The Association of American Railroads (AAR) reports that United States carload and intermodal volumes were up for the week ending October 12. Carload volume is at 285,372 and has increased by 0.1 percent annually. It is above the previous week ending October 5 at 279,128. Intermodal is up 4 percent compared to the same week a year ago. Total weekly traffic for carloads and intermodal units, currently at 546,211, is up 1.9 percent annually. On a year-to-date basis, carloads are down 0.9 percent at 11,505,038 and intermodal is up 3.7 percent at 10,075,183 containers and trailers.