

PRESS RELEASE

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RANCHO SIMI RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT ELECTRONIC BIKE AND SCOOTER GUIDELINES

In an effort to keep trails and open space safe for everyone, the Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District (RSRPD) recently published an informational guide to educate the public on the rules related to electronic bicycle and scooter use on Park District property.

RSRPD currently allows electric bikes with 750-watt motors or less, pedal assist only, with a motor assisted speed of no more than 15 miles per hour. E-scooters are also permitted, provided they do not exceed 15 miles per hour.

E-bikes and e-scooters not meeting these requirements, as well as all e-motorcycles, are not permitted on RSRPD property because they are difficult to hear and can be a threat to the safety of other hikers, bikers, and equestrians.

For more information, please contact the Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District at (805) 584-4400 or email info@rsrpd.us.

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RESPONSIBLE E-BIKE RIDING

WHAT'S AN E-BIKE?

An electric bicycle (E-Bike) is a bicycle with fully operable pedals and an electric motor of less than 750 watts, or the equivalent of a Class I e-bike. Certain e-bikes are allowed on Rancho Simi Trails and Open Space, and some are not.

What's Allowed?



Pedal Assist Only



Max Speed 15 MPH



E-Scooters

What's Not Allowed?



Unclassified E-Bikes
without pedal assist



Electric Motorcycles
without pedal assist



E-Bikes Traveling
over 15MPH

For more information visit www.rsrpd.org