

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
Contract Lobbyists	80.00	73.00	\$45,000.00
Bentley Government Affairs, LLC.			\$22,500.00
Marc S Bentley	80.00	73.00	\$22,500.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	28.50	52.00	\$5,403.00
Thomas A Howells	28.50	52.00	\$5,403.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	4.00	10.00	\$538.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$1,782.30
Overhead²			\$2,316.99
Payments to Officials³			
None,			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$894.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	112.50 Hours	135.00 Hours	\$55,934.29
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			35%
Assembly Bill 50			10 %
Assembly Joint Resolution 31			5 %
Senate Bill 41			20 %
Budget Bill Subjects			0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			50%
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 %
Minor Efforts			8%
All Other Matters			7%

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.