Lyft becomes the first ridesourcing service allowed to pick up passengers at Los Angeles International Airport. Lyft completed its negotiations before rival Uber, gaining a headstart in the potentially lucrative airport market.

The number of carsharing vehicles in Santa Monica will more than quadruple in 2016, up to 60 vehicles, due to an agreement between the city and Zipcar. The vehicles will reside in 20 public spaces and 40 private lot spaces.

Google and Ford plan to enter a joint venture to build automated vehicles with Google’s technology. In January, the companies are also expected to reveal a push toward the new business of automated ridesourcing.

Flywheel’s TaxiOS, a smart metering app that features electronic dispatch, payments, navigation, and GPS-based metering, is approved to operate throughout all of California. Flywheel hopes to gain approval in other states as well, including New York.

Uber partners with major Chinese automaker Guangzhou Automobile Group. The two companies will work together in areas including investment, sales, marketing, and promoting hybrid and electric vehicles.