

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2015-2016 Legislative Session

January-June 2015

Wisconsin Rural Water Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>29.25</b>	<b>223.60</b>	<b>\$91,492.92</b>
The Hamilton Consulting Group			\$91,492.92
Robert I Fassbender	6.00	148.10	\$0.00
Catherine McDermott	23.25	75.50	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>2.00</b>	<b>22.00</b>	<b>\$1,018.00</b>
David Lawrence	2.00	22.00	\$1,018.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$305.40</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$397.02</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
<b>a) Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>b) Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>31.25 Hours</b>	<b>245.60 Hours</b>	<b>\$93,213.34</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>19%</b>
Assembly Bill 15			1 %
Assembly Bill 32			10 %
Assembly Bill 122			1 %
Senate Bill 15			1 %
Senate Bill 49			5 %
Senate Bill 80			1 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>41%</b>
Environmental Improvement Fund			12 %
Natural Resources: Environmental Quality			2 %
Public Service Commission			2 %
Workforce Development: Departmentwide			25 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>25%</b>

regulation of groundwater, replacement and repair of wells, and high capacity well permits.	15 %
the establishment of water quality regulations and criteria, billing and water rate setting, wastewater treatment systems, public water systems, and other matters relating to water utilities.	10 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>15%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Friday, July 31, 2015**

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

#### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Robert Fassbender and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Rural Water Association.

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.