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**SCRANTON  
COLTS encourages  
dumping the pump**

The County of Lackawanna Transit System will offer free rides on all routes Thursday as part of a nationwide initiative to "dump the pump."

Thursday is the 12th annual National Dump the Pump Day, a day to encourage people to ride public transportation instead of driving, according to the American Public Transportation Association. This year marks the ninth year COLTS has participated.

"Riding the bus is an easy way to save money and help the environment," COLTS Executive Director Bob Fiume said in a press release. "We offer free rides each year as a way to thank our current riders and provide an incentive for people who don't normally take the bus to try public transit."

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