Update on the New Mobility Plan

The New Mobility Plan is a concerted effort between numerous City of Austin departments and Capital Metro as well as other agency and university partners to address the twin resolutions put forth by the Austin City Council and the Capital Metro Board.

The plan encompasses five key areas:

- Shared Mobility
- Electric Vehicles and Infrastructure
- Connected and Autonomous Vehicles
- Data and Technology, and
- Land Use and Infrastructure

The first section of the plan will provide insight into each of these areas by discussing expert research from academic institutions and industry leaders. The City also surveyed the national landscape to evaluate what it would take to create a nation-leading plan. This research is further used to inform the recommendations included in this section.

The second section looks at how this technology will affect Austin, through the lenses of equity, affordability and safety. Economic impacts and workforce implications are also investigated, especially as they relate to autonomous vehicles.

The final section encompasses the nuts and bolts of the plan, discussing the current Council and Board resolutions as well as associated Council and Board initiatives. Performance metrics, impacts on the city budget, funding sources, and resources needed are also disclosed in this section.

The New Mobility Plan is not yet ready for release, but should be available for public presentations in October.