

708 to the provisions under this chapter for a bicycle~~[-, moped, or a motor-driven cycle].~~

709 (b) For a person operating a motor assisted scooter, the following provisions do not
710 apply:

- 711 (i) seating positions under Section 41-6a-1501;
- 712 (ii) required lights, horns, and mirrors under Section 41-6a-1506;
- 713 (iii) entitlement to full use of a lane under Subsection 41-6a-1502(1); and
- 714 (iv) driver licensing requirements under Section 53-3-202.

715 (c) A person may operate a motor assisted scooter across a roadway in a crosswalk,
716 except that the person may not operate the motor assisted scooter in a negligent manner in the
717 crosswalk:

718 (i) so as to collide with a:

719 (A) pedestrian; or

720 (B) person operating a bicycle or vehicle or device propelled by human power; or

721 (ii) at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the existing conditions,

722 giving regard to the actual and potential hazards then existing.

723 ~~H→ [(2) A person under 15 years of age may not operate a motor assisted scooter using the~~
724 ~~motor unless the person is under the direct supervision of the person's parent or guardian.~~

725 ~~———(3)] (2) ←H~~ A person under eight years of age may not operate a motor assisted scooter with
725a the

726 motor running on any public property, highway, path, or sidewalk.

727 ~~H→ [(4)] (3) ←H~~ A person may not operate a motor assisted scooter:

728 (a) in a public parking structure;

729 (b) on public property posted as an area prohibiting ~~[skateboards]~~ bicycles;

730 ~~[(c) on a highway consisting of a total of four or more lanes designated for regular~~
731 ~~vehicular traffic;]~~

732 ~~[(d) on a highway with a posted speed limit greater than 25 miles per hour;]~~

733 ~~[(e)] (c)~~ while carrying more persons at one time than the number for which it is
734 designed; ~~[or]~~

735 ~~[(f)] (d)~~ that has been structurally or mechanically altered from the original
736 manufacturer's design~~[-], except for an alteration by, or done at the request of, a person who~~
737 ~~rents the motor assisted scooter to lower the maximum speed for the motor assisted scooter; or~~

738 (e) at a speed of greater than 15 miles per hour or in violation of Subsection

739 41-6a-1115.1(3).

740 ~~Ĥ~~→ [(5)] (4) ←~~Ĥ~~ Except where posted or prohibited by local ordinance, a motor assisted
740a scooter is

741 considered a nonmotorized vehicle if it is being used with the motor turned off.

742 ~~Ĥ~~→ [(6)] (5) ←~~Ĥ~~ An owner may not authorize or knowingly permit a person under the age
742a of 18 to

743 operate a motor assisted scooter in violation of this section.

744 ~~Ĥ~~→ [(7)] (6) ←~~Ĥ~~ A person who violates this section is guilty of an infraction.

745 Section 6. Section **41-6a-1115.1** is enacted to read:

746 **41-6a-1115.1. Scooter-share programs -- Local ordinances regulating motor**
747 **assisted scooters.**

748 (1) For the purposes of this section:

749 (a) "Local authority" means a county, city, town, or metro township.

750 (b) "Scooter-share operator" means a person offering a shared scooter for hire.

751 (c) "Scooter-share program" means the offering of a shared scooter for hire.

752 (d) "Shared scooter" means a motor assisted scooter offered for hire.

753 (2) A local authority may regulate the operation of a motor assisted scooter within its
754 jurisdiction.

755 (3) A local authority may authorize the operation of a motor assisted scooter on
756 sidewalks and regulate the operation, including the maximum speed on the sidewalks.

757 (4) A regulation adopted by a local authority pursuant to this section regarding the
758 operation of a motor assisted scooter shall be consistent with the regulation of bicycles and this
759 title.

760 (5) (a) A local authority may regulate the operation of a scooter-share program within
761 its jurisdiction. Regulation of scooter-share programs shall be consistent with this Subsection
762 (5).

763 (b) A shared scooter shall bear a single unique alphanumeric identification visible from
764 a distance of five feet, that may not be obfuscated by branding or other markings, and that shall
765 be used throughout the state, including by local authorities, to identify the shared scooter.

766 (c) A scooter-share operator shall maintain the following insurance coverage dedicated
767 exclusively for operation of shared scooters:

768 (i) commercial general liability insurance coverage with a limit of at least \$1,000,000
769 each occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate;