# Automated Valet Parking Demonstration

- Corktown -

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#### **Demonstrations / Shared Learnings**



**Bedrock Assembly Garage - Corktown** 



2 Ford Escapes enabled with Bosch AVP



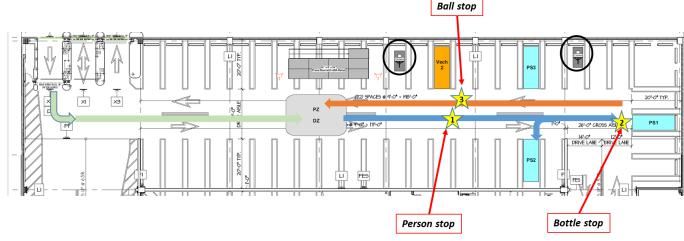






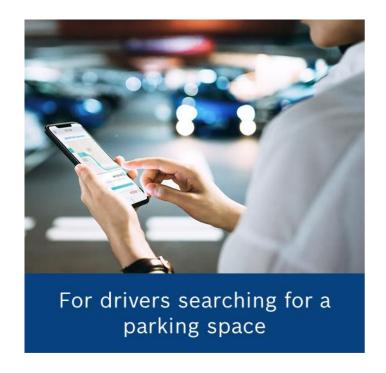
Ford, Bedrock, and Bosch
Formed a unique cross-industry partnership to produce

1<sup>st</sup> NA AVP technology demonstration - in Detroit!

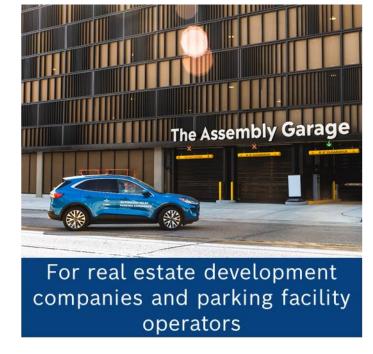




## Automated Valet Parking (AVP) Demonstration Stakeholder Value







## Automated Valet Parking (AVP) Demonstration Solution Enablement

#### **VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS**





automatic transmission



electric power steering system



**ESP** 



start/stop function



electric parking brake



communications unit



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#### **INFRASTRUCTURE REQUIREMENTS**





cloud back end



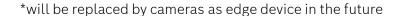
connectivity hardware



sensors



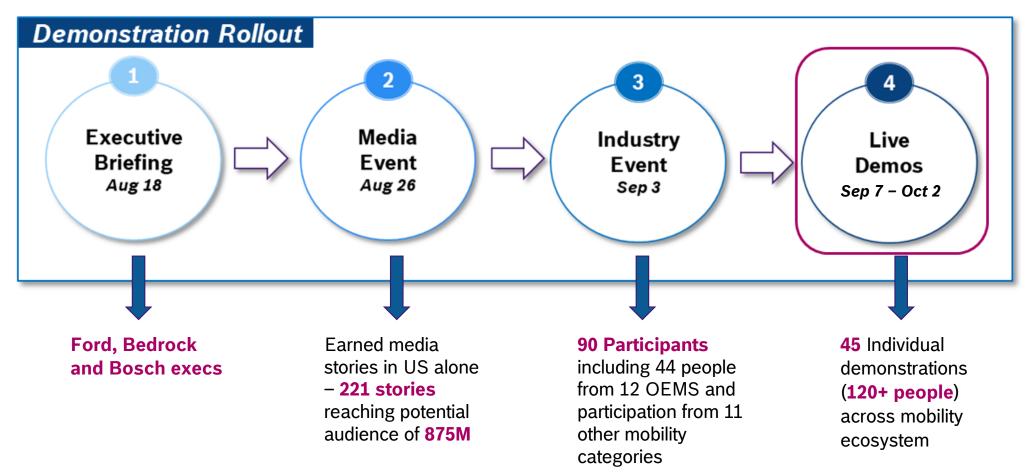
parking garage server\*







Demonstration Rollout: Results Overview





#### Demonstrations: Preliminary Survey Feedback (40% Response Rate)

- ▶ 78% have experienced a driverless vehicle previously
- ► 100% stated that the AVP Technology "Met" or "Exceeded" their expectations
  - ▶ **42%** say AVP tech "exceeded their expectations"
- ► On a scale of 1 to 5, 90% of participants scored AVP greater than 4 in its ability to manage the parking experience
- ▶ **78%** willing to **pay** for AVP feature





#### Takeaways (1 of 2)

- ▶ Infrastructure ...
  - Infrastructure-based valet parking could be faster to market than vehicle-based solution
  - Infrastructure input (V2I) will always be critical
     even to the most capable AV's
- ▶ Scaling ...
  - ► Industry standards critical
  - Infrastructure / OEMs lifting at same rate
- ► Government / Regulators ...
  - ► High interest in data interface ...
  - ▶ ... But minimal jurisdictional interest





#### Takeaways (2 of 2)

- ► Live demonstration in real-world environment important to understanding / acceptance
- ► ROI to infrastructure provider / parking operator focused around:
  - ► Increased density
  - Competitive advantage
  - ► Incremental services / process optimization
  - Decreased liability
- ▶ Stereo-camera based solution ...
  - ► Extremely compelling to infrastructure providers





#### Automated Valet Parking (AVP) Demonstration Stuttgart Airport: Fully Automated and Driverless Parking

- ► The new Mercedes-Benz S-Class is equipped with the technology to enable driverless, fully automated parking.
- ► For AVP, Bosch is using camera-based infrastructure for the first time to detect lanes and obstacles.
- ► The parking garage operator Apcoa is testing barrier and payment functions as the basis for automated valet parking, enabled by its APCOA FLOW digital mobility platform.



**STR Airport Parkhaus - P6** 



### Automated Valet Parking (AVP) Demonstration Reference Material

**▶** Detroit AVP Demonstration Videos

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLvPEEHwpQNMQBZzD3UhDwSj2c1k4CEi15

► Stuttgart Airport AVP Video

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B5dgKed7BTw&feature=youtu.be



