

TOWN OF MT. CRESTED BUTTE
RESOLUTION NO. 12
SERIES 2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MT. CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO, REVISING THE ELECTRONIC BICYCLE REBATE PROGRAM FOR APPROVED TOWN RESIDENTS

WHEREAS, the Town of Mt. Crested Butte is a home-rule municipality operating under a charter approved by its electors and governed by its Town Council (the “Council”); and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes that incentivizing e-bike use contributes to the environmental benefits of reducing carbon emissions and promotes a more sustainable community; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to this authority and via Resolution No. 9, Series 2023, the Council previously adopted the Mt. Crested Butte E-Bike Rebate Program (the “Program”) to be administrated by Town Staff, with an associated initial funding allocation; and

WHEREAS, the Council has previously revised the Program via Resolution No. 11, Series 2023, which clarified that only new e-bikes are eligible for the program; and

WHEREAS, the Council wishes to further revise the Program to clarify that only e-bikes which meet the state’s definition of “electrical assisted bicycle” are eligible for the program and to grant Town Staff discretionary authority in implementing the Program’s criteria.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MT. CRESTED BUTTE, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1. E-Bike Program Revised. The Town Council hereby approves the *Revised Mt. Crested Butte E-Bike Rebate Program* attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. All other conditions and requirements of the program as adopted by Resolution No. 9, Series 2023 and Resolution No. 11, Series 2023, remain unchanged.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

INTRODUCED, READ, AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Mt. Crested Butte on the 11th day of July, 2023.


By: Nicholas Kempin, Mayor

Attest:


Tiffany O'Connell, GMC, Town Clerk



Exhibit A to Resolution No. 9 Series 2023

As revised by Resolution No. 11, Series 2023 and Resolution No. 12, Series 2023

Mt. Crested Butte E-Bike Rebate Program

The Mt Crested Butte E-bike Rebate Program is a sustainability initiative that aims to promote the use of e-bikes as a means of transportation. The program offers a rebate to Mt Crested Butte residents who purchase an e-bike with the goal of reducing traffic congestion and promoting environmentally friendly transportation options. By incentivizing e-bike use, the program seeks to contribute to the environmental benefits of reducing carbon emissions and promoting a more sustainable community.

Rebate Amount:

\$500 to \$600 per e-bike. Rebate amount depends on where the e-bike was purchased. One rebate per person.

If the e-bike is purchased from a Gunnison County retailer applicant will earn an additional \$50 rebate, for a total of \$550.

If the e-bike is purchased from a Mt. Crested Butte retailer you will earn another \$50 rebate for a total of \$600.

Rebate cannot exceed the cost of the e-bike.

Requirements:

Receipt of the e-bike purchased after June 6, 2023.

Must request the rebate within 90 days of the date of purchase.

Must submit specifications of the purchased e-bike.

Mt. Crested Butte Residence Requirements

This rebate program is for Mt. Crested Butte Residents. You must provide one of the following:

- Colorado Driver's License with a Mt. Crested Butte address.
- Mt. Crested Butte voter registration.
- Current lease for a Mt. Crested Butte residence.
- Own real residential property in Mt. Crested Butte.

If the person applying is under 18 and cannot provide one of the following the person must apply in person with their parent or guardian who can provide one of the above.

Town of Mt. Crested Butte employees are eligible for this rebate.



Qualifying E-Bikes:

New e-bike, Class 1, 2 or 3. E-bike must be new to qualify for rebate; no used, reconditioned, or aftermarket bikes are eligible. Only e-bikes which meet the definition of a Class 1, 2, or 3 “electrical assisted bicycle” as defined at C.R.S. § 42-1-102 are eligible. An e-bike which does not have affixed to its frame the manufacturer’s label required by C.R.S. § 42-4-221 is not rebate eligible. An applicant must provide evidence of a purchased e-bike’s rebate eligibility.

Town Staff Discretionary Authority

The Town Council expressly grants Town Staff discretionary authority in the application of the program’s criteria when reviewing submitted rebate requests.

Current Budget for the Program

\$50,000*

Affidavit:

I hereby certify the following:

- I certify that I am a Mt. Crested Butte resident or a real property owner.
- I have read, understood, and agree to comply with the regulations for the Mt. Crested Butte E-bike program.
- I will follow all rules of the road.

Printed Name

Date

Physical street address

Phone Number

Email Address

Signature

Town Council will review the budget for this program as needed. Town Council reserves the right to modify this program at any time.

*Town Council will review the budget as necessary and either increase or decrease the amount of funds available for this program.