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Comments: I am a long time user of the mountain bike trail system(s) in the Bend area and other areas around the state. I purchased a high-end, class 1 pedal-assist e-bike back in 2020 after a very serious motorcycle crash, as a means to assist with my recovery. While I ultimately got myself back to normal and back on my analog bike, I have seen many others out on assisted bikes in the same boat as I was, where that is the difference between getting in some time on the trails as opposed to not being able to. I have ridden my class 1 bike in many mountain bike trail systems where it is legal to do so, and I have not seen any negative impacts from them. it seems logical to allow this at this point in time