



# KNOW THE LAW: E-MOTORCYCLES IN TEXAS

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E-motorcycles are becoming more common on Texas roads, but many riders may not realize they are subject to the same requirements as other motor vehicles. Under state law, e-motorcycles are classified as Class M vehicles. This means operators must follow state licensing, Department of Motor Vehicles registration, and insurance rules to ride legally and safely.

## IF YOU RIDE AN E-MOTORCYCLE, HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:

- Must be equipped with a throttle and capable of speeds greater than 28 mph
- Must have 750+ watts of power
- Minimum rider age: 16 years of age
- Must follow all traffic laws
- A valid Class M license is required through the Department of Motor Vehicles
- Department of Motor Vehicles registration, license plate (when applicable) and insurance are required
- Helmets are required under 21 years of age

The Town of Prosper has received increasing complaints and safety concerns involving the operation of e-motorcycles and e-bikes. These vehicles are not toys—they are powerful machines that require responsibility and compliance with the law. Failing to follow regulations not only puts riders at risk, but also endangers pedestrians, motorists, and the entire community.

**STAY INFORMED. STAY SAFE. STAY LEGAL.**

For questions or concerns contact the Prosper Police Department at 972.569.1000

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