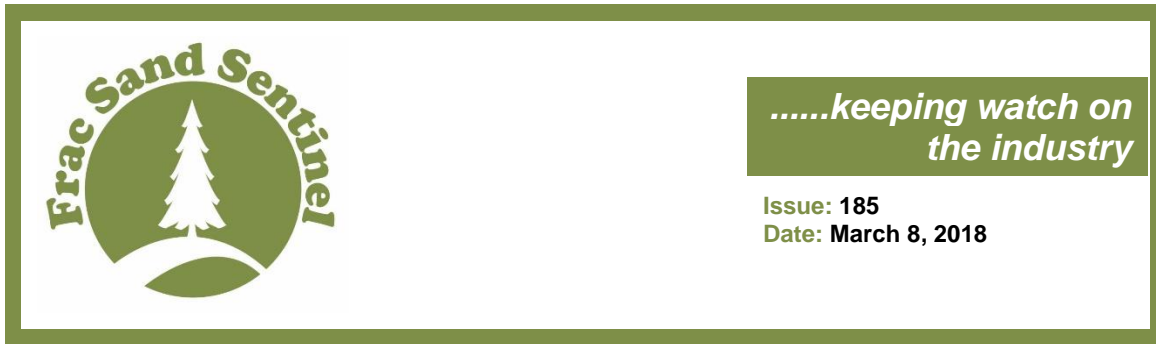


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Many concerns were raised by the public at this meeting. Note the comments about creosote leaching from the rail ties along with the impact on people and wildlife of all varieties.



The Wisconsin DNR is considering a Colorado company's request to fill about 4 acres of hardwood swamp in order to build nearly 10 miles of railroad track in two towns along the banks of Halls Creek, a class II trout stream..... Does it sound like familiar events elsewhere?

You have until March 17 to submit comments to the DNR as they are accepting public comments through that time on a proposed permit allowing OmniTRAX to fill about 4 acres of wetlands for a frac sand loading terminal in Jackson County.

Information about the permit application is [available here](#).

Comments can be [emailed](#) or sent to Brad Johnson, 5301 Rib Mountain Drive, Wausau, WI 54401

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