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The test route of this self driving vehicle is one I drive regularly to visit family in Phoenix. I have also seen news articles regarding self driving vehicles being unleashed in the downtown Phoenix area and injuring or even killing pedestrians. The idea of a vehicle so much bigger than an Uber 'self driving' terrifies me as a traveler. No information was released by the USPS as to the results of this 'pilot', so we as travelers on US highways have no idea if these vehicles are safe, how they are monitored, what emergency/safety measures they have on board or are capable of (since unfortunately postal vehicles have a history of catching on fire), or how they would handle the flooding and rainstorms the area of the test pilot is known for.

This is a dangerous and secretive move by the USPS and as they are using taxpayer funded roads, the taxpayers deserve a full report on how this vehicle operates and if it is safe. My experience with reports in the news of self driving vehicles indicates they are not.