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Comments: Allowing e-bikes on the trails will kill the hiking. Look at the schools when several hundred kids are heading home as a swarm on their e-bikes. Fatalities are, sadly, certain to follow the many injuries our hospitals now handle. Yes, trail use is different, but the numbers of users, their speed, their weight, will eventually result in very unfavorable outcomes.

If a rider cannot go uphill on a regular mountain bike, they should not be up there. Accommodating the challenged is a chimera. Some people can't get up the Grand; so should we allow some mechanized system in order to help them up?