a non-starter. Doesn't help achieve eMTB access and threatens non-motorized trails.
- * Don't agree that all e-bikes should be classified as motor vehicles and restricted to motorized trails for dirt bikes and off-road motorcycles.
- * Recommend you get in step with the other federal land management agencies, the National Park Service and BLM as well as the majority of states and classify e-bikes as bikes.

We are American Mountain Bike Riders (AMBR), a new national organization that advocates for e-mountain bike (eMTB) access to non-motorized natural surface trails. We advocate for equal access for pedal-assist bikes where other mountain bikes are allowed. A Class 1 electric mountain bike (eMTB) is a mountain bike and should be permitted where existing bikes are allowed but not where existing bikes are not allowed.

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