

Project raises \$16K to help low-income residents, local restaurants

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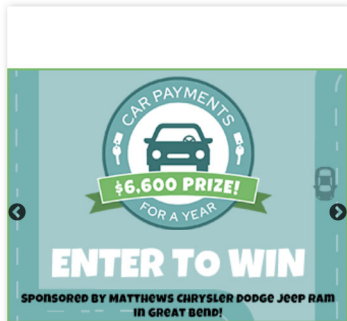
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The collaborative Electric City Connection project raised more than \$16,000 in less than a week to provide restaurant gift cards to city residents in need during the coronavirus pandemic.

Developed by the University of Scranton in partnership with Scranton Tomorrow and Friends of the Poor, the project also supports local restaurants impacted financially by the virus and related containment efforts. The money raised as of Wednesday was enough to purchase 1,095 restaurant gift cards.

Officials will continue to run the program for as long as there's a need and funding continues. To make a donation, visit www.scrantontomorrow.org.

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