

Broome County  
Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)  
**LEPC /MEETING AGENDA**  
**2/19/2026**

- Introduction of guests/new members
- Approval of minutes 12/18/2025
- New Email Address to contact LEPC: [broomelepc@broomecountyny.gov](mailto:broomelepc@broomecountyny.gov)
- Correspondence /Announcements – Tier 2 Reports Received  
TruGreen Dickson Street Endicott

**Old Business**

- 1) **Drills and Training Schedule 2026 – Updates and New Events**
  - *Asset Distribution Exercise – Health Dept/Emergency Services – **Spring 2026***
- 2) **Committee Updates:**
  - **Health, Human and Animal Needs** – Meeting held on 1/15/26?
- 3) Legal Notice to appear in Press& Sun-Bulletin
- 4) **2026 LEPC PLANS for Committees:**
  - Health, Human, and Animal Needs
  - Training/Exercises – Drills
  - **Infrastructure**
  - **Public Safety**

**New Business**

- 5) **Presentation: Regulatory Requirements Affecting LEPCs - Francesco Maimone**
  - **Common Sense Approach to Chemical Accident Prevention Proposed Rule** – Pre-Publication on February 13, 2026
- 6) Tier 2 Reports Due on March 1, 2026 for Year 2025
  - Reports to be sent to State Emergency Management, LEPC and local Fire Departments
  - NYS SERC and Broome County LEPC accept reports from E-Plan
  - Local Fire Departments may require paper copies

**7) OSHA Hazard Communication Standard:**

**4 MONTH EXTENSION ANNOUNCED ON JANUARY 15, 2026**

- Final rule that updates the Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) to align primarily with the seventh revision of the United Nations’ Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS). *Current version aligns with third version.*
- **The final rule was published on May 20, 2024 and took effect on July 19, 2024.**
- Phase-in dates of compliance:
  - a. **For Manufacturers:**
    1. For Substances: January 19, 2026 Updated SDS and container labeling **EXTENDED TO MAY 19, 2026**
    2. For Mixtures: July 19, 2027 Updated SDS and container labeling **EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 19 2027**
  - b. **For Employers** – container labeling, employee training, and updated Hazard Communication program
    1. July 20, 2026 (for substances) **EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 20 2026**
    2. January 19, 2028 (for mixtures) **EXTENDED TO MAY 19 2028**

*Next Meeting April 16, 2026 at Public Safety Facility (and Virtual)*  
*Committee Meetings: March 19, 2026 - Health, Human and Animal Needs*