

## **Chapters Regional Conference 1995 – A Look Back**

As the Hampton Roads Chapter prepares to host the Chapters Regional Conference (CRC) in 2007 it is a great time to reflect on the successful CRC hosted by the Hampton Roads chapter in 1995.

The CRC 1995 Committee, dubbed the “Dirty Dozen” by committee chairman Dan Pettway, planned and executed one of the best attended and most successful conferences ever in Region III. The committee included vice chair Rennie Tisdale, Vince Pilato, Willie Williamson, Ted Ambrose, Don Larsson, Chris Mendes, John Say, Howard Webb, Ron Westbrook and Kelly Mason.

The committee worked hard but managed to have fun while doing it. Howard Webb even donated his boat to host several committee meetings. The committee enjoyed sailing the river while planning the CRC. Ted Ambrose also donated the use of his office conference room for the other meetings.

The CRC was held on September 21-23, 1995 at the Waterside Marriot Hotel in Norfolk. In addition to the usual business meetings, caucus and executive sessions, the CRC included four technical sessions. The technical session topics were:

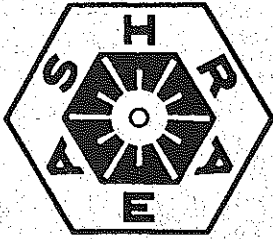
1. Low KW/Ton Central District Cooling System Design by David A. Murphy
2. Indoor Air Quality and Ventilation Standards by Dr. James E. Woods, Jr.
3. Where did the latent capacity go? by Hank Rutkowski
4. Variable Speed Pumping for Primary/Secondary Loop Design by Kenneth R. Luther

The technical sessions were attended by over 125 people and proved to be a highlight of the conference.

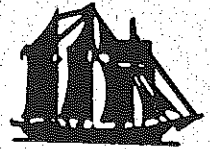
Another highlight was the Welcome Party on the Spirit of Norfolk cruise ship. In spite of the heavy rain downpour a good time was had by everyone. The rain did not dampen the enjoyment of the social event. There was plenty of opportunity to interact and network with other members and directors.

The CRC 1995 was a wonderful event. The committee’s hard work and dedication paid off in a big way. All the committee members continue to be active in our chapter. We are lucky to continue to have their experience and wisdom.

We are confident that the CRC 2007 committee chaired by Nancy Mitchell-Veeck will continue the legacy of excellence.



# NORFOLK BY THE SEA



1995 Chapters Regional Conference / Norfolk VA / Sept. 21-23

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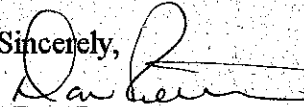
I am writing to inform you of your upcoming Chapters Regional Conference to be held September 20th through 23rd, 1995 in Norfolk, Virginia. We hope that you will take advantage of an opportunity to witness the regional business of ASHRAE, learn skills to improve your chapter, and maybe see a little of the history and beauty that Hampton Roads Virginia offers!

The site of our conference is the newest gem on the Norfolk Skyline, the Marriot Hotel - Waterside, which overlooks the harbor and Norfolk's Waterside Marketplace, a collection of shops, restaurants, and nightclubs.

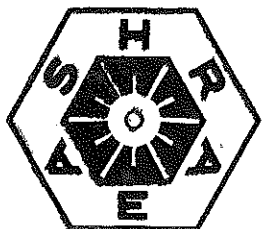
Feature events for CRC 95' will include:

- **Technical Session:** a collection of important subjects involving our industry that includes: Variable Flow Pumping, Latent Design Considerations, District Cooling Plant Design, and Ventilation Standards, all conducted by nationally recognized speakers. Please see the enclosed brochure for details.
- **Welcome Reception:** it's not just a three hour tour, its a three hour tour on the beautiful "Spirit of Norfolk" with dinner and a side order of dancing thrown in. All enhanced by the beautiful Hampton Roads Harbor as a backdrop.
- **Companion's Tour:** what could be better than a day's shopping? A day shopping in Williamsburg, Virginia that's what. We will provide transportation to the Outlet Shops for the morning, with transportation to Duke of Gloucester Street in the Historical District for lunch on your own, followed by transportation to where else but the Williamsburg Pottery!
- **Student's Program:** includes a tour of the new refrigerated warehouse at the Norfolk Naval Base featuring an Ammonia Screw Plant with DDC Controls.

Enclosed please find the CRC 95' brochure and other detailed information on the events we have planned for you! We look forward to seeing you in September, won't you join us?

Sincerely,  
  
Dan Pettway  
CRC 95' Chairman

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Dear Howard,

I am writing to thank you for the strong support you gave Dan Pettway and his whole committee in helping them organize such a successful CRC for Region III week before last. It was obvious during my visit there how much your support and generosity to the Hampton Roads Chapter, not only for the planning of this CRC, but for all activities of the chapter over the past years has meant to them. I'm so glad that I was able to give your firm and you personally some recognition during the awards ceremony for this long and valuable service.

On a personal note, I very much enjoyed meeting you after hearing your name so often. I'm sorry I was not able to see your boat or visit the "Boat Club." I appreciate your kindness in giving me the candle-lit lighthouses because of my interest in lighthouses. I'll probably call you someday to get information on that neat Bed and Breakfast you told me about that is built in a lighthouse. The gifts the CRC committee gave to the visiting officers were exquisite. The sculpture of porpoises now sits on my office table and will remind me of the excellent CRC and all the new ASHRAE friends I made in Norfolk.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "J Hill".

James E. Hill, Ph.D.  
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cc: Tom Sobieski  
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Dan Pettway