



IOWA ADVISORY COUNCIL ON
**AUTOMATED
TRANSPORTATION**



The Iowa Advisory Council on Automated Transportation is intended to increase roadway safety, personal mobility, and freight movement within the state of Iowa by advancing highly automated vehicle technologies. The Council provides guidance, recommendations, and strategic oversight of automated transportation activities in the state. The structure of the ATC Press Clippings is done to align with the subcommittees and working groups that exist for the Council while aiming to keep the Council and other interested parties informed. Learn more at iowadrivingav.org/

Articles and upcoming events April 12, 2021

Infrastructure Readiness

[New research connects vehicle and infrastructure design for barrier-free mobility - Mass Transit](#)

[Biden kicks off effort to reshape U.S. economy with infrastructure package - Reuters](#)

[USDOT begins investigation of potential of 5G for V2X - Traffic Technology Today](#)

Policy & Legislation

[Arlington, Texas, Launches Autonomous Transit Vehicle Pilot](#) - *Government Technology*

[Connecticut Plan Outlines Strategies for Connected, Automated Vehicles](#) - *Transport Topics*

[Governor's Advisory Council on Connected and Automated Vehicles releases 2020 annual report](#) - *Minnesota DOT*

Economic Development

[Autonomous vehicle market to reach \\$50 billion by 2040](#) - *Supply Chain*

[Chipotle invests in self-driving delivery company Nuro](#) - *Source (Italicized)*

[Community Improvement Districts Ripe for Smart City Innovation](#) - *Government Technology*

[Volvo partners with Aurora to accelerate autonomous truck applications](#) - *AV International*

Public Safety & Enforcement

[Today I learned BMW charges extra for a 'don't blind other people' software update](#) - *The Verge*

[A Tesla on cruise control smashed into a tractor trailer in New Jersey, ripping off half its roof](#) - *Business Insider*

[Autonomous Vehicle Industry Faces Inconsistent Guidelines](#) - *Government Technology*

[Using tracking data to plan cycling and pedestrian infrastructure](#) - *New Civil Engineer*

Research, Development, Testing & Evaluation

[Waymo Provides Look Inside Self-Driving Truck Testing - Transport Topics](#)

[Polaris and Optimus Ride are co-developing 'fully autonomous' low-speed shuttles - The Verge](#)

[Vehicle automation may bring benefits—and challenges—for the transportation disadvantaged - Center for Transportation Studies](#)

Upcoming Events

[What do AVs Mean for Infrastructure](#)
Partners for Automated Vehicle Education
Wednesday, April 14
1 pm CT

Presenters:

Avery Ash – Head of Autonomous Mobility, INRIX
Robert Dingess – President, Mercer Strategic Alliance
Michele Mueller – Sr. Project Manager Connected and Automated Vehicles, Michigan DOT

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