

LAST WEEK IN INNOVATIVE MOBILITY

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VEHICLES

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration declares that the software in Google's automated vehicles will be acknowledged as the 'driver' for the purposes of determining compliance with the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards.

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Uber agrees to pay \$28.5 million to settle a class-action lawsuit contesting the company's misleading "Safe Rides Fee," which charged uberX passengers an additional dollar per ride to cover "industry leading" driver background checks.

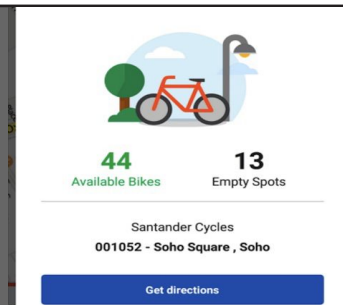


SCOOTER SHARING

Paris launches a new citywide electric scooter rental program following a successful trial over the last few months. The program, managed by Cityscoot, will comprise of 1,000 electric scooters made available for rental across the city via an integrated smartphone app.

BIKESHARING

Moovit now includes bikesharing information for 110 major cities around the globe. The public transit app's newly released update allows users to check the number of bikes available for use and the number of empty slots available for dropping off bikes in real time.



MICROTRANSIT

Bridj partners with Ford Motor Co. and the Kansas City Area Transportation Authority to launch a one-year pilot program in Kansas City. Union drivers will drive 14-seat Ford commercial vans to provide on-demand transportation along routes designed to meet real time demand at the same price as the public bus.

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