


MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 13, 2023

TO: Tracy Hammond, PhD
Speaker, Faculty Senate

FROM: Kristen Harrell, PhD 
Chair, Rules and Regulations Committee

SUBJECT: Proposed Revisions to the Texas A&M Student Rules

Attached please find proposed revisions to the Texas A&M University Student Rules as approved by the Rules and Regulations Committee on Friday, October 6, 2023.

PROPOSAL

Rule 35.2 – Bicycles

Approved by Faculty Senate on Monday, November 13, 2023

Approved by President, Friday, December 1, 2023

JUSTIFICATION

Expand the rule to encompass other forms of wheeled devices rather than limiting the rule to bicycles. Adding the word manufactured to preclude the use of unsafe homemade devices and providing a link to the Standard Administrative Procedure 24.01.99.M0.01.

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35.2 Bicycles and other Micromobility

All micromobility (bicycles, e-bicycles, e-scooters, boards, etc.) should be registered with Transportation Services. ~~Bicycles can be marked with an identifying number by the University Police Department to ensure proper return if recovered after theft or confiscation due to illegal parking or abandonment.~~

Micromobility on university property must be manufactured and operated in accordance with university rules and appropriate Texas motor vehicle laws.

After the close of the spring semester, all micromobility will be removed from the residence hall bicycle racks, except those racks specifically designated for storage during the break between semesters. Those that appear to be abandoned in the racks or near other campus buildings or parking lots will be impounded by Transportation Services. In cases that result in the removal of the chain/lock, the owner will be responsible for the cost of replacement.

Please refer to Texas A&M University Standard Administrative Procedure [24.01.99.M0.01](#) for further information related to personal use and storage of personal electric vehicles.