

ELECTRIC MOTORCYCLES

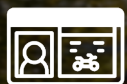
WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Electric bicycles and pocket bikes are popular amongst young riders; however, some of these “bikes” are considered motorcycles by Florida State statute. Electric motorcycles that do not have pedals are subject to the same rules as traditional motorcycles.

RULES AND REGULATIONS



They are considered a motor vehicle, and therefore must be registered and have a license plate.



Driver must possess a valid Class E operator's license with Motorcycle Endorsement.



Cannot be driven on sidewalks.



Must have helmet if under 21 years of age.



Must obey all traffic control devices and applicable traffic laws.



These vehicles can reach dangerous speeds, and when driven in an unsafe manner, can impact the safety of the rider and others.

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STATE LAW REQUIREMENTS

Type	Driver's License	Registration	Roadway	Sidewalk & Bike Path
 Motorized Scooter/Go-Ped	No	No	Yes	Yes
 Pocket Bike	Yes	Yes*	No	No
 Moped	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes, only using pedal power
 Electric Bicycle	No	No	Yes	Yes



** Pocket bikes are classified as motor vehicles; however, they cannot be registered for use on public roads because they do not meet the federal Motor Vehicle Safety Act standards. Pocket bikes may not be operated on sidewalks unless authorized by ordinance.*



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