

NEW RULES FOR E-Scooters and Other Personal Electric Vehicles

COMING IN 2027

Manitoba is introducing new rules for **Personal Electric Vehicles (PEVs)** to help keep everyone safe when sharing roads, paths and other public spaces.



What is a PEV?

In Manitoba, a PEV is a small electric vehicle for personal transportation that runs on electricity. Examples include:



Electric kick-scooters
("e-scooters")



Self-balancing scooters
and hoverboards



Electric unicycles
and similar devices

WHO CAN RIDE?

16+ ONLY. PEV riders must be at least 16 years old.

NO HELMET? NO RIDE.

Everyone on a PEV must wear a properly fitted helmet, including passengers (if the PEV is designed to carry a passenger).

WHERE CAN YOU RIDE?

- Roads with speed limits of **50 km/h or less** and shared paths, like bike paths
- PEVs are not allowed on sidewalks

HOW FAST CAN YOU RIDE?

- Maximum **25 km/h**

SIDEWALK RULES

NO SIDEWALKS. PEVs are not allowed on sidewalks unless there is a sign or traffic control device specifically allowing it.

OTHER RULES OF THE ROAD

When riding a PEV:

- Follow traffic signs and signals
- Use hand signals when turning or stopping
- Ride in single file
- Carry only the number of passengers the vehicle is designed for
- Don't use headphones or earphones in both ears while riding
- Turn on the front white light at night or whenever visibility is poor
- Ride as close to the right curb as practicable

PEVs MAY BE INSPECTED

Peace officers may stop and inspect a PEV and safety equipment at any time.

BE ALERT

Don't text while riding.



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PEV ≤ 25 km/h | No sidewalks**

To learn more, visit

Manitoba.ca/mti/roadinfo/personal_electric_vehicles.html

