

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2003-2004 Legislative Session

January-June 2004

Timber Producers Association of Michigan & Wisconsin Inc

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	34.50	203.25	\$13,385.00
O'Connor Communications			\$13,385.00
Gunnar Bergersen	34.50	203.25	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
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Fringe Benefits¹			\$0.00
Overhead²			\$0.00
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	34.50 Hours	203.25 Hours	\$13,385.00
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			50%
Assembly Bill 13			5 %
Assembly Bill 323			5 %
Assembly Bill 492			5 %
Assembly Bill 506			10 %
Assembly Bill 629			5 %
Assembly Bill 655			5 %
Assembly Bill 726			10 %
Senate Bill 431			5 %
Budget Bill Subjects			0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			50%
Forest Products - Creates change in passage of title, increases regulation and provides criminal penalties.			5 %
Log hauling permit under 11 mile rule extended to U.S. Hwy 2.			10 %

(LRB 2755/1) to require that each county forest land use plan be prepared for a 15-year period rather than a 10-year period.	5 %
Right to Forest Protects forest owners from civil action for engaging in forestry similar to the right to farm law.	15 %
Opposed to the federal requirement under Trans 327 requiring tie-downs on gusseted bunk carriers (crib trailers. Rule to be adopted by WisDOT.	15 %
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Saturday, July 31, 2004

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Gunnar Bergersen and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Timber Producers Association of Michigan & Wisconsin Inc.

I further understand that if I know or believe that the records I submit are not complete or that any part of it is not true, I may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for 5 years or both. I understand that Wisconsin Statutes require me to retain until 3 years from the date that the records are filed documents necessary to substantiate these reports.