

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2011-2012 Legislative Session

July-December 2011

## Wisconsin Propane Gas Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>6.25</b>	<b>74.75</b>	<b>\$22,687.50</b>
Capitol Group LLC, The			\$10,687.50
Brandon Scholz	6.25	74.75	\$12,000.00
Michelle Kussow	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>16.00</b>	<b>46.50</b>	<b>\$2,250.00</b>
Betsy Ahner	16.00	46.50	\$2,250.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$675.00</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$877.50</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$112.50
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>22.25 Hours</b>	<b>121.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$26,602.50</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>	<b>Percent</b>		
<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>42%</b>		
Department of Safety and Professional Services regulation, rules and compliance.	30 %		
Department of Transportation rules and regulations for vehicles transporting and delivering propane.	5 %		
Propane deliveries on posted roads during the spring thaw.	2 %		
General update of Comm 40, Gas Systems Code	5 %		
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>13%</b>		
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>45%</b>		
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>		

**Report Certified On: Tuesday, January 31, 2012**

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

### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Betsy Ahner and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Propane Gas 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.