

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	\$202,033.03
Hamilton Consulting Group, The			\$117,553.84
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			\$63,479.19
Adam M Raschka	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	\$236,401.96
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 recovery.	2 %
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.