

- **Amy Hirsch, Chair, LEPC:**

Warren County Office of Emergency Services staff participated in a one day tabletop exercise in Lake Placid in September to discuss response capabilities to a large train derailment with tanker cars filled with bulk crude oil from Canada. She stated that she is waiting for the AAR, but that at the vendor hired to facilitate the TTX also reviewed Hazmat plans from 7 different county hazmat teams involved with the TTX. She stated that this was above and beyond the planned TTX and that all of the Hazmat plans had some gaps, but it varied from on plan to another.

Amy stated there are grants in the approval process that will allow a transportation study to look at the flow of the hazardous materials through the region. The scale a scope will be determined by the amount of money awarded by the grants.