

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2005-2006 Legislative Session

July-December 2006

## Wisconsin Education Association Council

| Description Of Totals And Expenditures       | Hours Communicating | Hours Other         | Dollars             |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Contract Lobbyists</b>                    | <b>0.50</b>         | <b>66.00</b>        | <b>\$3,990.00</b>   |
| O'Meara Public Affairs LLC                   |                     |                     | \$3,990.00          |
| Jack O'Meara                                 | 0.50                | 66.00               | \$0.00              |
| Comments:                                    |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>In-House Lobbyists</b>                    | <b>315.25</b>       | <b>805.75</b>       | <b>\$51,500.94</b>  |
| Robert Burke                                 | 31.50               | 226.00              | \$14,649.27         |
| Diane Craney                                 | 25.75               | 78.00               | \$3,973.89          |
| Charlene Gearing                             | 25.00               | 16.00               | \$2,295.02          |
| Joanne Huston                                | 28.00               | 0.00                | \$1,237.27          |
| Ron Jetty                                    | 28.50               | 84.50               | \$5,022.76          |
| Stan Johnson                                 | 7.00                | 0.00                | \$372.55            |
| Andrew Lyons                                 | 80.25               | 233.50              | \$12,895.38         |
| Michael McNett                               | 1.00                | 16.00               | \$960.89            |
| Bruce Meredith                               | 0.00                | 0.00                | \$0.00              |
| John Peter                                   | 14.50               | 23.50               | \$1,457.79          |
| Michael Walsh                                | 27.25               | 63.00               | \$3,654.92          |
| Dianne Gross                                 | 0.00                | 0.00                | \$0.00              |
| Debra Sybell                                 | 38.50               | 65.25               | \$4,385.05          |
| Daniel Burkhalter                            | 8.00                | 0.00                | \$596.15            |
| Comments:                                    |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>                | <b>4.00</b>         | <b>21.75</b>        | <b>\$1,254.02</b>   |
| Comments:                                    |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>           |                     |                     | <b>\$15,826.49</b>  |
| <b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>                  |                     |                     | <b>\$20,574.43</b>  |
| <b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>     |                     |                     | <b>\$0.00</b>       |
| <b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>            |                     |                     |                     |
| <b>a) Lobbyist Employees</b>                 |                     |                     | <b>\$6,827.33</b>   |
| <b>b) Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>             |                     |                     | <b>\$0.00</b>       |
| <b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>           |                     |                     | <b>\$28,926.06</b>  |
| <b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b> | <b>319.75 Hours</b> | <b>893.50 Hours</b> | <b>\$128,899.27</b> |
| <b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>         | <b>Percent</b>      |                     |                     |
| <b>Legislative Proposals</b>                 | <b>0%</b>           |                     |                     |
| <b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>                  | <b>0%</b>           |                     |                     |

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| <b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>  | <b>0%</b>   |
| <b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>  | <b>80%</b>  |
| EDUCATION-RELATED BUDGET ITEMS 2007-09  | 4 %         |
| raising the cigarette tax   | 5 %         |
| the Wisconsin Covenant, a commitment to higher education  | 2 %         |
| Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to: Charter schools (Legislative Council Study Committee)  | 10 %        |
| Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to: School Finance (Legislative Council Study Committee)   | 10 %        |
| Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to: four-year old kindergarten (Speaker's 4-K Task Force)  | 10 %        |
| Grow Wisconsin II   | 1 %         |
| school conference and activities leave  | 2 %         |
| Creating a loan-forgiveness program for educators of certain subjects in low-income districts.  | 2 %         |
| Creating a pay equity system for part time employees in the Wisconsin Technical College System.   | 2 %         |
| Development of indoor environmental quality standards for classrooms and the establishment of an indoor environmental quality in schools act.   | 4 %         |
| Establishment of new subjects in bargaining relating to education employee preparation time and time reporting duties required of an individualized education program team.                                 | 2 %         |
| Expanding the role of education support professionals in school safety and discipline laws  | 2 %         |
| Reauthorization of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act(ESEA) and the Individuals With Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and their impact on stat public instruction policies and procedures. | 10 %        |
| Repeal of residency requirements on educational employees.  | 2 %         |
| State funding of local school district operational costs, school aid funding formula, revenue limits and other school district operations.  | 10 %        |
| WI retirement system treatment of education support professional creditable service toward retirement eligibility   | 2 %         |
| <b>Minor Efforts</b>  | <b>20%</b>  |
| <b>All Other Matters</b>  | <b>0%</b>   |
| <b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>  | <b>100%</b> |

**Report Certified On: Wednesday, January 31, 2007**

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

### Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Robert Buke and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Education Association

Council.

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.