

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2003-2004 Legislative Session

July-December 2004

Wisconsin Federation of Cooperatives

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	124.50	624.50	\$34,208.00
William Oemichen	48.00	115.50	\$16,228.00
John Manske	31.75	140.50	\$5,237.00
David Hoopman	4.50	71.25	\$2,377.00
Timothy Clay	4.75	16.75	\$673.00
Ruthann Nelson	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
David Jenkins	14.00	24.00	\$1,930.00
Warren Day	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Beata Kalies	2.00	206.00	\$5,567.00
Melissa Duffy	19.50	50.50	\$2,196.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	23.00	\$584.00
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Fringe Benefits¹			\$10,437.60
Overhead²			\$13,568.88
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$1,839.02
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$490.38
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	124.50 Hours	647.50 Hours	\$61,127.88
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			0%
Budget Bill Subjects			0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			4%
ATCP 96, 98 to 100, to update the agricultural producer security program rules.			2 %
livestock premises registration			2 %
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			57%
annexation issues			2 %
2005-2007 Biennial Budget			6 %
Implementation of 2003 WI Act 101			1 %

"100 Day Jobs Agenda."	1 %
retained earnings of a telephone cooperative	5 %
Relating to the environmental cleanup of PCBs in the Fox River	2 %
The siting and expansion of certain livestock facilities, local zoning ordinances relating to livestock facilities, creating a Livestock Facility Siting Review Board	2 %
LRB 3944/1 Relating to public utility payments, imposing local general property taxes on production plant general structures and substations.	1 %
LRB 4030/1 Relating to issuance of debt by public utilities to finance certain environmental control activities	1 %
Support the Unfair Sales Act against repeal or amendment.	3 %
Arrowhead-Weston Transmission line.	3 %
The remediation of objectionable flows of electric current; stray voltage issues.	6 %
Development of mercury emissions rule	6 %
Liquefied petroleum gas insurance - mandate financial responsibility minimums for retail suppliers	6 %
NR 406 and NR 407 administrative rules pertaining to construction and operation permits for grain storage facilities	1 %
electric generation, siting incentives	1 %
Creation of a Wisconsin Rural Finance Authority	3 %
State Licensing of Electricians	2 %
Creation of a new Wisconsin cooperative law providing for equity investment in a cooperative	5 %
Minor Efforts	34%
All Other Matters	5%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Monday, January 31, 2005

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Patricia L Berry and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Federation of Cooperatives.

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.