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The Ford Motor Company is an American multinational automaker headquartered in Dearborn, Michigan, incorporated on June 16, 1903.

Ford Has Announced A Multi-Billion-Dollar Initiative That Will See It Building Two New Facilities In Mexico.



Though neither will be a final assembly plant, both promise to break new ground for the automotive industry in Mexico

The first is a new engine facility to be built at Ford's existing plant in Chihuahua. The fruit of a **\$1.1-billion** investment will see the Blue Oval produce new gasoline engines for use in North America, South America and Asia-Pacific, creating **1,300** new jobs in the process.

Ford will also be investing another **\$200 million** to expand its inline-four and diesel engine production lines at the same plant. The move will create another **500**

new jobs and make Ford's Chihuahua engine plant the largest in Mexico, according to the company's press release.

Canada lies between Alaska and the lower Forty-Eight States of America. An unbroken American Republic could one day stretch from the Gulf of Mexico to the Arctic Circle. For now there is no pressing need or political urgency to act sooner rather than later. In the meantime an inextricable web of inclusive relationships and a complex tangle of seemingly mutually beneficial trade pacts and agreements support the ever growing establishment of American corporate presence in the national and provincial affairs of Canada . Millions of people and billions in dollars of commerce cross these borders daily. It gives daily commuters a sense of being in one country.