

Ford scraps electric F-150 Lightning

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DETROIT — Ford Motor Co. is pivoting away from its once-ambitious electric vehicle plans amid financial losses and waning consumer demand for the vehicles in lieu of investment in more efficient gasoline-engines and hybrid EVs, the company said Monday.

The Detroit automaker, which has poured billions of dollars into electrification along with most of its industry peers, said it will no longer make the F-150 Lightning electric pickup truck, instead opting for an extended range version of the vehicle.

Ford will also introduce some manufacturing changes; its Tennessee Electric Vehicle Center — part of the BlueOval City campus and once the future of Ford's EVs and batteries — is being renamed

the Tennessee Truck Plant and will produce new affordable gas-powered trucks instead. Ford's Ohio Assembly Plant will produce a new gas and hybrid van.

The company has lost \$13 billion on EVs since 2023 and said it expects to take a \$19.5 billion hit largely in the fourth quarter due to the EV business.

"This is a customer-driven shift to create a stronger, more resilient and more profitable Ford," CEO Jim Farley said in a statement. "The operating reality has changed, and we are redeploying capital into higher-return growth opportunities: Ford Pro, our market-leading trucks and vans, hybrids and high-margin opportunities like our new battery energy storage business."

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PROPERTY TRANSFERS IN BULLITT COUNTY

The following property transfers available to the public from the Bullitt County Clerk's Office with a value of over \$50,000 during the month of October 2025 (a number of those from earlier in October were published on Dec. 11):

* Moore Built Homes, LLC to David Allan and Karol Sue Brunick; Lot 32, Colonial Aire Subdivision, Section 2; \$399,900

* Lonny Ray Construction, Inc. to Sierra Hager and Cody Keeton; Lot 89, Lakes of Dogwood Run, Section 2; \$258,000

* Sonya Bell and Ezra Scott Curtsinger to David Allen and Janice K. Payne; Lot 47, Woods of Mt. Washington, Section 1; \$355,000

* Elizabeth Owen to Theodore Jaret Gatrost and Theodore Jr. and Tricia Gatrost; Lot 18, Plainview Acres, Section 2; \$175,000

* The Estate of Houston Virgil Cole, Jr. to Kevin and Tracie

Cole; Lot 23, Burkland Gardena Subdivision, Section 1-B; \$275,000

* Roger C. and Amanda M. Spalding to Garrett and Rachel Purvis; Lot 120, Stone Meadow Subdivision, Section 1; \$280,000

* Fischer Homes Louisville, LLC to Alexandra E. Musco and Kaitlyn Marie Kinnaird; Lot 317, Meadows at River Crest, Section 1; \$413,867

* Fischer Homes Louisville, LLC to Lisa Ann and Kevin Edward Comstock; Lot 220, Sanctuary at Mallard Lake, Phase One; \$299,990

* Fischer Homes Louisville, LLC to Nicole Michell Hedge-speth; Lot 123, Harvest Point, Section 1; \$289,990

* Setacciolo Properties LLC to Kyle Wilson and Celeste Nicole Buckner; 2 parcels; \$122,000

* Empire Properties 1332 LLC to Eric Sebataware and Nyaganza Nyamahoro; Lot 45, Revised Fernwood, Section 1

and 2; \$444,800

* Quiche Rock, LLC to Madison Jalin McAdams-Bryant; Lot 26, Masden's Fairview Subdivision; \$194,000

* Lionnis Hechevarria Perez to RM Home Link Corporation; Lot 29, Overdale Subdivision, Section B; \$189,000

* John E. and Mary S. Johnson to Haley Elizabeth and Michael Brian Murphy; Lot 25A, Peddler Run Subdivision, Section 3; \$537,500

* HVJ Construction LLC to HoCo HomeBuilders LLC; Lot 73, Maplehurst Subdivision, Section 1; \$75,000

* Kearney Organization Limited Liability Company to Doug and Lorie Lee Blake; 1.00 acres; \$310,000

* Tyler and Josselyn Mal-lard to Kelly M. Saul; Lot 25, Miles Place; \$155,000

* Live Oaks Inc. to Korey A. Kearney; Tract 2 (5.0737 acres);

\$495,000

* Ronald D. and Sally B. Eiler to Harrison of Shepherdsville LLC; property near Schoppenhorst, Neurath & Brooks Funeral Home; \$750,000

* Duane S. Price II to Jessica Long; Lot 95, Wade Subdivision, Section 3; \$258,000

* Chaz and Rebecca Cook to Kayla M. and Tyler Sturgeon; Lot 37, Bethel Springs, Section 1; \$333,000

* Wray Farm Development LLC to Lacey Bibelhauser; Lot 7 (5.33 acres), Wray Farms Subdivision; \$189,900

* Helen England to Cecil J. and Georgie Shannon; Lot 123, Cherry Hill, Section 4; \$285,000

* Michael and Karen Robey to Billy Howard Smith to 127 Freedom LLC; 0.910 acres; \$1,023,000

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