

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2017-2018 Legislative Session

January-June 2017

Wisconsin Rural Water Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	41.75	248.00	\$26,191.72
The Hamilton Consulting Group LLC			\$26,191.72
Catherine McDermott	39.75	162.00	\$0.00
Robert I Fassbender	2.00	86.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	11.00	27.00	\$1,753.70
David Lawrence	11.00	27.00	\$1,753.70
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$526.11
Overhead²			\$683.94
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	52.75 Hours	275.00 Hours	\$29,155.47
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			50%
Assembly Bill 78			20 %
Senate Bill 48			30 %
Budget Bill Subjects			12%
Environmental Improvement Fund			6 %
Shared Revenue and Tax Relief: Local Revenue Options			6 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			23%
PSC Public Fire Protection			10 %
Lead Service Line Replacement			7 %
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.			6 %
Minor Efforts			10%

All Other Matters	5%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Monday, July 31, 2017

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Catherine McDermott 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.