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### INFORMATIONAL HEARING

## AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES IN CALIFORNIA: AN OVERVIEW

Tuesday, March 24, 2026

Capitol Annex Swing Space (1021 O St.) Room 1200

1:30 pm

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- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks
  - II. Industry Panel
    - Ariel Wolf, Partner, Venable LLP and General Counsel to the Autonomous Vehicle Industry Association (AVIA)
    - Dr. Missy Cummings, George Mason University
    - Robert O'Dowd, The Dawn Project
    - Dillon Angulo, Individual Crash Survivor
  - III. Safety Panel
    - Adam Wood (ret.), San Francisco Fire Department and former Executive Board member of San Francisco Firefighters Local 798
    - Brandon Sanchez, Deputy Chief, San Jose Police Department
    - Joseph Augusto, California Gig Workers Union, San Francisco
    - Shane Gusman, Teamsters California
  - IV. State Regulatory Agencies Panel
    - Bernard Soriano, Deputy Director of Policy, Department of Motor Vehicles
    - Miguel Acosta, Autonomous Vehicles Branch Chief, Department of Motor Vehicles
    - Terra Curtis, Director, Consumer Protection & Enforcement Division, California Public Utilities Commission
  - V. Public Comment
  - VI. Closing Remarks