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Axios Expert Voices: Cities Are Rewriting Zoning and Land Use Rules to Usher in AVs



A growing number of U.S. cities, including Las Vegas, Minneapolis and Chandler, Arizona, are re-examining their zoning, land use, and transportation regulations to ease the way forward for AVs.

**Why it matters:** Cities are exploring changes to decades-old laws in the hopes of attracting new technologies and investment as well as the economic and quality-of-life gains that come with them.

**Context:** According to a 2018 National League of Cities [report](#), roughly half of America's largest cities are "preparing for self-driving vehicles in their long-range transportation plans."

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