

The lowa Advisory Council on Automated Transportation is intended to increase roadway safety, personal mobility, and freight movement within the state of lowa 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 <a href="iowadrivingav.org/">iowadrivingav.org/</a>

# Articles and upcoming events August 2, 2021

#### Infrastructure Readiness

Tesla plans to open up its charging network to other EVs later this year - Reuters

Forget Smart Cities, 'Stupid' Infrastructure Is The Solution For Future Transportation - Forbes

Rural Infrastructure: Exclusive interview with Secretary of transportation Pete Buttigieg - RFD TV

## Policy & Legislation

Being smart about smart cities: A governance roadmap for digital technologies - World Economic Forum

How Columbus, Ohio, became such a smart "smart city" - Smart Brief

<u>Smart City Tech Is Being Built Into Planned Communities</u> - Government Technology

Slimmed down infrastructure bill advances in Senate, faces opposition in House - Yahoo! News

#### **Economic Development**

Trucks Move Past Cars on the Road to Autonomy - Wired

NCOA and Volkswagen Study: 70% of Older Drivers Embrace Self-Driving Vehicles and Ride-Hailing Services - *PR Newswire* 

<u>Investors are pouring money into infrastructure and electric vehicles this year, Global X says</u> - *CNBC* 

## Public Safety & Enforcement

<u>Consumer Reports says Tesla's 'Full Self-Driving' software lacks</u> <u>safeguards</u> - *Reuters* 

<u>CVSA Ponders Driverless-Truck Enforcement</u> - *Truckinginfo* 

The robotaxi era will require a rethinking of vehicle safety - Axios

## 🕰 Research, Development, Testing & Evaluation

<u>Intel's Mobileye begins testing autonomous vehicles in New York City</u> - *The Verge* 

Audi's new tech can help you beat red lights - Popular Science

<u>Semi-Autonomous Ford Escapes Available for Rides with Lyft by Late 2021</u> - *Car and Driver* 

## Upcoming Events

Conference on Advancing Transportation Equity (CATE)

Transportation Research Board

September 9, 10, 13, & 14

Iowa Advisory Council on Automated Transportation Meeting Tuesday, September 21 1-3 pm CT