

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2013-2014 Legislative Session

July-December 2014

Wisconsin Towns Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	80.50	176.50	\$36,696.51
Ann Jablonski Government Relations			\$0.00
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Jolene Plautz Government Relations			\$0.00
Jolene Plautz	80.50	176.50	\$36,696.51
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	46.55	105.50	\$6,232.67
Lee Turonie	21.25	53.50	\$2,537.20
Richard J Stadelman	14.80	33.00	\$2,348.10
Mchael J Koles	10.50	19.00	\$1,347.37
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	153.00	\$6,625.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$3,857.30
Overhead²			\$5,014.49
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$6,587.89
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$6,926.43
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	127.05 Hours	435.00 Hours	\$71,940.29

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	0%
Budget Bill Subjects	0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	73%
supports use of a town website for legal notices and changes to the outside posting requirements	5 %
supports levy limit exemption from fire and rescue services provided by towns through contracted services	6 %
supports elimination of balloon on a string annexation	5 %
supports modification of extraterritorial zoning authority	5 %
reverse changes caused by the Hegwood V. Towns of Eagle case case	6 %
replacements of culverts	4 %
supports elimination of the \$5000 per mile without elector meeting approval	5 %
manure drags lines	6 %
assessment practices LRB 3841 support	3 %
withdrawal from county zoning	5 %
recognize town official plans	4 %
wind turbines	11 %
frac sand mining	4 %

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
town withdrawal from county zoning	3%
Constitutional amendment to limit transfers of the segregated transportation fund	1%
Minor Efforts	27%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Friday, January 30, 2015

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3.
Wis. Stats. 13.68(d): Reimbursement to officials.

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Michael Koles and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Towns Association.

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