

Utility Mailer
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City of Boulder City



Bike Ordinance and Helmet Requirements for Minors



The overwhelming popularity of electric bikes (e-bikes) and electric scooters (e-scooters) has changed personal mobility as well as recreation around Boulder City. Unfortunately, there have been major injuries and even deaths due to accidents with these devices throughout Clark County. As a result of these tragic incidents, many communities have adopted bike and e-bike safety ordinances in the past year.

Boulder City Council approved its own ordinance to establish comprehensive regulations for the operation of bicycles, e-bikes, e-scooters, skates, toy vehicles, scooters and skateboards. The ordinance, which became effective in September, covers circumstances that are not addressed in state law. Boulder City's ordinance is the strongest in Clark County, as it makes helmets mandatory for all minors on regular bicycles, in addition to e-bikes and e-scooters.

In addition, the ordinance:

- Adds definitions for bicycles, e-bicycles, e-scooters, roller skates, scooters and skateboards;
- Establishes a speed limit of 15 mph for all devices operating on the sidewalk or multi-use path (with the exception of the River Mountains Loop Trail);
- Prohibits all motorized forms of transportation from being ridden upon recreational facilities in City parks such as grass, fields, playgrounds, or courts;
- Adds non-motorized scooters to our code, and prohibits their use on roadways, instead requiring their operation on sidewalks or similar paths, and giving them the status of pedestrians, similar to individuals on roller skates or skateboards under our current code;
- Prohibits the use of bicycles, electric bicycles, electric scooters, skates, toy vehicles, scooters and skateboards on sidewalks or other paths contiguous and adjacent to the public access of buildings in use for commercial purposes.

Fines for violations are civil traffic infractions and are proposed at \$150.00 for the first violation, \$250.00 for the second, and \$600.00 for the third and subsequent; parents are financially responsible for tickets given to minors. Learn more about the ordinance at www.bcnv.org/bikesafety.

Grants have made it possible for the Fire Department and Clark County School District to provide free helmets to 300 kids so far this year. If you have a child in need of a helmet, email the Boulder City Fire Department at fire@bcnv.org or call 702.589.9641.



Boulder City, Nevada Way Invite You to “Back to Boulder”



Thank you for your patience during the Nevada Way Reconstruction project! Boulder City invites you to see the improvements to our streets and sidewalks in our Historic Downtown District. Decorative sidewalks and other final touches will be completed over the next few months. The project was timed to coincide with the hottest (and least busy)

months of the year - July, August and September - with most work completed on weeknights to lessen impacts to businesses. Completed items include:

- **Street Rehabilitation** – Replaced 23-year old asphalt failing from traffic and extreme weather.
- **Infrastructure Improvements** - Replaced 50+ year old water services and replaced two mainline water valves.
- **Improving Access and Walkability for All** - Providing a dedicated walkway for pedestrians near businesses with outdoor seating and displays. Sidewalk extensions now meet Public Right-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines standards.

When you come “Back to Boulder,” you help your neighbors!

With cooler temperatures and a variety of upcoming community events, we hope you will come “Back to Boulder.” Drop in and visit your favorite local stores and restaurants. Enjoy a beverage - a hot one or a cold one. Buy gifts for the family. Every dollar you spend helps business owners and employees - your neighbors.

Follow us on social media for several upcoming events along Nevada Way!

- **The Dillinger Block Party - Saturday, October 25**
- **Small Business Saturday - November 29**
- **New Years Eve Street Party - December 31**

The Nevada Way Reconstruction project was funded by the Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada and the Utility Fund.



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