

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2017-2018 Legislative Session

July-December 2017

Wisconsin Rural Water Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	14.70	201.15	\$103,151.52
The Hamilton Consulting Group LLC			\$103,151.52
Catherine McDermott	12.50	116.25	\$0.00
Robert I Fassbender	2.20	84.90	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	4.00	25.00	\$1,285.11
David Lawrence	4.00	14.00	\$830.70
Christopher J Groh	0.00	11.00	\$454.41
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Fringe Benefits¹			\$385.53
Overhead²			\$501.19
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:	18.70 Hours	226.15 Hours	\$105,323.36
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			64%
Assembly Bill 499			10 %
Assembly Bill 532			14 %
Senate Bill 48			40 %
Budget Bill Subjects			0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			10%
PSC 185, water utility service rules.			10 %
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			6%
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			15%
All Other Matters			5%

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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.