

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2007-2008 Legislative Session

January-June 2007

CenturyTel Service Group LLC

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	32.00	93.75	\$76,186.90
Whyte Hirschboeck Dudek S.C.			\$76,186.90
Thomas J Springer	8.25	80.50	\$0.00
Michael Rogowski	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
George Petak	13.00	10.25	\$0.00
Bryan Brooks	10.75	3.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	107.50	257.75	\$26,000.00
Lorenzo Cruz	107.50	257.75	\$26,000.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$7,800.00
Overhead²			\$10,140.00
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:	139.50 Hours	351.50 Hours	\$120,126.90
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			10%
Assembly Bill 207			5 %
Senate Bill 107			5 %
Budget Bill Subjects			15%
Public Service Commission: Agencywide			15 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			75%
affiliate interests			2 %
competitive local issues			20 %
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Incentives for broadband			5 %
municipal telecommunications and cable entry			2 %

procurement	1 %
regulation of local and broadband services	5 %
relating to patronage capital of telecommunications cooperatives	2 %
revisions to universal service rules	5 %
service quality rules	5 %
telecommunications tax issues	5 %
USF line item	1 %
wireless 911	2 %
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Tuesday, July 31, 2007

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Thomas John Springer and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of CenturyTel Service Group LLC.

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.