



October 20, 2015

The Honorable Bill Shuster, Chairman  
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee  
2251 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Peter A. DeFazio, Ranking Member  
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee  
2164 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Shuster and Ranking Member DeFazio,

Thank you for your leadership in introducing the *Surface Transportation Reauthorization and Reform Act of 2015* and your commitment to embracing a breadth of innovative technologies to further improve US transportation safety, mobility and efficiency.

In particular, we appreciate your recognition of the importance of autonomous vehicle technologies to greatly improve safety, as well as your recognition of technology's role in improving commercial motor vehicle safety, efficiency and emissions.

Finally, we commend your forward thinking in including cellular technology as a platform for vehicle safety. Indeed, the next evolution of cellular networks, including LTE-A and 5G, have vast potential to improve vehicle safety, with standards discussions already underway.

US investment in all of these innovative technologies today will ensure our global leadership in the transportation sector over the next decade and beyond. We look forward to working with you to further refine these historic strides as the legislative process advances.

Sincerely,

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