

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2015-2016 Legislative Session

January-June 2015

## Gathering Waters: Wisconsin's Alliance for Land Trusts

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>67.05</b>	<b>125.55</b>	<b>\$31,680.00</b>
Martin Schreiber & Associates Inc			\$31,680.00
William McClenahan	32.30	86.30	\$0.00
George Ermert	34.75	39.25	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>77.00</b>	<b>102.00</b>	<b>\$5,012.00</b>
Michael Carlson	77.00	102.00	\$5,012.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$1,503.60</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$1,954.68</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>144.05 Hours</b>	<b>227.55 Hours</b>	<b>\$40,150.28</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>95%</b>
Natural Resources: Departmentwide			95 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>4%</b>
Knowles Nelson Stewardship Program			4 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>			<b>1%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>			<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Monday, July 27, 2015**

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

### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Michael Carlson and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Gathering Waters: Wisconsin's Alliance for Land Trusts.

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.