

# Campus Electric Scooter Policy

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*Butler University – Fall 2018*

## Guidelines for Electric Scooter Usage on Campus

### City-County General Ordinance (No. pending) 2018 (Shared Mobility Operator)

*(Secure and utilize actual ordinance language)*

- Scooters are prohibited from use on public right-of-way, including sidewalks.
- Scooters are prohibited from use on trails (e.g. Monon Trail, Central Canal Towpath, Indianapolis Cultural Trail)
- Scooters must be parked in an upright position and allow for at least four (4) feet of unobstructed passageway.
- Scooters are prohibited from being parked in loading zones, bus stops, shelters, or on ramps leading to sidewalks.
- Scooter users are required to follow all traffic laws and yield to pedestrians in the public right of way.

### Butler University Policies

- Scooters are prohibited from use on campus sidewalks and are subject to traffic laws.
- Scooters must be parked in an upright position, utilizing existing campus bike rack infrastructure.
  - Scooters are not to be abandoned or haphazardly left on campus, against buildings, or in grass/landscaped areas.
- Electric scooters are prohibited from being charged inside campus residence halls, academic buildings, or other campus facilities.

### Additional Best Practices

- Always wear a helmet when operating a scooter.
- One user per scooter only.
- Do not block entrances or exits.
  - Leave at least four (4) feet of unobstructed passageway.
- Do not use while controlling an animal.
- Scooters are not toys and are not to be abused.
- Pedestrians have the right-of-way. Be respectful of pedestrians utilizing campus walkways and always yield to pedestrians.