

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2009-2010 Legislative Session

January-June 2009

## Dairy Business Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>24.00</b>	<b>65.00</b>	<b>\$20,125.00</b>
Capitol Consultants Inc			\$14,600.00
William J McCoshen	1.50	28.50	\$0.00
Shawn Pfaff	13.00	33.00	\$0.00
Michael Best & Friedrich LLP			\$5,525.00
David Crass	9.50	3.50	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>53.75</b>	<b>413.25</b>	<b>\$25,301.99</b>
Laurie Fischer	26.75	413.25	\$24,962.01
Jerry Meissner	16.75	0.00	\$0.00
Tim Griswold	10.25	0.00	\$339.98
Comments:	Jerry Meissner is the President of the Dairy Business Association and was not compensated for his lobbying efforts.		
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$7,590.60</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$9,867.78</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) <b>Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$1,836.01</b>
b) <b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>77.75 Hours</b>	<b>478.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$64,721.37</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>5%</b>
Assembly Bill 138	5 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>33%</b>
Revenue: Tax Administration	10 %
Transportation: Motor Vehicles	23 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>32%</b>
CAFO fees	20 %
Incentives For Producers / Green Tier Advancement Project	1 %
PSC: Advanced renewable tariff	1 %
Support of LRB 09-1526/2 Topic: Allowing dairy cooperatives to claim dairy manufacturing facility investment credit	1 %
LRB 4342/1 -in support of- which pertains to determining the size of a livestock operation for the applicability of the livestock facility siting law.	6 %
Office of Energy Independence anaerobic digesters & development of biogas.	1 %
Undecided on LRB-1033/6 Illegal Aliens	2 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>7%</b>

All Other Matters Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent 7%
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>84%</b>

## Report Certified On: Thursday, July 30, 2009

1. Fringe benefits are automatically calculated as 30% of salary. Overhead is automatically calculated as 30% of salary plus fringe. If you wish to manually calculate fringe benefits and overhead, click the Calculate Fringe and Overhead button below:

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

## Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am William McCoshen and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Dairy Business 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.