**Denial of E-Bike Reasonable Modification (template)**

Dear xxxx xxxx,

After review of your request, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) denies your request for a reasonable modification under section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to use an electric bicycle (e-bike) on trails that are otherwise open only to non-motorized travel. Based on the information you provided (included below), the BLM has determined that this reasonable modification would <<describe how request fundamentally alter agency programs or policies>>.

Your reasonable modification denial applies to:

* <<The dates and times requested>> (e.g., I plan to ride at various times during October 4-11, 2022.)
* <<The specific trails requested>> (e.g., I plan to ride all trails in the Bar M and Magnificent 7 systems.)
* <<The type of e-bike requested>> (e.g., Class 1 e-bike)

The BLM recommends the following as alternatives to your request when visiting public lands utilizing an e-bike as an “other power driven mobility device”:

<<Identify potentially viable dates, times, trails, type of e-bike, length of time requested or other adjustments to the request>>

If you have further questions regarding this denial or the submission of a new or updated reasonable modification request, please contact me.

You have the right to file a Public Civil Rights complaint. Within 180 days of the alleged discrimination, a signed, written complaint should be filed with the Director, Office of Civil Rights, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, DC, 20240, or by email at DOICivilRights@ios.doi.gov.

The complaint should include your name, address, and telephone number; the name and address of the alleged discriminatory official(s) and/or public entity; the nature of the complaint; the basis of the complaint (race, color, national origin, gender, age, sex and/or disability); and the date the alleged discrimination occurred.

[Jane Doe, Field Manager standard email signature]