

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2013-2014 Legislative Session

January-June 2013

Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	62.00	760.65	\$79,774.94
Hamilton Consulting Group, The			\$58,774.94
Andrew Cook	0.50	38.25	\$0.00
Andrew Engel	0.50	38.25	\$0.00
Robert I Fassbender	28.00	226.90	\$0.00
Emily Kelchen	16.00	369.00	\$0.00
Rebecca Hogan	0.00	32.75	\$0.00
Raschka Government Affairs			\$0.00
Adam MRaschka	17.00	55.50	\$21,000.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	13.00	53.75	\$3,805.58
Donald Reck	0.00	6.00	\$461.28
David Donovan	6.83	33.50	\$2,390.97
Christine Ball	6.17	14.25	\$953.33
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	7.33	95.00	\$5,049.26
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$2,656.45
Overhead²			\$3,453.39
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$808.69
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$2,419.86
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$16,175.70
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	82.33 Hours	909.40 Hours	\$114,143.87

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	14%
Assembly Bill 1	1 %
Assembly Bill 39	4 %
Senate Bill 35	9 %
Budget Bill Subjects	3%
Natural Resources: Departmentwide	3 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	2%
NR 446, Control of Mercury Emissions, (CAMR).	2 %
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	60%
Development drafting or introduction of a proposal to transmission system reliability and changes to the transmission approval process.	50 %
Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to stray voltage, neutral to earth or ground currents, objectionable currents or other electrical phenomena	2 %
Air emissions, including mercury, air toxics, ozone, particulate matter or greenhouse gases	4 %
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to economic development rates and rate	

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Exempting from public utility regulation certain persons who generate electricity or heat and requiring statewide energy efficiency and renewable resource programs to include certain financial incentives.	2%
Minor Efforts	1%
All Other Matters	20%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Monday, July 29, 2013

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Matthew Pagel and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy.

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.