

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2015-2016 Legislative Session

January-June 2015

League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	19.40	119.90	\$38,399.75
Stafford Rosenbaum LLP			\$2,399.75
Paul G Kent	2.70	10.20	\$0.00
Whyte Hirschboeck Dudek S.C.			\$36,000.00
Steve Lyons	1.50	27.00	\$0.00
Michael Rogowski	12.50	67.00	\$0.00
Nathan J Halbach	0.00	5.50	\$0.00
Paul G Kent	2.70	10.20	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	138.50	1061.50	\$71,153.00
Curtis Witynski	95.25	796.00	\$51,483.00
Gerard Deschane	43.25	265.50	\$19,670.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
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Fringe Benefits¹			\$21,345.90
Overhead²			\$27,749.67
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$1,090.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$9,750.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	157.90 Hours	1181.40 Hours	\$169,488.32

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	16%
Senate Bill 50	2 %
Senate Bill 51	2 %
Senate Bill 52	2 %
Senate Bill 53	2 %
Senate Bill 54	2 %
Senate Bill 55	2 %
Senate Bill 56	2 %
Senate Bill 57	2 %
Budget Bill Subjects	45%
Insurance	5 %
Shared Revenue and Tax Relief: Direct Aid Payments	10 %
Shared Revenue and Tax Relief: Property Taxation	10 %
Transportation: Finance	15 %
Transportation: Local Transportation Aid	5 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%

Topic Not Yet Assigned To A Bill Or Rule Number	Percent
Modifications to the Room Tax Law.	15 %
Restoring to municipalities the ability to fully carry forward any unused levy capacity from the prior year.	15 %
Support for all eight bills recommended by the Legislative Council Study committee on Tax Incremental Financing.	5 %
Minor Efforts	4%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Friday, July 31, 2015

1. Fringe benefits are automatically calculated as 30% of salary. Overhead is automatically calculated as 30% of salary plus fringe. If you wish to manually calculate fringe benefits and overhead, click the Calculate Fringe and Overhead button below:
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3. Wis. Stats. 13.68(d): Reimbursement to officials.

Certification and Electronic Signature

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