“Coal Mine Respirable Dust Control Summit”

December 6, 2016 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

at the
National Mine Health and Safety Academy
Hosted by: Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA)

The summit is intended for all Coal Industry stakeholders in order to identify engineering controls and work practices which are used by or could be used to achieve and maintain required respirable coal mine dust levels. The identified controls and work practices will be shared with the mining community. MSHA will consult with industry, labor, NIOSH, and other stakeholders to determine how these controls and best practices can be replicated in difficult circumstances in order to achieve similar results.

Topics to be covered will focus on:

• Continuous Miner and Roof Bolter Dust Control & Practices
• Longwall Mining Operations Dust Control & Practices
• Controlling Respirable Dust on other Sources Underground
• Surface Mines Dust Controls & Practices

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