

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2011-2012 Legislative Session

January-June 2012

Wisconsin Motor Carriers Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>57.00</b>	<b>55.00</b>	<b>\$22,500.00</b>
Bentley Government Affairs, LLC.			\$0.00
Marc S Bentley	57.00	55.00	\$22,500.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>48.00</b>	<b>74.00</b>	<b>\$8,446.00</b>
Thomas A Howells	48.00	74.00	\$8,446.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>7.00</b>	<b>\$433.86</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$2,663.96</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$3,463.15</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$1,938.00</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>109.00 Hours</b>	<b>136.00 Hours</b>	<b>\$39,444.96</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>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>90%</b>
DOT Freight Industry Study	10 %
Jobs in Trucking	30 %
Wisconsin Transportation Finance Commission	5 %
Driver and Mechanic Training Tax Credits	10 %
Highway user fees paid by trucking companies	20 %
Legislation relating to engine idling initiative	5 %
Safety record of trucks	5 %
WI Clean Diesel Coalition	5 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Friday, July 27, 2012**

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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.