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The intent of this change is to allow the use of motor assisted bicycles to our trail system and conform to the Federal definition of bicycle.

Amend Appendix L, Rules and Regulations - Papio Trails System

Add to Section A, Definitions:
7) Bicycle: shall mean a device with two or three wheels, fully operative pedals for propulsion by human power or an electric motor with a capacity not exceeding seven hundred fifty watts which produces no more than one brake horsepower and is capable of propelling the bicycle at a maximum design speed of no more than twenty miles per hour on ground level ground.

Amend Section B, Rules and Regulations, Paragraph 5 (a):
5) Motorized Vehicles
a) All motorized vehicles shall be prohibited on the trail area except wheelchairs operated by the mobility impaired, bicycles as defined in Section A, emergency vehicles and equipment, and District maintenance vehicles.

Staff Comment:

Amend Appendix K, Rules and Regulations for P-MRNRD Recreation Areas

Add to Definitions:
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Amend Paragraph 21. Traffic
F. No motorized vehicles shall be allowed on recreation area trails except authorized handicap wheelchairs.

Staff will bring forward a recommendation to the Subcommittee, to make the necessary changes for adoption and incorporation to the District Policy Manual for this item, along with other policy manual changes in December.