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GM CEO Mary Barra shows off Car of the Year Chevrolet Bolt.

Bolt Wins Car of the Year

the judges picking winners at last week's North American International Auto Show.

They named the Chevrolet Bolt EV as the 2017 North American Car of the Year.

The Bolt EV's recognition marks the fourth time in four years that Chevrolet has received the North American Car of the Year or Truck of the Year award, following the Corvette Stingray and Silverado's wins in 2014 and the Colorado's award in 2015, said GM spokesman Fred

"The Bolt EV fulfills Chevrolet's promise to offer an afford-

GM Predicts Its Profits Will Grow

With Strong Sales

DETROIT (AP) - Optimistic ex-

ecutives at General Motors say

strong sales in two core markets,

the U.S. and China, along with

cost-cutting, will power the com-

Dan Ammann told a Deutsche

Bank auto industry conference

in Detroit Jan. 10 to expect pre-

tax adjusted earnings per share

of \$6 to \$6.50 this year, up 50

cents from guidance issued for

2016. GM also said 2016 earnings

would be at the high end of its

guidance of \$5.50 to \$6 per

share. GM reports 2016 results

Barra said revenue would be

higher this year than last, with

an improved pretax profit mar-

gin, which was 8 percent in the

U.S. when she speaks to Trump.

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another \$5 billion in stock.

She also addressed the incoming Trump administration, which

next month.

third quarter.

pany to higher profits in 2017. CEO Mary Barra and President

by TOM KRISHER

AP Auto Writer

Detroit engineering impressed able, long-range electric," said Mark Reuss, executive vice president, GM Global Product Development. "It is a game-changer that is not only a great electric vehicle; it's a great vehicle period."

> Founded in 1994, the NACTOY group comprises 60 professional automotive journalists from the United States and Canada who work for magazines, television, radio, newspapers and websites, Ligouri said. NACTOY jurors evaluated dozens of new vehicles that went on sale this year before selecting the Bolt EV as the 2017 Car of the Year.

Offering an EPA-estimated 238

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Pacifica Captures Utility of the Year Crown

a gamble for Fiat Chrysler, but it's one that has paid off.

The vehicle was named the NAIAS North American Utility of the Year by a panel of automotive experts on Jan. 9.

"When we first introduced the 2017 Chrysler Pacifica just one year ago, we believed that we had created the perfect formula for today's busy families," said Tim Kuniskis, head of Passenger Car Brands, Dodge, SRT, Chrysler and Fiat, FCA - North America.

"But it's the recognition from our customers and respected opinion leaders like the NACTOY (North American Car, Truck and Utility Vehicle of the Year) jury that helps to reinforce Pacifica's status in the marketplace as the no-compromises minivan, and highlights what a great job the entire team has done in developing, building and selling the allnew Pacifica and Pacifica Hybrid."

This is the 24th year of the awards. The Chrysler Town & Country minivan won North American Car of the Year honors in 1996 – the only other time any minivan has won an award from the NACTOY jury, Kuniskis said.

Matt McAlear, senior manager at Chrysler Brand Marketing, said winning the NACTOY trophy was good news.

"This is an award that Chrysler is proud of, and it's not because

The 2017 Chrysler Pacifica was it comes from local people," McAlear said.

"In point of fact, NACTOY judges come from all over the country and are very knowledgeable about cars and the auto industry. The minivan segment is one that Chrysler invented and we are happy to reinvent it with the new Pacifica."

McAlear said by adding features like adaptive cruise control and a hybrid powertrain, the Pacifica made sure that minivan buyers had a vehicle of today. And that obviously impressed the judges looking at vehicles in the Utility category, he said.

"We beat out Mazda CX-9 and the Jaguar F-Pace to win this award," McAlear said. "That's some serious competition. But the judges liked the fact that the Pacifica gets 28 mpg using the gas engine and 84 MPGe when the electric engine is in use.

"The coolest thing about the Pacifica is that people don't have to give anything up in terms of space or range to own a hybrid vehicle. Because of the storage space underneath the passenger seats in the regular Pacifica, we were able to place the batteries there for the hybrid version. So we didn't have to worry about space the way they do with other hybrids.

"And because you can travel 33 miles on a charge, it's possible

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2017 Chrysler Pacifica

From Out of the Past Comes Ford's Ranger and Bronco

The 2017 NAIAS was the perfect opportunity for executives at Ford to talk about the company's future.

Joe Hinrichs, Ford's president of The Americas, announced on Jan. 9 that Ford this fall is launching a new version of the F-150 pickup truck.

The new F-150 will be even tougher, Hinrichs said. It will have the best towing ever. A new F-150 is always big news, he said, "but it is a pleasure to announce the return of two old names to the U.S. market - the Ford Ranger and the Ford Bronco.

"We've heard our customers loud and clear. They want a new generation of vehicles that are incredibly capable yet fun to drive," said Hinrichs.

pickup that's Built Ford Tough. Bronco will be a no-compromise midsize 4x4 utility for thrill-seekers who want to venture way bevond the city.'

Ford is bringing back the Ranger midsize pickup truck to its North American vehicle lineup in 2019 and Bronco midsize SUV to its global vehicle portfolio in 2020, Hinrichs said. Both vehicles will be manufactured at Ford's Michigan Assembly Plant in Wavne.

That wasn't the only news made by Ford at the auto show.

"This year, the expansion of our business as an auto and mobility company moves into even higher gear," said Mark Fields, president and CEO.

"We're introducing even more "Ranger is for truck buyers new vehicles and technologies to who want an affordable, function- make life better for millions of more people even more efficiental, rugged and maneuverable people in the near term, plus ly in the future.'



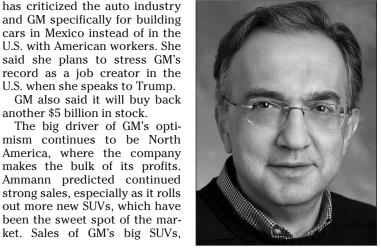
From left, Isaacson, Ford and Fields discuss future of transportation.

we're presenting a vision and partnering with cities to move other earlier announcements

This news, Fields said, follows

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Marchionne Talks About FCA's Future Plans at Auto Show



Sergio Marchionne

Fiat Chrysler CEO Sergio Marchionne spoke to the media at the 2017 North American International Auto Show on Jan. 9 for about an hour about the company's future

Marchionne spoke about President-elect Donald Trump's congratulating Fiat Chrysler for announcing on Jan. 8 that the company was investing \$1 billion to improve and update facilities in the United States.

Marchionne said that the company didn't make the announcement to please any politician. The investments had been in the works since the 2015 UAW $\,$ contract that Fiat Chrysler

As to the political environment and how it affected the company, Marchionne said that Fiat Chrysler will adjust to whatever rules there are if any rule changes get made.

"Right now, everyone is speculating," Marchionne said. "He's just been tweeting. I don't even know what the rules are. I haven't spoken to Trump or any of his advisors. This decision has been in the works for a long period of time.

"If you look at how we are realigning manufacturing in the U.S., you will see that it's totally in line with what we've said and done in the past. This announcement is just a continuation of our

retooling of our U.S. manufacturing base.

Marchionne said Fiat Chrysler has been at full capacity for the Ram 1500 for a few months, and the announcement about future plans on Jan. 8 was a coincidence with Trump's tweets.

Marchionne was then asked about whether Fiat Chrysler would be moving more into heavy duty SUVs.

"I need clarity," Marchionne said. "I think we all need clarity. We're not the only automaker who needs it. Yesterday's announcement was not a pre-emptive strike."

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for the average driver to use the vehicle every day and not use any gasoline for a week.

"But if you want to take that 200-mile drive to the beach with the family, this vehicle can do the job. We've very proud of the Pacifica and of winning this award.'

McAlear said the reaction from dealers has been positive. In fact one dealer from Florida was hearing from people in November about wanting to test drive the Pacifica.

'We had to tell them no, because we didn't have any vehicles available for them to test drive," McAlear said. "I just heard back via email that they're excited about the Pacifica finally coming to Florida.'

That dealer said in the email that he's already sold his allotment of Pacificas and that they wish they had more available to sell because there are customers out there for it.

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Antique Cars Help State Police Celebrate Centennial

This week, the Michigan State Police Department will celebrate its 100th Anniversary by adding 50 special edition black and gold Dodge Chargers to their fleet of patrol cars.

The fully equipped 2016 Dodge Chargers have been painted to resemble the department's iconic 1937 Ford Model 74 patrol car.

The 1937 Ford Model 74 was one of the department's first patrol cars and is the oldest vehicle in the department's historical fleet. This unique patrol

car had a siren that ran off of the one of the ways in which we are fan belt and a radio that was "receive only."

The Michigan State Police used black and gold patrol cars until 1954 when Commissioner Joseph A. Childs changed the department's patrol cars from black and gold to the bright shade of blue that remains the standard today.

"These black patrol cars with their distinctive gold striping and 100th Anniversary door shield are a throwback to our past and celebrating 100 years of service this year," said Col. Kriste Kibbey Etue, director of the Michigan State Police.

"Because we are known for our 'Blue Goose,'" she said, "we expect these black patrol cars to turn heads when drivers see them on Michigan roads and at events, providing us with opportunities to talk about our centennial and interact positively with the citizens we serve and pro-

Each of the MSP's 30 posts will receive at least one 100th Anniversary patrol car for use on general patrol and at community events.

These patrol cars were purchased as part of the department's annual fleet replacement so no additional money was expended for them.

These 100th Anniversary patrol cars will remain in the department's fleet until they reach their maximum mileage when they must be replaced.



1937 Ford Model 74



2016 Dodge Charger

Marchionne Talks About FCA's Future Plans at Auto Show

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Marchionne said that Warren Truck would get heavy-duty truck production if, and that was still a question, if heavy duty truck production left Mexico.

As far as Fiat Chryler's Canada investments were concerned, Marchionne said that he would be meeting with Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and that if he wanted to tweet as well, Marchionne would respond.

Fiat Chrysler would try to get from the government, Marchionne said, "As much as we

When asked if he thought Fiat Chrysler was now on Trump's "good" list of companies, Marchionne said everything is up in the air.

"Trump hasn't told me is Fiat Chrysler is on his 'good' list of companies," Marchionne said.

"Everything is up in the air. Our

When asked how much money history with Chrysler is eight that can only be done by working years old. We have not forgotten this country.

> "We know we must protect the mother goose. We know we must protect the company and the people we employ. We are keeping that part of the strategy to develop a mid-sized SUV for the global market.

> "These Trump tweets are all new territory. I don't know how to answer this new form of communication. We will respond and adapt to Trump. We're carmakers and not into moralizing.'

Marchionne said people have been asking him and other OEM CEOs what the auto industry is going to do about Trump.

He said, "Nothing. Trump won the election and that is a fact of life. Companies will adjust to the political situation as it changes."

In discussing the future of the Grand Caravan, Marchionne said it's a topic of much debate within the company as to when it will be discontinued.

He also said the company wants to offer a minivan that costs less than the new Pacifica, which has the latest technology. And technology costs money to develop and install.

"The Grand Caravan is built on an old platform," Marchionne said. "But we will probably not phase it out of production this year."

As far as Google is concerned, the FCA CEO said that Fiat Chrysler has learned a lot from its relationship with Google. And that's good, he said, because it's impossible to replicate the Silicon Valley environment any where else. He said they are trying to bridge the gap between current technology and expectations and

with companies like Google.

Marchionne also said that Google is more of a customer. The tech company is buying specialized Fiat Chrysler vehicles and adding their technologies to these vehicles.

"We've learned a lot from them," Marchionne said. "They said in the past they wanted to make their own car, but it seems they are now less enamored of that idea."

When asked if Fiat Chrysler was going to close any plants in Mexico, Marchionne said that was possible if the 35 percent tariff Trump talked about became a reality.

"Those plants were built when NAFTA was alive and well," Marchionne said. "But we're so far away from that, there's no way to answer 'what if.' We won't invest untile we have clarity. We'll wait."

Marchionne said he considers Mexico to still be a good place to invest, but that the plants there are geared for the American marketplace. It would be difficult to retool them for other markets around the world.

Marchionne also said that he's not too worried about not producing smaller cars. The market is heading toward SUVs and CU-Vs. The biggest financial mistake the company made in the past half-decade was building the Chrysler 200 and the Dodge Dart.

The company would consider building more smaller cars if they could make the numbers work, he said, but "it was better they focus on what they do well rather than get a bloody nose every day fighting in a market niche that is incredibly competitive and not that profitable."



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2018 Chevy Traverse 'Built with Style, Purpose' - GM's Batey

by Jim Stickford

The year 2017 may have only just started, but that didn't stop Alan Batey, GM's president of North American operations, from introducing the 2018 Chevrolet Traverse on Jan. 9 at the North American International Auto Show (NAIAS).

Batey said Chevrolet has dominated the full-size SUV market niche, controlling nearly 50 percent of the market.

With the 2018 Traverse, Batey said Chevrolet will complete the brand's SUV lineup.

"The Traverse has been built with style and purpose," Batey said. "It proudly wears Chevy's design cues and every seat is designed for adult use. The Traverse comes with an easy-to-access third row.

"This is the SUV that can handle whatever life throws at you. Because the mid-size SUV market is expanding, we are introducing the first-ever Traverse High Country – a top-of-the-line, highly contented model that comes with several exclusive trim features."

The 2018 Traverse has a new look inspired by Chevrolet's full-size SUVs, with purposeful proportions complemented by premium cues such as chrome accents, LED signature lighting and available D-Optic LED head-lamps, Batey said.

Chevrolet is adding two new trim levels for the 2018 Traverse – the sporty RS and High Country – to offer customers more choices for a personalized appearance.

The new RS package includes unique, blacked-out exterior cues with a black chrome grille, black bowtie, 20-inch wheels and more, he said.

The High Country trim features

Chevrolet Bolt Earns Award At 2017 NAIAS

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miles of range on a full charge at a starting price of \$37,495 before federal tax incentives of up to \$7,500 – depending upon your tax situation – the Bolt EV adds the title of North America Car of the Year to a growing list of independent accolades, Ligouri said.

Motor Trend named the Bolt EV the 2017 Car of the Year and it earned a place on the 2017 Car and Driver 10Best Cars list. Green Car Journal also heralded the Bolt EV as the Green Car of the Year and Green Car Reports named it the Best New Car to Buy.

Standard Bolt EV features include electronic precision shift, Regen on Demand steering wheel paddle and a 10.2-inch-diagonal color touchscreen, Ligouri said. The top-trim Premier model adds leather-appointed seats, front and rear heated seats, surround vision camera, rear camera mirror and more.

The Bolt EV rolled into California and Oregon markets last month, with additional markets in the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic states, including New York, Massachusetts and Virginia, seeing their first deliveries this winter. The Bolt EV will be available at certified dealerships across the U.S. by mid-2017, Ligouri said.

premium content and technology, including a unique interior trim, said Batey, featuring Loft Brown leather appointments with suede accents, 20-inch polished wheels, High Country badging, D-Optic headlamps, standard twin-clutch AWD and power-fold third row seats.

Features include a new 3.6L V6 and nine-speed automatic transmission from the standard propulsion system, expected to offer nearly 10 percent more horsepower than the current model and a General Motors-estimated 25 mpg highway (FWD). The combination also supports an estimated 5,000-pound trailering capacity when properly equipped.

Sporting the new RS trim, the Traverse will exclusively feature a 2.0L turbocharged engine that provides a unique driving experience, Batey said, with more maximum torque than the V6. It is also paired with the nine-speed automatic transmission.

Both engines feature new intelligent stop/start technology that determines the best times for fuel-saving engine-stop events, based on a variety of driving factors.

New Traction Mode Select is standard on all models and allows the driver to make real-time adjustments to the vehicle's driving mode to account for varying road conditions. On available AWD models, it also allows the system to be com-



Perelli with 2018 Traverse at North American International Auto Show

pletely disconnected from the rear axle, which helps save fuel and enhances refinement.

High Country's exclusive Advanced AWD system employs twin-clutch technology that optimizes traction for every condition it encounters.

It is engineered for optimal performance in wet, snowy and icy conditions, while also providing enhanced stability in dry conditions.

Dean Perelli, chief engineer for the new Traverse, said the vehicle has a true SUV profile, something new for the model.

"The new version looks completely like an SUV," Perelli said. "The old version had more of a crossover look. The thinking behind the new Traverse was to go

for an SUV profile. But I am really proud of how our team executed the Traverse's interior. It's so functional. There is storage space everywhere. I like to say it has truck-like storage with carlike luxury."

Perelli said that they paid attention to the small details when it came to developing the look and the design of the 2018 Traverse's interior.

That attention to detail includes things like the use of leather materials and double-stitching being used in the vehicle's interior.

"It has the refinement of a luxury vehicle," Perelli said. "Alan mentioned that we did everything purposively. That's a good term. We wanted a vehicle that

people could use in different ways. On the weekdays, take the kids to school and get groceries. But it is also a vehicle you can use to go out to a fancy dinner with friends. You don't think of that when you have a station wagon. The team did a really great job."

Perelli said the 2018 Traverse uses a new platform, referred to as C internally, and will be built, starting this summer, at General Motors' Delta Township factory in the Lansing area.

"When you get in a 2018 Traverse, everything you touch will be newly-designed. It has a new body but is 360 pounds lighter than its predecessor. It has a safety cage for the cockpit and uses a great deal of high-strength steel."

And, Perelli said, it will come with only three build combinations available for potential buyers

That's a bit unusual for a vehicle like the Traverse.

"For a vehicle this big and complex, there are only a few trim levels and a few option packages that come with these trim levels," Perelli said. "That makes it easy for the customer to decide what to get. And it's gas-efficient.

"We haven't received the EPA mileage numbers yet, but our figures show that it gets around 25 miles highway, 18 miles city. The new Traverse will go on sale in the fall."

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Chrysler Continues Investments, Adds 2,000 U.S. Jobs

It's been a busy 2017 so far for Fiat Chrysler.

The automaker on Jan. 8 confirmed the next phase of its industrialization plan by announcing a total \$1 billion investment in plants in Michigan and Ohio, and the addition of 2,000 new American jobs.

FCA US, said Fiat Chrysler spokeswoman Jodi Tinson, is further demonstrating its commitment to strengthening its U.S. manufacturing base, and aligning U.S. capacity to extend the Jeep product lineup.

In total, Fiat Chrysler has committed investments of more than \$9.6 billion in its U.S. manufacturing facilities and created 25,000 new jobs to date since 2009, said Tinson.

The announcement is the second phase of an industrialization plan announced in January 2016, Tinson said. That plan called for the realignment of the company's U.S. manufacturing operations to fully utilize available capacity to respond to a shift in market demand for trucks and SUVs, and to further expand the Jeep and Ram brands.

With the \$1 billion investment, Fiat Chrysler will retool and modernize the Warren Truck Assembly Plant to produce the new Jeep Wagoneer and Grand Wagoneer, and the south plant of the Toledo Assembly Complex (Ohio) to build a new Jeep pickup truck.

These actions are planned to be completed by 2020. More than 2,000 jobs also will be added to support production of

these models.

The added benefit of the investment in Warren is that it will enable the plant to produce the Ram heavy duty truck, which is currently produced in Mexico.

"The conversion of our industrial footprint," said Fiat Chrysler CEO Sergio Marchionne, completes this stage of our transformation as we respond to the shift in consumer tastes to trucks and SUVs, and as we continue to reinforce the U.S. as a global manufacturing hub for those vehicles at the heart of the SUV and truck market.

"These moves, which have been under discussion with Dennis Williams and the rest of the UAW leadership for some time, expand our capacity in these key segments, enabling us to meet growing demand here in the U.S., but more importantly to increase exports of our mid-size and larger vehicles to international markets.

"The expansion of our Jeep lineup has been and continues to be the key pillar of our strategy. Our commitment to internationalize the Jeep brand is unwavering, and with these last moves, we will finally have the capacity to successfully penetrate markets other than the U.S., which have historically been denied product due to capacity constraints."

The actions announced on Jan. 8 are subject to the negotiation and final approval of incentives by state and local entities, Tinson said. In July 2016, the company made two announcements involving production shifts at three plants to gain additional capacity for the Jeep Wrangler, Jeep Cherokee and Ram Light Duty Truck.

That first announcement confirmed a more than \$1 billion investment and the addition of 1,000 jobs at its Illinois and Ohio plants, Tinson said. The company will invest \$350 million in the Belvidere (Ill.) Assembly Plant to produce the Jeep Cherokee, which will move from its current production location in Toledo, Ohio, in 2017. Approximately 300 new jobs would be created.

Ford Executives Discuss Plans for Future

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about Ford's business expansion:

- · Adding 13 new electrified vehicles and investing \$4.5 billion in the next five years, including a hybrid versions of the F-150 and Mustang, two pursuit-rated hybrid police vehicles, a Transit Custom plug-in hybrid, a fully electric small SUV with an estimated range of at least 300 miles and a high-volume, fully autonomous, SAE-level-4-capable vehicle – with no steering wheel, gas or brake pedal - in commercial operation in 2021 in a ride-hailing or ride-sharing service.
- The debut of its next-generation Fusion Hybrid autonomous development vehicle, the next step in Ford's plan to deliver a fully autonomous vehicle in 2021.
- The creation of a City Solutions team to work with major global cities to help solve congestion issues and help people move more easily today and in the future.

Bill Ford, the company's executive chairman, also spoke about what ford is doing for the future beyond vehicles.

The automaker is working with cities around the world to help address growing mobility challenges in urban environments, including gridlock and air pollution, Ford said.

Ford's City Solutions team the only one of its kind in the auto industry – is collaborating with global city officials to propose, pilot and develop mobility solutions, Ford said. The team also is beginning to collaborate with Bloomberg Philanthropies and its global coalition of may-

"This is an issue that goes far beyond congestion. It is one that represents a massive challenge to mankind, one that affects our well-being and access to health

care, clean drinking water, food, a safe place to live and even the ability to find work," said Ford.

"By solving the mobility challenge, we have the chance to create a better world for future generations. It's both an exciting opportunity and a big responsibility.'

Ford's City of Tomorrow looks at how near-term mobility advancements - including autonomous and electric vehicles, ridesharing and ride-hailing and connected vehicles - interact with urban infrastructure and create a transportation ecosystem. Ford

For example, Ford is imagining a world in which reconfigurable roads fluidly respond to commuter needs and traffic flow. Bikes and drones provide lastmile solutions for both people and goods.

In Ford's vision of the nearterm future, connected communications between vehicles and infrastructure also will grow:

Vehicles will be capable of connecting with other vehicles and cities' transportation operating systems

Ford alone will equip 20 million globally with built-in cars modems in the next five years.

As these vehicles and other connected vehicles are introduced into cities around the world, cities themselves will change. Large-scale innovations likely, including wireless charging and enhanced connectivity.

These changes could give city transportation managers all-new operating systems, which allow them to manage multiple aspects of their city transportation system centrally, including traffic flow and vehicle emissions.

Ford discussed this vision on stage with Fields and Walter Isaacson, president and CEO of the Aspen Institute, a nonpartisan educational and policy studies organization based in Washington, D.C.

Isaacson asked the question of how transporation could be considered a human right.

Ford pointed out that as cities around the world get more congested, people will be living farther from work. If you can't get to work, it's hard to escape from poverty. New transportation systems can alleviate this problem.

Mass transit will improve for the largest cities with new technologies, Ford said, like advanced high-speed public transit. Other innovations could include:

- · Drones that will play many roles. For example, they could be quickly deployed to survey and map the hardest-hit areas following earthquakes, tsunamis or other major disasters.
- Advanced transportation operating systems that more robustly and seamlessly integrate data from all aspects of the ecosystem.

This includes vehicles, bikes, drones and mass transit, as well as street lights, parking meters and charging infrastructure.

- Large-scale implementation of advanced technologies for flexible traffic management coupled with autonomous vehicles eliminating traffic jams, reducing emissions and bringing traffic accidents to nearly zero.
- Converting road space into green space and parks, allowing for higher quality of life and healthier communities.

"For more than 100 years, Ford has been part of the community and the trusted source for automotive transportation," Fields said.

"Now, we want to work with communities to offer even more transportation choices and solutions for people - for decades to come.'

Feds Indict Takata Executives

DETROIT (AP) - Three former employees of Takata Corp. have been indicted by a federal grand jury on charges of concealing defects in the company's air bag inflators.

The indictments on six counts of conspiracy and wire fraud were unsealed Dec. 13.

Takata air bag inflators can explode with too much force, spewing metal shrapnel into drivers and passengers. At least 16 people have been killed worldwide and more than 180 injured. The faulty inflators have touched off the biggest auto recall in U.S. history.

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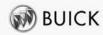
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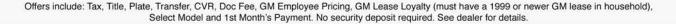
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GM Predicts Strong 2017

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including the Chevy Tahoe and GMC Yukon, rose by double-digits last year, according to Autodata. GM unveiled an updated version of the smaller GMC Terrain at the Detroit auto show last week.

The company also expects more of the same from its joint venture with the Chinese government. Ammann said China is heading from a super-highgrowth economy to a maturing one with growth slowing. But buyers are going for more expensive vehicles as the economy matures, he said.

'We see from a macroeconomic point of view pretty robust underpinnings for another good year, absent an external shock,' Ammann told reporters before the presentation.

General Motors also added \$1 billion to its annual cost-savings target, raising it to \$6.5 billion through 2018. It has already cut administrative, material, logistics and manufacturing costs by

\$4 billion per year from 2014 levels.

Barra gave a glimpse into GM's strategy for dealing with President-elect Donald Trump, who has threatened the company with a tax for importing compact cars from a factory in Mexico.

Barra said General Motors doesn't plan to change where it makes vehicles and plans to emphasize to the Trump administration that complex production decisions were made years ago. She said the company already is helping to grow jobs and the economy in the U.S.

"We look forward to having the conversation with the administration with the president-elect to make sure that they also understand the number of jobs we already produce," said Barra, who is among a group of CEOs advising Trump on the economy. The company has invested over \$11 billion in the U.S. in the past two years to preserve or add jobs and employs more than 100,000 people in the nation, she

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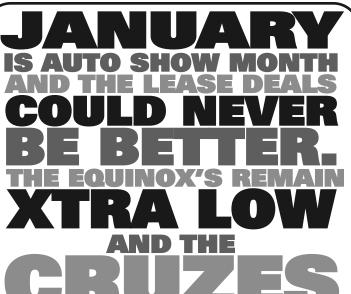


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