

A. Authority

Pursuant to Arizona state law ([A.R.S. § 15-1627](#)), Northern Arizona University adopts and enforces these regulations to promote the safe movement of vehicles, devices, and pedestrians on its Flagstaff mountain campus.

B. Definitions

“Non-Pedestrian Devices” include but are not limited to bicycles, tricycles, unicycles, and motorized mopeds and scooters, or devices similar in design and purpose – whether moved by human power, electricity, or fuel.

“Pedestrian Devices” include but are not limited to skateboards, roller and in-line skates, foot-propelled scooters, or devices similar in design and purpose – whether moved by human power, electricity, or fuel.

“Power-Driven Mobility Devices” include any device used by individuals with mobility disabilities or impairments for the purpose of locomotion – whether moved by electricity or fuel.

C. Scope and Applicability

These regulations apply to the operation of Non-Pedestrian, Pedestrian, and Power-Driven Mobility Devices on the Flagstaff mountain campus by University community members and the general public. These regulations remain in effect throughout the calendar year, including during the summer and all holidays and University closures.

D. Guiding Principles

Safety and courtesy are the operative elements of these regulations. Operation of Non-Pedestrian and Pedestrian Devices is a privilege granted by the University on the condition that such operation adheres to all applicable safety requirements while manifesting courtesy for all. Operation of any Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Device in an unsafe or discourteous manner is prohibited and subject to sanction and/or disciplinary action in accordance with the University’s standard student or employee conduct policies and procedures. In accordance with Section E below, individuals unwilling or unable to observe these principles are not authorized to use Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Devices on the Flagstaff mountain campus.

E. Conditions for Authorized Operation

Authorization by the University to operate Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Devices on the Flagstaff mountain campus is granted solely to persons who observe all the conditions listed below. The safe operation of Power-Driven Mobility Devices in accordance with these regulations by individuals with mobility disabilities is always permitted. Individuals may operate a Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Device only if:

1. such operation is safe and courteous;
2. the operator observes all applicable rules controlling such operation (e.g., right of way, designated areas, routes, zones, direction of travel, traffic control signage and signals, etc.); and
3. the operator immediately complies with any instruction relevant to the operation of the Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Device issued by an enforcement officer pursuant to these regulations.

F. Right of Way

The following shall apply to any Flagstaff mountain campus area, such as sidewalks, paths, or similar areas, etc.) not under the jurisdiction of [Title 28](#) of the *Arizona Revised Statutes*, the state transportation code:

1. Non-Pedestrian, Pedestrian Device, and Power-Driven Mobility Device riders and pedestrians shall yield the right of way to emergency vehicles or personnel acting in the performance of their duties.
2. Non-Pedestrian, Pedestrian, and Power-Driven Mobility Device riders shall yield the right of way to other Non-Pedestrian, Pedestrian, and Power-Driven Mobility Device riders as necessary to ensure safe, courteous transit.
3. Non-Pedestrian and Pedestrian Device riders shall yield the right of way to any Power-Drive Mobility Device rider or pedestrian.
4. Pedestrians shall yield the right of way to any Power-Driven Mobility Device rider.

G. Non-Pedestrian Devices

1. Non-Pedestrian Device riders shall always ride with regard for public safety and courtesy and shall not create an unreasonable inconvenience or hazard for themselves or others.
2. Non-Pedestrian Device riders shall not cling or attach themselves to any moving device or vehicle.
3. Non-Pedestrian Device riders shall ride in the normal direction of traffic and, when on roadways, as near to the right side as practical. In bicycle lanes separated by painted yellow stripes, Non-Pedestrian Device riders shall ride to the right of the stripe. Non-Pedestrian Device riders must ride in single file except when overtaking a slower rider or pedestrian. Bicycle riders are encouraged to use the bicycle lane or path where one is provided.
4. Non-Pedestrian Device riders must come to a full and complete stop before passing the controlling plane of a stop sign. Non-Pedestrian device riders facing a steady red traffic control signal shall stop and remain until an indication to proceed is shown.
5. Non-Pedestrian Devices may not be operated in restricted areas, which include inside all campus buildings and posted outdoor areas. Non-Pedestrian Devices must be dismounted and walked in accordance with signage or other posted indicators.
6. Bicycles operated between dusk and dawn shall to be equipped with and use a white headlight and a red rear light or reflector of types that comply with [A.R.S § 28-817](#).
7. Non-Pedestrian Devices may not be ridden at a speed greater than any posted vehicle speed limit, or at a speed greater than is reasonable, prudent, and safe for the local conditions. Bicycles may only carry the number of riders for which they are specifically designed.
8. Non-Pedestrian Devices may not be parked or secured to any fence, light post, tree, handrail, water/gas line, signpost, or in any other unauthorized area. Non-Pedestrian Devices must be parked in designated areas only, including but not limited to bicycle racks, enclosures, or lockers. Non-Pedestrian Devices parked or left in violation of this regulation are subject to impoundment at the owner's expense.

H. Pedestrian Devices

1. Pedestrian Device riders shall always ride with regard for public safety and shall not create an unreasonable inconvenience or hazard for themselves or others.
2. Pedestrian Device riders shall not cling or attach themselves to any moving device or vehicle.
3. Pedestrian Device riders shall ride on sidewalks or bicycle or pedestrian paths and shall ride in single file except when overtaking a slower rider or pedestrian.
4. Pedestrian Device riders shall not ride in roadways.

I. Power-Driven Mobility Devices

1. Power-Driven Mobility Device riders shall not ride in roadways except where no other reasonable route exists and doing so is necessary to reach their destination.
2. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act as Amended, in circumstances where it is not apparent but there is a compelling institutional or public safety reason to inquire, Power-Driven Mobility Device users may be asked to provide credible assurance that the Power-Driven Mobility Device is required because of the person's disability. In such circumstances, University officials and enforcement officers shall accept a verbal representation, not contradicted by observable fact, that the Power-Driven Mobility Device is being used because of a mobility disability.

J. Arizona State Transportation Code

Any violation of [A.R.S. Title 28](#) occurring on the Flagstaff mountain campus shall also constitute a violation of these regulations subject to administrative University sanction.

K. Bicycle Registration

Free bicycle registration is available at the University Transit Services office Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. for faculty, staff, students, and affiliates. The bicycle and the owner's JacksCard must be present.

L. Removal and Impoundment

The University maintains the right to remove and impound any bicycle or other Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Device found to be abandoned or parked/stored in violation of applicable policies or regulations. The cost of replacing cut locking devices removed by the University is the owner's responsibility.

M. Skateboard Special Rules

Skateboarding (which includes the use of powered skateboards) is prohibited in roadways, in parking garages, or where posted as not allowed.

N. Licensed Motorized Vehicles

Non-University motorized vehicles requiring a state license plate may only be driven on campus roadways and shall not be driven on campus sidewalks, paths, pedways, or otherwise in violation of local signage. Emergency vehicles are exempt from this prohibition.

O. Hoverboards

Hoverboard and similar self-balancing motorized devices are prohibited on the Flagstaff mountain campus.

P. Enforcement

1. In accordance with A.R.S. § 15-1627, University enforcement officers may issue an administrative University citation for violating these regulations. Such citations shall be adjudicated in the same manner as University parking citations as set forth in Section VI of the University's [Motor Vehicle Parking Regulations](#).
2. In accordance with A.R.S. § 15-1627, members of the general public who violate these regulations shall be warned of a violation and may receive an administrative University citation. The Non-Pedestrian or Pedestrian Device may be impounded, and the University may charge a reasonable fee for the cost of its impoundment and storage.

Q. Notice of Judicial Review

Individuals who have exhausted their administrative rights of appeal and have received a final decision from the University regarding a citation issued pursuant to these regulations may, in accordance with the Arizona Administrative Review Act ([A.R.S. § 12-901, et seq.](#)), seek judicial review of the matter within thirty-five (35) calendar days.