

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2015-2016 Legislative Session

January-June 2015

## Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>21.00</b>	<b>290.30</b>	<b>\$79,602.35</b>
Raschka Government Affairs			\$21,000.00
Adam M Raschka	17.00	46.50	\$0.00
The Hamilton Consulting Group			\$58,602.35
Andrew Engel	0.50	41.25	\$0.00
Robert I Fassbender	0.00	169.80	\$0.00
Rebecca Hogan	3.50	32.75	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>88.75</b>	<b>\$4,826.18</b>
Deborah Erwin	1.00	10.75	\$553.61
Matthew E Pagel	16.00	78.00	\$4,272.57
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:	Travel expenses for Non-Lobbyists who travel to Madison to assist with Xcel Energy's 2015 Legislative Day event. ALL Non-Lobbyists time was UNDER the 10 hour limit.		
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$1,447.85</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$1,882.21</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$1,562.95
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$8,321.93
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$14,475.68</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>38.00 Hours</b>	<b>379.05 Hours</b>	<b>\$112,119.15</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>2%</b>
Public Service Commission			2 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>47%</b>
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposal relating to transmission system reliability.			3 %
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposal relating to distributed generation, third party ownership or net metering.			5 %

Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to changes to proceedings of PSC and other Regulatory Reform initiatives.	7 %
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposal relating to air emissions, including mercury, air toxins, ozone, particulate matter or greenhouse gases and funding issues.	11 %
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to Cleanup Standards of Contaminated Sediments.	3 %
Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to legal standards, liability or other matters relating to civil litigation.	3 %
Proposal relating to the generation, transmission or distribution of electricity, or other policies affecting Xcel Energy products or services.	15 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>7%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>44%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

## Report Certified On: Monday, August 3, 2015

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3.

[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.