

Traditional Skateboards

Definition:

- A flat object with wheels attached that can be moved by pushing, pulling, gravity, or body movement.
- Most regulations governing skateboards apply to roller blades, in-line skates, roller skates and coasters as well.



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21212 CVC)
- No age limit or license required

City Regulations:

- Must obey all applicable bicycle laws (13.54.010 BMC)
- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.54.040 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the street or sidewalk in a business district (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate in any public park or city parking lot (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not ride at night on any street, alley or sidewalk (13.54.050 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.54.020 BMC)

Electrically Motorized Skateboards

Definition:

- Any wheeled device that has a floorboard designed to be stood upon when riding (313.5 CVC)
- Designed to transport only one person (313.5 CVC)

- Can be powered solely by a propulsion system or by human propulsion (313.5 CVC)
- Less than 1000 watts (313.5 CVC)
- Maximum speed of 20 mph (313.5 CVC)



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21292 CVC)
- 15 mph speed limit (21294 CVC)
- Required lighting at night (21293 CVC)
- Must be 16 years of age to operate (21292 CVC)

City Regulations:

- Must obey all applicable bicycle laws (13.54.010 BMC)
- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.54.040 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the street or sidewalk in a business district (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate in any public park or city parking lot (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not ride at night on any street, alley or sidewalk (13.54.050 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.54.020 BMC)

Motorized Skateboards

Definition:

- Any wheeled device that has a floorboard designed to be stood upon when riding (313.5 CVC)
- Designed to transport only one person (313.5 CVC)
- Can be powered solely by a propulsion system or by human propulsion (313.5 CVC)
- Over 1000 watts (313.5 CVC)

- Maximum speed over 20 mph (313.5 CVC)



State Regulations:

- A motorized skateboard shall not be propelled on any sidewalk, roadway, or any other part of a highway or on any bikeway, bicycle path or trail, equestrian trail, or hiking or recreational trail (i.e. they are not street legal). (21968 CVC)

City Regulations:

- N/A as they are not street legal

Traditional Bicycles

Definition:

- A device propelled by human power through a belt, chain or gears, and has one or more wheels. (231 CVC)



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21212 CVC)
- Must obey all applicable traffic laws (21200 CVC)
- No passengers allowed unless specifically designed to do so (21204 CVC)
- Required equipment such as brakes, lighting at night, etc. (21201 CVC)
- No age limit or license required

City Regulations:

- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.52.130 BMC)
- Required lighting at night (13.52.140 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a business district (13.52.100 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present (13.52.100 BMC)
- Must yield to pedestrians in public parks and playgrounds and obey all posted park rules and speed limits (13.52.180 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.52.110 BMC)

E-Bikes (Class 1)

Definition:

- Electric bicycle that provides pedal-assist only (i.e. the motor only assists when the rider is pedaling). (312.5 CVC)
- It does not have a throttle. (312.5 CVC)
- Motor assist cuts off when the bike reaches 20 mph. (312.5 CVC)
- *These are the types of e-bikes we provide to our residents and visitors via our Spin contract*



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21212 CVC)
- Must obey all applicable traffic laws (21200 CVC)
- No passengers allowed unless specifically designed to do so (21204 CVC)
- Required equipment such as brakes, lighting at night, etc. (21201 CVC)
- No age limit or license required (24016 CVC)

City Regulations:

- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.52.130 BMC)
- Required lighting at night (13.52.140 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a business district (13.52.100 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present 13.52.100 BMC)
- Must yield to pedestrians in public parks and playgrounds and obey all posted park rules and speed limits (13.52.180 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.52.110 BMC)

E-Bikes (Class 2)

Definition:

- Electric bicycle that is equipped with a throttle-assisted motor. (312.5 CVC)
- Allows a rider to engage the motor without pedaling. (312.5 CVC)
- Motor assist cuts off when the bike reaches 20 mph. (312.5 CVC)



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21212 CVC)
- Must obey all applicable traffic laws (21200 CVC)
- No passengers allowed unless specifically designed to do so (21204 CVC)
- Required equipment such as brakes, lighting at night, etc. (21201 CVC)
- No age limit or license required (24016 CVC)

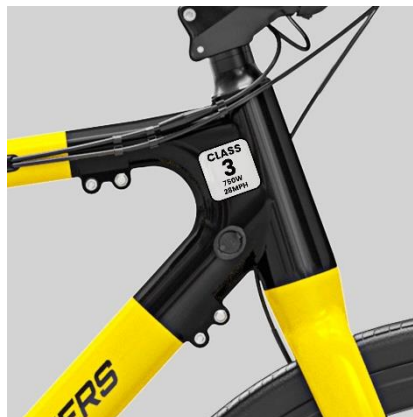
City Regulations:

- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.52.130 BMC)
- Required lighting at night (13.52.140 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a business district (13.52.100 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present 13.52.100 BMC)
- Must yield to pedestrians in public parks and playgrounds and obey all posted park rules and speed limits (13.52.180 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.52.110 BMC)

E-Bikes (Class 3)

Definition:

- Electric bicycle that is equipped with a throttle-assisted motor. (312.5 CVC)
- Allows a rider to engage the motor without pedaling. (312.5 CVC)
- Motor assist cuts off when the bike reaches 28 mph. (312.5 CVC)



State Regulations:

- Helmets required at any age (21212 CVC)
- Must obey all applicable traffic laws (21200 CVC)
- No passengers allowed unless specifically designed to do so (21204 CVC)
- Required equipment such as brakes, lighting at night, etc. (21201 CVC)
- Must be 16 years of age to operate. No license required. (22213 CVC)

City Regulations:

- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.52.130 BMC)
- Required lighting at night (13.52.140 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a business district (13.52.100 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present 13.52.100 BMC)
- Must yield to pedestrians in public parks and playgrounds and obey all posted park rules and speed limits (13.52.180 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.52.110 BMC)

E-Dirt Bikes

Definition:

- Resembles an e-bike but with no pedals or ability to be pedaled.
- Powered by an electric motor and throttle only.
- Designed for off road use only
- Can reach speeds of 40-50 mph.



State Regulations:

- A shall not be propelled on any sidewalk, roadway, or any other part of a highway or on any bikeway, bicycle path or trail, equestrian trail, or hiking or recreational trail (i.e. they are not street legal).

City Regulations:

- N/A as they are not street legal

Motorized Scooters

Definition:

- Two-wheeled device that has handle bars.
- Designed to be stood upon when riding (or can have a seat with footrests).
- Powered by an electric motor.



State Regulations:

- Helmets required if under 18 years of age (21235 CVC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk (21235 CVC)
- Must obey all applicable traffic laws (21221 CVC)
- 15 mph speed limit (22411 CVC)
- No passengers allowed (21235 CVC)
- Required equipment such as brakes, lighting at night, etc. (21235 and 21223 CVC)

- Must be 16 years of age and have valid driver's license or permit to operate (21235 CVC)

City Regulations:

- Must obey all applicable bicycle laws (13.54.010 BMC)
- Must obey all traffic signs and signals (13.54.040 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the street or sidewalk in a business district (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate in any public park or city parking lot (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not operate on the sidewalk in a residential district when pedestrians are present (13.54.020 BMC)
- Shall not ride at night on any street, alley or sidewalk (13.54.050 BMC)
- No passengers allowed (13.54.020 BMC)

E-Go Karts

Definition:

- Small, battery-powered vehicle that uses an electric motor.
- Can be controlled by a joystick or pedal.
- Can reach speeds of 25-50 mph



State Regulations:

- An e-go kart shall not be propelled on any sidewalk, roadway, or any other part of a highway or on any bikeway, bicycle path or trail, equestrian trail, or hiking or recreational trail (i.e. they are not street legal).

City Regulations:

- N/A as they are not street legal