COMTO JACKSONVILLE 2022 FALL SCHOLARSHIP

The Conference of Minority Transportation Officials – Jacksonville Chapter will be awarding scholarships in the amount of **\$500 - \$2,500** to the applicants who submit the best essay's on transportation in Jacksonville.

COMTO Mission

The mission of COMTO is to ensure a level playing field and maximum participation in the transportation industry for minority individuals, businesses and communities of color through advocacy, information sharing, training, education and professional development.

Requirements

- 1. Write an essay on "Considering how demand for Mass Transit has evolved since the pandemic, what must change in the industry to improve transit in the Jacksonville community?" <u>OR</u> "What impact does digital literacy have on the Mass Transit industry's ability to improve the customer experience? <u>Your essay should be detailed enough for the committee to see your vision.</u>
- 2. Write a brief description about yourself.
- 3. Attach your acceptance letter to an accredited College or University or if in college submit a college transcript.
- 4. Attach and submit your essay via email NO LATER than 6:00 p.m. Thursday, <u>April 8, 2022</u> to <u>ioblaylock@jtafla.com</u> and cc: <u>efreeman@jtafla.com</u> and <u>jnorsworthy@jtafla.com</u>

Qualifications

- 1. High school senior or College students with an interest in Transportation, Business, Logistics, Civil Planning or Engineering.
- 2. Minimum GPA 2.5
- 3. Essay must be a *minimum* of <u>500 words</u> and a brief description of yourself *less* than <u>200</u> words.
- 4. Enrolled in a high school in Duval County or attending College in the State of Florida.

Scholarship funds are contingent upon enrollment and attendance. If you have any questions, please contact Ida O. Blaylock at: **904-598-8715**.