10 Reasons Congress Should Enact a Comprehensive Autonomous Vehicle (AV) Law

1. Improving Roadway Safety
   Human behavior and error factors into 94% of all crashes.

2. Increasing Productivity
   Occupants can use commute time for non-driving activities.

3. Providing Mobility
   Older Americans and those with disabilities can get to where they want to go.

4. Enabling Contactless Delivery
   COVID-19’s health concerns have shown this to be more important than ever.

5. Helping the Environment
   Less gridlock saves fuel and reduces greenhouse gases.

6. Reducing Traffic Congestion
   Fewer crashes mean fewer traffic jams, and cars traveling closer together maximizes existing roadway use.

7. International Competitiveness
   The United States is leading the technology race against other countries. Let’s keep it that way.

8. Investment and Economic Growth
   AV development in the U.S. will lead to more investment and the creation of new jobs.

9. Filling Gaps in Public Transit
   In areas without public transportation, AVs can help serve people without cars.

10. Completing Mass Transit
    AVs can provide first and last mile connections to mass transit.