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| **Sponsor Information: (Qualifying HRCA Member)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| **Instructions:** |

Complete the Applicant and Sponsor portion of the application.

Forward the completed application and essay to:

**Hampton Roads Coal Association**

C/O Ray A. Jones

Norfolk Southern Railway

2200 Redgate Ave

Building #1

Norfolk, Virginia, 23507

**or email to:**

[ray.jones@nscorp.com](mailto:ray.jones@nscorp.com)

**Essay:**

500 words or less

Typed and double spaced

Footnotes and bibliography required

**Topic:**

Must be coal related (mining, transportation, use, quality, forwarding, etc.)

**Identification:**

The Control Number assigned to the application **must** accompany the title of the essay.

**Example:** ***Coal: Cornerstone of Hampton Roads – Control # 0123***

**Deadline:**

Applications and essays **must** be received by **November 29, 2017**.

*Applications and essays received after the deadline will not be considered.*

***Essays not identified as instructed, i.e. Title – Control #0123 will not be considered.***