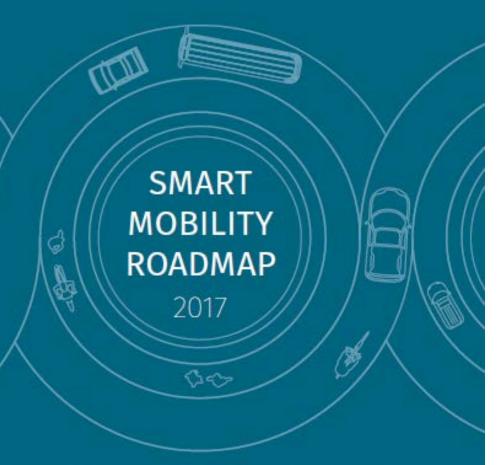
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AUSTIN'S APPROACH TO SHARED, ELECTRIC, AND AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES

Austin, Texas



### **City of Austin**



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# **Smart Mobility**

- GHG emissions:
   Net zero by 2050
- On-demand mobility
- Accessibility: seniors, disabled, etc.

Roadmap

- Affordability
- Congestion
- Shared Mobility: heavy adoption

Develop a nation-leading plan on

Shared, Electric and

**Autonomous Vehicles and Services** 

City Council and Capital Metro Board Resolutions: (May and March 2017)

# **Smart Mobility Inspiration**















# **Technology Doesn't Change Geometry**

**TODAY** 

**TOMORROW** 

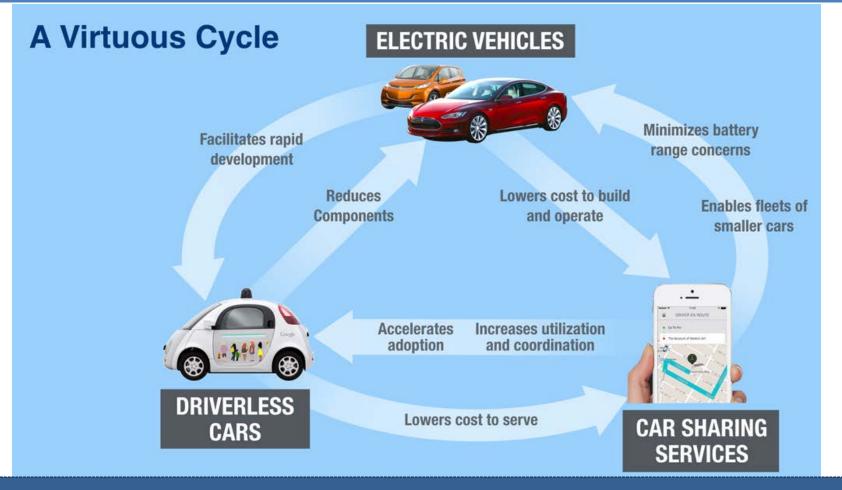


40 human-driven cars



40 self-driving cars

# **Convergence of Technologies**



### **Next Steps:**

- Encourage less SOVs with easy/affordable alternatives;
- More data and collaboration

# Why all 3?



#### Austin welcomes self-driving cars with new resolution





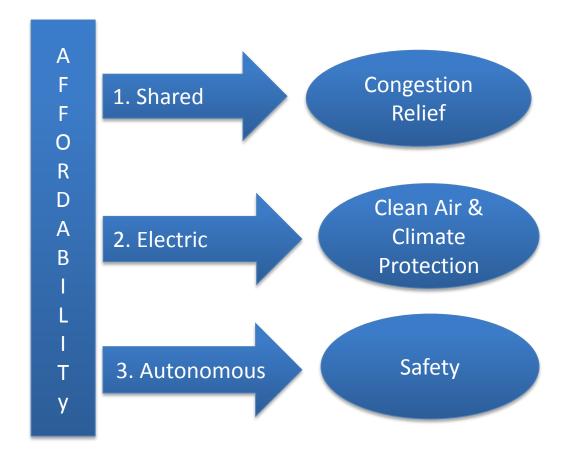




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Council looks forward to robot car future



# **Shared Mobility**









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### **Next Steps:**

- Create an Austin Shared Use Mobility Plan
- Promote shared vehicle services

"When deployed alongside fixedroute mass transit networks, shared-ride AV taxis could all but eliminate the convenience advantage of personal autos."

Bloomberg Philanthropies-Aspen Institute

### **Electric Vehicles**



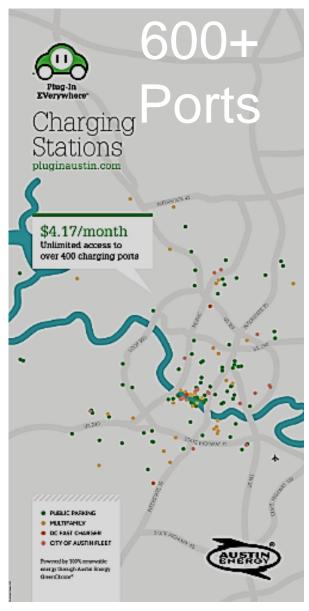
- 618 EV charging ports
- 180 locations
- 4,000+ area EV vehicles

### **Steep Climb:**

- .4% of 1M vehicles today
- 25% = 250,000 vehicles

EV's = lower GHG + cost + energy use

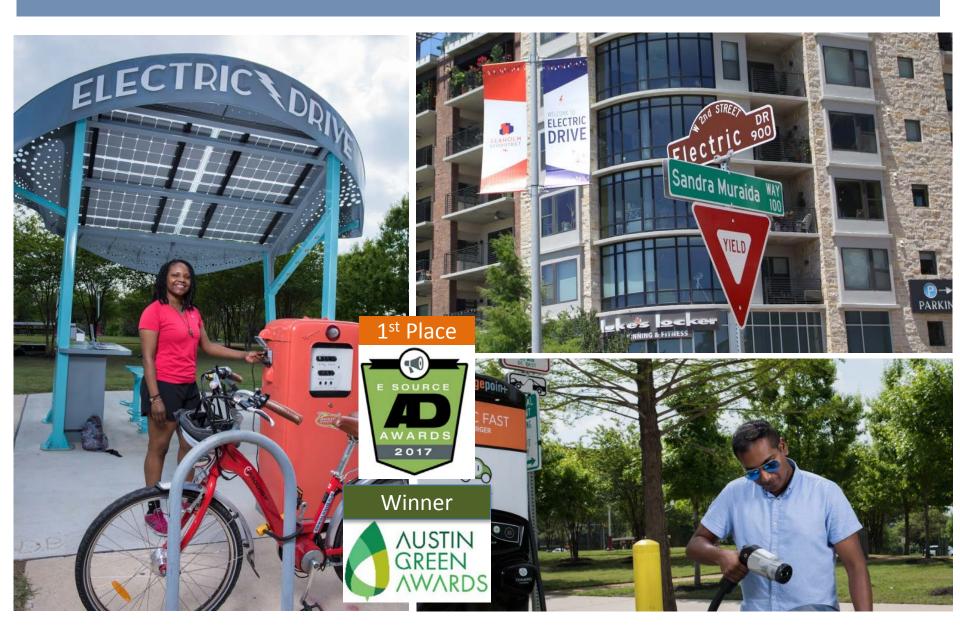
# Convenient, Clean & Affordable







# Austin's "Electric Drive" Showcase



## **Electric Vehicles Next Steps**

Fleets: early EV adopters,
Lower Operating costs by 2020

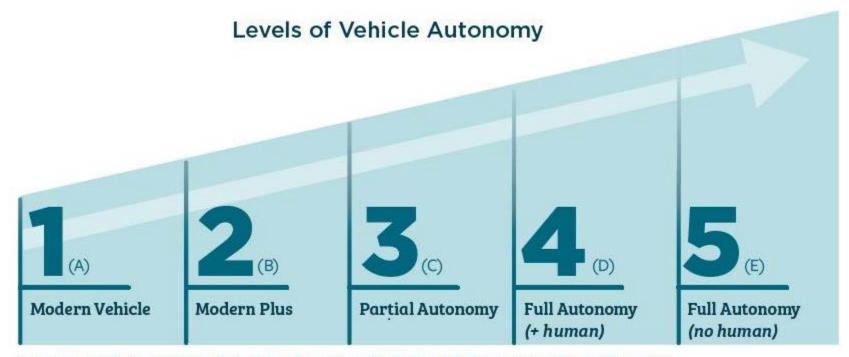
Personal EVs: total costs meets gas-powered cars by 2025



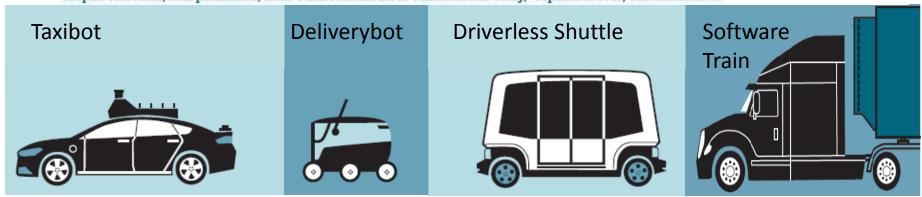
### **Next Steps:**

- Accelerate EV use with incentives and policies;
- Expand Public and Private charging infrastructure to include DCFast to support high-mileage vehicles

### **Autonomous Vehicles**



Graphic recreated, with permission, from 'Future Autonomous Vehicle Driver Study," September 2016, Cox Automotive.



# **Autonomous Vehicles**

Gap between EV and AV adoption

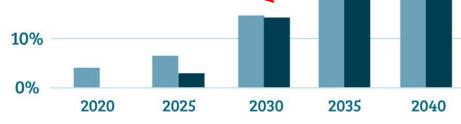
### **Next Step:**

Develop a Master Plan for emerging E-AV technologies and services to pursue, keep it human centered

Percent of New

**Projections of Electric and Fully Autonomous Vehicle Sales** 





Electric vehicles (ICCT)

Fully autonomous vehicles (McKinsey)

# **Data and Technologies**

### Private Sector

Difference in amount and sophistication of data.

The Data Gap

#### **Government**

### **Next Step:**

- Test and invest in data driven technologies that promotes open data, realtime public information
- Collaborate with public /private sectors.

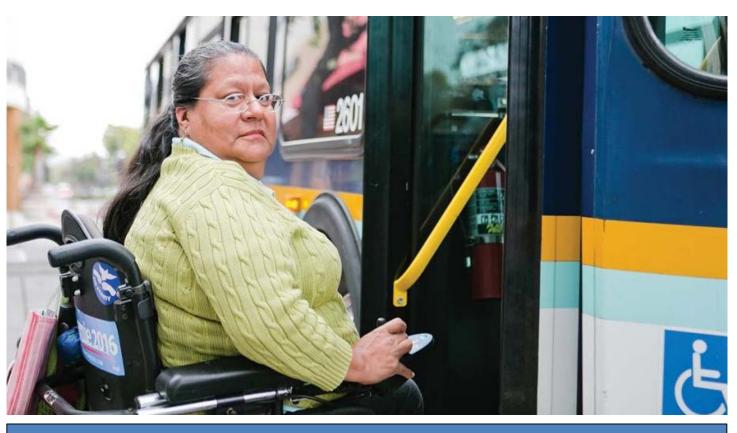
### **Current and Future Land Use**



# **Impacts on Austin - Equity**

On-demand AVs can help non-drivers, the elderly and disabled, along with better sidewalks

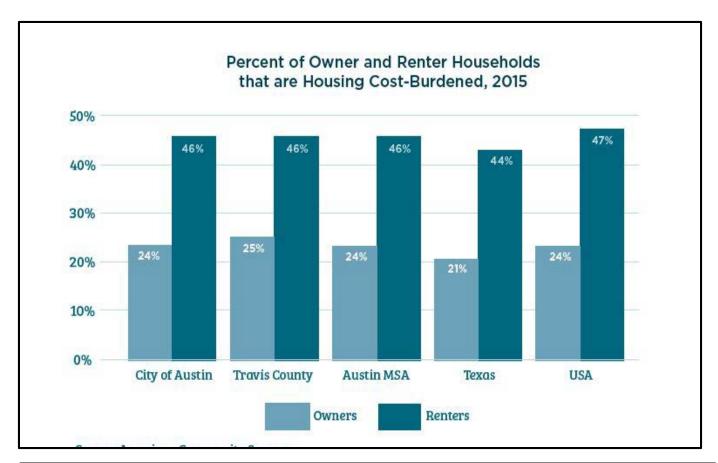
More pilots with pricing incentives are needed



#### **Current Pilots**

Capital Metro piloting "PickUp" on-demand service in East Austin Community Care + Ride Austin piloting free transport to health care

## Impacts on Austin - Affordability



Study: Costs saved on housing 12+ miles from jobs/city center is wiped out by transportation **COSTS** Housing and Affordability Index.

Shared Mobility – car-pool/vanpool, coupled with driverless vehicles to reach transit can extend transportation access, reduce cost

# **Impacts on Austin - Safety**



Today: 94% of crashes caused by human error



Future: 80% of crashes can be reduced through automation

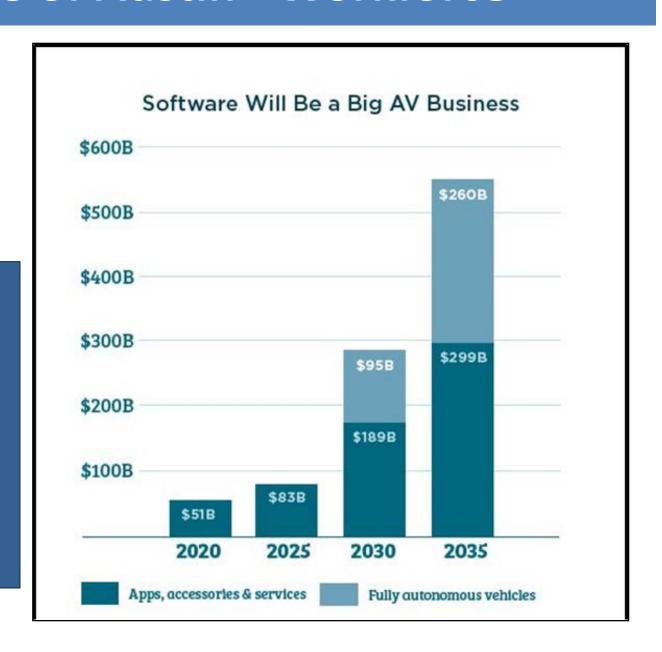


### **Future of Austin - Workforce**

Austin is a software and technology leader

### **Next Steps:**

- Create Public-PrivateWorkgroup
- InitiateEducationalTask Force



# **Community Engagement**





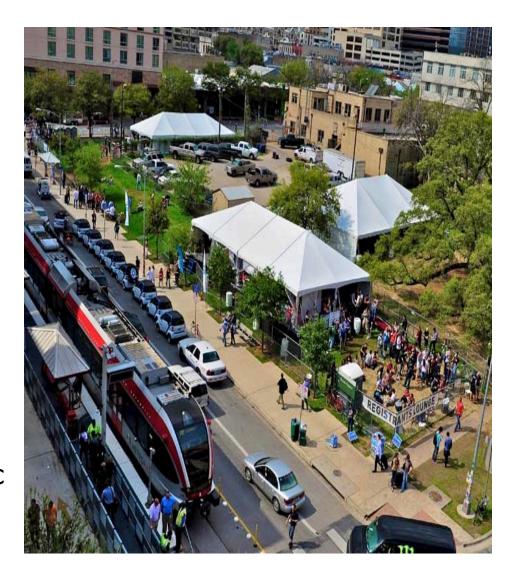


60% of Austin residents would shift away from driving alone if given better options (2016 Mobility Talks)

New mobility options, tailored to a community and individual's needs, begins with community engagement

## **Next Steps**

- Public review of roadmap <u>www.austintexas.gov/smart</u> <u>mobilityroadmap</u>
- Begin dialogue with stakeholders, community
- Demonstration and partnership agreements
- Start technology pilots
- Seek funding sources, partners
- Initiate policy discussions in concert with Austin Strategic Mobility Plan



Thank You!

**Questions?**