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# **Announcements**



#### Hau Thai-Tang Retires Oct. 1, Leaves 34-Year-Plus Legacy at Ford

On October 1, Chief Industrial Platform Officer Hau Thai-Tang will retire from Ford after more than 34 years of dedicated service.

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#### Ford, Ford Fund Prepare Disaster Relief Response to Hurricane Ian

In the wake of devastation caused by Hurricane Ian in Florida, Ford, Ford Pro, and Ford Fund are working closely with emergency response organizations, nonprofit partners, local Ford dealers and regional team members to deliver support to communities in need.

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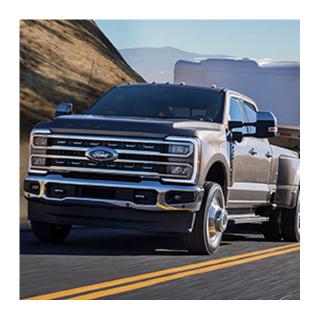
# **Ford News**



# New Design Chief Anthony Lo Shares Background, Discusses Design with Retirees

Chief Design Officer Anthony Lo brings a wealth of experience from a career spent working around the world at other automakers.

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# **All-New Ford F-Series Super Duty Brings Next-Level Capability, Connectivity and Technology**

Redesigned inside and out, every Super Duty is built with unprecedented levels of work capability, ingenious new technology and a suite of...

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## 'Mustang Builder' And Wife Provide Sanctuary for Retired Racehorses, Mustangs

Jeffrey Mazur and his wife, Jane, operate the Two Wild Hearts Sanctuary and purchase, rehabilitate and care...



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#### Meet Goliath, the Giant that Helps Build the Mustang Mach-E

No, not the biblical giant, but the 8.6-ton cobot in charge of perfect body fits for every single Mustang Mach-E at the Cuautitlán plant.

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# **Global Notes**



#### Jim Farley, Kumar Galhotra Reiterate Commitment During Thailand Visit

Their visit reinforced the important role IMG plays in delivering Ford+ and highlighted...





#### Ford's F-150 Pickup is Coming to Europe

Ford has entered into an import agreement with Hedin Mobility Group to bring a limited number of gas-powered F-150 pick-ups to Europe.

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## **Outside Voices**

#### The 2023 Ford Super Duty Is a Workhorse Refined

(Road & Track) Ford says the Super Duty represents something like 50 percent of today's heavy-duty truck market, so this is a very big deal.

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#### 2023 Ford F-Series Super Duty Engineer Aaron Bresky Has Dream Job

(Detroit Free Press) Aaron Bresky, now 50, still remembers that seventh-grade classroom moment on Career Day so long ago.

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#### Ford Trucks Inspired Highest Loyalty Rates In 2022 Brand Study

(Ford Authority) It's an impressive finish in a coveted category, as truck buyers are typically more loyal than most other segments.

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#### Lincoln Enthusiasts Celebrate 100th Anniversary of Ford's Purchase

(Hemmings) The primary celebration took place at the Lincoln Motor Car Heritage Museum in Hickory Corners, Michigan, but was preceded with optional pre-Homecoming events in Dearborn, Michigan.

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#### Ford Piquette Museum Hosts Model T Birthday Celebration

(Detroit Free Press) Model T lovers and enthusiasts gathered at the Ford Piquette Avenue Museum in Detroit for an afternoon of free Model T rides, food trucks, other vendors and a chance to tour the museum.

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# Ford Employees Recreation Association (FERA)

FERA offers recreation and travel opportunities for Ford employees and alumni. It has more than 45 clubs to support your recreation interests, as well as discounts on travel (such as trips to Orlando, Fla. and hotels) and attractions (like the North American International Auto Show and the Renaissance Festival). You can find more information by visiting www.fera.org. The FERA desk at Ford World Headquarters is now permanently closed. The roving FERA desk has been suspended until further notice. Send questions or for more information, email fera@ford.com.

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