



Aloha E-Bike riders and friends,

Summer is over, but the Great Weather in Hawaii is just getting better for biking outdoors Now.

First of all in this update is that, we should congratulate ourselves, because the State of Hawaii is officially **Electric Bike Friendly State** now. Governor Ige has already signed the bill of HB.812 On July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019. This HB.812 regards normalizing low speed electric bicycles in Hawaii. The HB.812 bill states that anyone (minimal age 15) can own and ride an electric bicycle with a DC motor of below or up to 750W, and at 20mph on bike lanes along public roads, just like riding regular bicycles. A one-time registration is required by DOT with a \$30 fee.

This is official now. So I am urging all Aloha E-Bike owners and riders to register your e-bikes, if yours has not registered before. You can go to any DOT registration offices in Satellite City Halls or come to see me to fill the registration form.

This could not be possible, if there were no all the efforts and hard work in drafting and communicating the articles in the state legislature in many years since as early as 2008/20109 by many e-bike enthusiasts. Particularly and most importantly, the daily presentation in riding from all of you – owners/riders of electric bikes, has made huge difference in this direction.

We also extend our gratitude to **Hawaii Bicycle League (HBL)**, which has done a critical kick this year to pass the bill HB.812 in both the House and Senate in the State Legislature and Governor Ige's signing the bill in July of this year. So please let us ride in this Year's **Honolulu Century Ride!** – it does not matter if you register or not, as long as you can come out and ride for 2-5 miles, 10 miles or longer, we will have fun all together to celebrate. The **Honolulu Century Ride** is on **September 29 (- this Sunday)**.

In addition, if you are upgrading your e-bikes or shopping for a new one, welcome to check out our new **Yamaha Power Assist E-Bikes** in Store and on the web [www.alohaEbike.com](http://www.alohaEbike.com)

Lastly, it is time for a **Free Tune up, brake adjustment or battery checking** if your bike is still under warranty.

Mahalo, and wish you have a very Happy Sunday Ride!

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