

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2011-2012 Legislative Session

January-June 2011

## Wisconsin Motor Carriers Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>80.00</b>	<b>73.00</b>	<b>\$22,500.00</b>
Bentley Government Affairs, LLC.			\$0.00
Marc S Bentley	80.00	73.00	\$22,500.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>28.50</b>	<b>52.00</b>	<b>\$5,403.00</b>
Thomas A Howells	28.50	52.00	\$5,403.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>\$538.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$1,782.30</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$2,316.99</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			
None,			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$894.00</b>
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>112.50 Hours</b>	<b>135.00 Hours</b>	<b>\$33,434.29</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>35%</b>
Assembly Bill 50			10 %
Assembly Joint Resolution 31			5 %
Senate Bill 41			20 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>50%</b>
Driver and Mechanic Training Tax Credits			30 %
Grant program from Dept. of Commerce for engine idling reduction or Alternative Power Units on trucks.			10 %
Highway user fees paid by trucking companies			5 %
WI Clean Diesel Coalition			5 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>			<b>8%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>			<b>7%</b>

**Report Certified On: Friday, July 29, 2011**

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

**Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Thomas A. Howells and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Motor Carriers 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.