

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2007-2008 Legislative Session

July-December 2007

Wisconsin Potato and Vegetable Growers Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	9.50	24.50	\$8,476.86
DeWitt Ross & Stevens SC			\$8,476.86
Ronald W Kuehn	9.10	21.30	\$0.00
Jordan Lamb	0.40	3.20	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	52.25	46.75	\$4,325.00
Michael Carter	52.25	46.75	\$4,325.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$1,297.50
Overhead²			\$1,686.75
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$2,978.57
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	61.75 Hours	71.25 Hours	\$18,764.68

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	10%
Assembly Bill 114	5 %
Assembly Bill 118	5 %
Budget Bill Subjects	0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	75%
Buy local produce	30 %
Great Lakes Compact	5 %
Amendment to the Agricultural Security Fund	15 %
high capacity wells	25 %
Minor Efforts	15%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Tuesday, January 29, 2008

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Wis. Stats. 13.68(d): Reimbursement to officials.

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Michael Carter and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Potato and Vegetable Growers Association.

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.