

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2009-2010 Legislative Session

January-June 2009

Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	16.15	19.60	\$7,233.14
DeWitt Ross & Stevens SC			\$7,233.14
Ronald W Kuehn	8.50	13.70	\$0.00
Jordan Lamb	7.10	4.75	\$0.00
Matt Moroney	0.55	1.15	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	31.55	3.30	\$3,126.05
Thomas H Lochner	31.55	3.30	\$3,126.05
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$937.82
Overhead²			\$1,219.16
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$87.56
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$2,506.78
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	47.70 Hours	22.90 Hours	\$15,110.50

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	0%
Budget Bill Subjects	13%
Revenue: Tax Administration	8 %
Transportation: State Highway Program	5 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	80%
Agricultural forest land exemption for cranberry growers	2 %
all aspects of ATCP 50	4 %
All DNR permit and license fees	2 %
Amend DATCP 590	1 %
Changes to regulation of drainage districts and/or drains	3 %
Funding of nonpoint program--DNR and DATCP	2 %
Global warming	5 %
GPR funding of DATCP	1 %
GPR funding of DNR	1 %
Great Lakes Compact	5 %
Groundwater regulation	12 %
high capacity wells	4 %
Legislative Council--Navigability Study Committee	1 %
Nuisance lawsuit limitations	3 %

All State funding for lobbying Effort	Percent
Statewide health care plan	4 %
Tax incentives for farming	6 %
Truck weight limits	4 %
Use value assessment of agricultural land	10 %
UW Extension agricultural budget	3 %
Wetland general permit issues	4 %
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	93%

Report Certified On: Wednesday, July 29, 2009

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Thomas H. Lochner and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin State Cranberry 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.