Launching in the Netherlands in November, the WEpod will be the first self-driving electric shuttle on public roads. During the testing phase, the six-person vehicle will be traveling a fixed route between two cities and can be booked by passengers via an app.

Apple, Inc. is increasing efforts to bring a semi-autonomous electric car to market by 2019 by tripling the 600-person team currently working on the project.

Flywheel Taxi files lawsuit against California state regulators, claiming that the uneven regulation between taxi and TNC services, like Uber and Lyft, is a violation of equal protection under the Fourteenth Amendment.

Houston area officials announce that $4.7 million will be invested in the expansion of the city's bikesharing program, BCycle. Plans include growing from 210 bikes across 29 stations to 800 bikes with 100 stations.

Uber introduces UberPOOL to India, launching a beta version in Bangalore. UberPOOL, which currently operates in four U.S. cities and Paris, matches two riders traveling a similar route, decreasing the price by up to 50%.

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