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AUTOMATED VEHICLES

Ford, Argo AI, and Lyft plan to launch a semi-automated ride service by Winter 2021. The service uses semi-automated Ford Escape vehicles with a safety driver behind the wheel. The companies plan to launch the service in Miami, Florida this year and Austin, Texas in 2022.

ELECTRIC VEHICLES

Rivian plans to install electric vehicle (EV) chargers in Tennessee's 56 state parks. Rivian is paying for charger design and installation; 10 years of service, maintenance, and upgrades; and any necessary utility upgrades. The chargers may be installed as early as Fall 2021.



ELECTRIC VEHICLES

Indiana gives utility companies \$5.5 million to build EV chargers throughout the state. The money is helping build 60 stations that can charge EVs in about 30 minutes. The funds support EV adoption in Indiana by providing the necessary infrastructure.

GOODS DELIVERY

Uber expands grocery delivery to 400 cities. The new markets include New York City, New York and San Francisco, California. The service is enabled through partnerships with a variety of companies including Albertsons, Safeway, and Carrs.



SCOOTER SHARING



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Superpedestrian, an electric scooter company, acquires Navmatic, a software company that helps micromobility companies with real-time operations. The acquisition allows Superpedestrian to use Navmatic's Super Fusion technology. The technology can detect unsafe riding behavior (e.g., riding the wrong way down a one-way street, repeated hard braking) and notify the rider to help correct their behavior.

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