

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2009-2010 Legislative Session

July-December 2010

Wisconsin Farmers Union

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>23.55</b>	<b>220.00</b>	<b>\$5,701.20</b>
Darin Von Ruden	1.00	15.00	\$240.00
Kara Slaughter	22.55	205.00	\$5,461.20
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>5.00</b>	<b>\$216.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$1,775.16</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$2,307.71</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$319.67</b>
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$140.26</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>26.55 Hours</b>	<b>225.00 Hours</b>	<b>\$10,460.00</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>40%</b>
ATCP 51, livestock facility siting.	40 %
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>35%</b>
To allow for the sale of raw milk by dairy farmers.	10 %
A "Renewable Fuels for Schools" bonding program for the establishment of biomass energy systems in public institutions.	10 %
The regulation of advanced renewable tariffs paid to small-scale energy generators by the Public Service Commission.	10 %
WFU supports a low carbon bioenergy standard for the proposed renewable motor vehicle fuels bill being drafted by Sen. Kreitlew.	5 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>25%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Monday, January 31, 2011**

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## **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Kara Slaughter and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Farmers Union.

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.