



## **Electric Assisted Bicycle and other Electric Assisted Vehicle Regulation**

Electric assisted vehicles (including but not limited to e-bikes, e-skateboards, e-scooters, etc.) are prohibited on all Lake Roland trails and other areas of the park not designated for motorized vehicles, regardless of trail width or surface (paved, gravel, natural surface). This prohibition does not include Governmentally authorized or Lake Roland Nature Council vehicles/equipment of any kind.

The operation of electric assisted vehicles is permitted in all Lake Roland areas where motorized vehicles are permitted, e.g. interior public-use roads, parking lots, etc. Public use roads should not be interpreted as any form of walking trail or peninsula loop.

Based on the speed that these electrically assisted vehicles are able to achieve, they pose a safety risk and danger to other park patrons; in particular patrons that are fragile such as elderly or children that are unable to get out of the way of the user in time and the resulting high-speed impact that can occur. This danger increases exponentially in areas of the park that are visually obstructed regarding visual site lines.

This regulation/prohibition does not apply to electrically powered mobility devices such as wheelchairs or scooters that are permitted based on ADA guidelines.