

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2017-2018 Legislative Session

July-December 2017

Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Contract Lobbyists	12.50	106.50	\$236,440.89
The Hamilton Consulting Group LLC			\$236,440.89
Randall J Pirlot	12.25	33.00	\$0.00
Andrew Engel	0.00	49.25	\$0.00
Rebecca Hogan	0.25	24.25	\$0.00
Comments:			
In-House Lobbyists	9.25	79.50	\$4,151.26
Matthew E Pagel	9.25	78.50	\$4,097.93
Deborah Erwin	0.00	1.00	\$53.33
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
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Fringe Benefits¹			\$1,245.38
Overhead²			\$1,618.99
Payments to Officials³			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$5,986.67
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	21.75 Hours	186.00 Hours	\$249,443.19
Allocation of Lobbying Effort			Percent
Legislative Proposals			20%
Assembly Bill 348			2 %
Assembly Bill 497			10 %
Assembly Bill 532			8 %
Budget Bill Subjects			9%
Natural Resources: Departmentwide			3 %
Public Service Commission			3 %
Transportation: Departmentwide			3 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings			0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number			21%
the generation, transmission or distribution of electricity or other policies affecting Xcel Energy products or services.			21 %

Minor Efforts	24%
All Other Matters	26%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Tuesday, January 30, 2018

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

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Adrienne Ramirez 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.

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