

Last Week In Innovative Mobility

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AUTOMATED VEHICLES

Argo AI receives a permit to offer free automated vehicle (AV) rides in California. Currently, Argo AI has a fleet of about a dozen vehicles in California, with additional vehicles in five other U.S. cities. The permit brings Argo AI closer to its goal of launching 1,000 AVs on Lyft's platform over the next five years.



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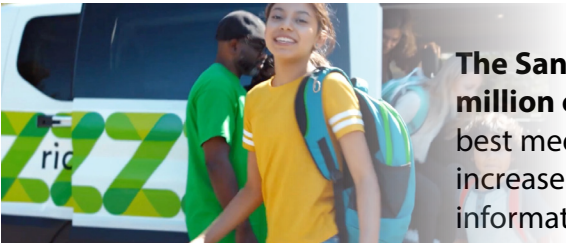
TuSimple, an automated truck developer, and Ryder System Inc., a transportation company, partner to enhance automated truck services.

TuSimple plans to use Ryder's fleet maintenance facilities as terminals to help with scaling up automated truck operations. The partners are initially focusing on Ryder's facilities in the southern U.S.



SHUTTLES

The San Francisco Unified School District awards Züm a five-year \$150 million contract. Züm plans to leverage its fleet of 206 buses, vans, and cars to best meet the needs of 3,500 students across 150 campuses. Züm is also trying to increase transportation transparency by offering real-time vehicle location information.



SHARED MICROMOBILITY

Moovit, a trip planning app, integrates Lime electric scooters, bicycles, and mopeds into its app. Moovit is providing the location of Lime devices in 117 cities across 20 countries and continents and has plans to add 40 more cities in the coming months. On the Israeli app, Lime devices are offered as a travel option as part of a multimodal trip with public transit.



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URBAN AIR MOBILITY

Joby Aviation, an aerospace company, completes a 150-mile flight with its six-rotor electric aircraft. This is one of the longest flights completed by an electric aircraft. This supports Joby's goal of providing an air taxi service by 2024.



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