

Tax vouchers for operation of private cars—as logical as tax vouchers for private schools.

The Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA) is asking voters to pass a new tax levy. I will vote for it because it will be good for Franklin County Ohio residents. Everyone will benefit in a variety of ways by this tax to improve this community service.

I don't use COTA and don't plan to use it. I choose to use my personal vehicle which costs an inordinate amount for insurance, maintenance, gasoline, AAA, tires, etc.

I have made a private choice not to use this public service. Should I expect a transportation voucher to help pay the cost of my private choice? An emphatic NO!

Ohio taxpayers are paying billions to help some Ohioans to choose a private education for their children. Is this scheme reasonable, logical, or sensible? An emphatic NO!