

## **Set of requirements for a vehicle system that will avoid pedestrian collisions:**

### **1. Overall System Requirements**

*These requirements are for the overall system itself.*

- a. The system should only be active when the vehicle is turned on.
- b. If the system is unable to safely detect whether there is an object, possibly caused by damaged sensors, weather, or other unexpected conditions, the system should inform the driver as such.
  - i. This is to prevent a collision in the instance that a driver has become reliant on this system, or incorrect information is processed by the system.
- c. When the system is initially activated, if an object is detected, the driver should be warned.
- d. The system should not alert the driver, or automatically apply brakes, if it has been manually disengaged, but should notify the driver that the system is off.

### **2. Radar, Sonar, and/or Lidar Scanner**

*For collecting information about the environment and alerting the driver if need be.*

- a. The sensors, whether sonar, radar, or both, must be active when the system is on.
- b. The sensors should alert the driver by providing a visual and audible alert if an object is detected.
- c. The sensors should not alert the driver if the vehicle is not in motion and the driver has already been alerted to the presence of an obstacle.
- d. The system should only report obstacles detected within 15 meters of the vehicle.

### **3. 360 Degree Coverage Cameras**

*For both sensing obstacles and giving the driver a visual on their display.*

- a. The cameras must always be on, and on the drivers display, when the system is active.
- b. The cameras will alert the driver by providing a visual and audible alert if an object is detected.
- c. The camera should not alert the driver if the vehicle is not in motion and the driver has already been alerted to the presence of an obstacle.
- d. The system should only report obstacles detected within 15 meters of the vehicle.

### **4. Autonomous Emergency Braking and Anti-lock Braking Systems**

*Also called AEB and ABS, respectively. For use by the system to brake automatically if need be.*

- a. If you are within 1 meter from a detected object, apply brakes automatically.
- b. The automatic braking system should only work if the speed of the vehicle is below 10 mph.

### **5. Speaker System**

*Internal and external system, for auditory alerts.*

- a. When prompted by the sensors or cameras, emit a non-intrusive warning sound to the driver.

- b. If a pedestrian is near the external area of the vehicle, emit an external warning sound.
  - i. Emit at 80db to avoid any harm to pedestrian hearing but be loud enough to alert.
  - ii. Activates if within 2 meters of the car.

## **6. Digital Display**

*For providing the driver with information about the environment behind them, as well as visual alerts.*

- a. If the vehicle is not in motion, and the driver has already been given a visual warning, the driver should not be warned again.
- b. When parking (under 10mph), provide the driver with a 360 view of surroundings using the cameras, and external lights to provide lighting if the surrounding area is dark.