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Comments: Teton FreeRiders supports the proposed allowed use of class 1 e-bikes on the Teton Pass trails as well as extending their seasonal use on Horsetail Creek and Munger Mountain. Studies have shown that Class 1 e-mountain bikes have little to no more impact on trails than non-electric mountain bikes. Our experience has shown that e-mountain bikes are no faster descending trails than non-electric mountain bikes. We believe e-bikes will allow more people access and opportunities to experience our exceptional trails. We endorse the BTNF's proactive proposal to manage a new and fast growing group of trail users.