

Summary

- LNG is a new hazardous chemical being added to rail transportation
- Population centers, neighborhoods are close to these railway corridors
- Risk increases as the amount and frequency of hazardous materials are transported through our community
- LNG along same rail lines as high-speed passenger rail increases risk of accidents
- Increase in potential for accidents to occur = unquantifiable
- Such emergencies can exceed local response capabilities
- Need for training and preparedness plans to respond to such emergencies

