

Regional Trail Corporation

Mobility Device Policy

Revision 2

As approved by the RTC Board on December 13, 2023

In accordance with the US Department of Justice (DOJ), Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), revised regulations for Titles II and III, the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design of 15 November 2010, and Vehicle Code (75 PA C.S.) - Neighborhood electric vehicles, operation of pedacycles with electric assist and operation of vehicle without official certification inspection, Act of Oct. 22, 2014, P.L. 2543, No. 154 C1. 75, Session 2014 No. 2014-154, the RTC adopts the following policies:

1. To accommodate mobility disabled persons, wheelchairs and similar devices built specifically for mobility disabilities are permitted.

2. E-bikes that meet the following criteria are permitted:
 - a. Are propelled by fully-operating pedals or by pedal-assist power.
 - b. Have motors that are 750 watts or less.
 - c. Weigh less than 100 pounds (43kg).
 - d. Are no more than 36 inches wide.
 - e. Have two or three wheels.

3. The following are not permitted:
 - a. Devices powered by throttle only, by accelerator pedals, or by internal combustion engines.
 - b. Using the electric motor to move any device without pedaling.
 - c. Riding an e-bike at a speed in excess of the 15 mph speed limit.
 - d. Motorized skateboards, scooters, or similar devices with any number of wheels.