

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2017-2018 Legislative Session

July-December 2017

## TDS Telecommunications Corporation

| Description Of Totals And Expenditures               | Hours Communicating | Hours Other        | Dollars            |
|--|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Contract Lobbyists</b>                            | <b>1.75</b>         | <b>12.00</b>       | <b>\$12,000.00</b> |
| Arena Strategy Group                                 |                     |                    | \$12,000.00        |
| Hannah M Huffman                                     | 1.75                | 8.25               | \$0.00             |
| Mark Graul   | 0.00                | 3.75               | \$0.00             |
| Comments:  |                     |                    |                    |
| <b>In-House Lobbyists</b>                            | <b>0.00</b>         | <b>0.00</b>        | <b>\$0.00</b>      |
| 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>\$0.00</b>      |
| <b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>                          |                     |                    | <b>\$0.00</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>1.75 Hours</b>   | <b>12.00 Hours</b> | <b>\$12,000.00</b> |
| <b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>                 |                     |                    | <b>Percent</b>     |
| <b>Legislative Proposals</b>                         |                     |                    | <b>30%</b>         |
| Assembly Bill 277                                    |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| Assembly Bill 583                                    |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| Senate Bill 49                                       |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| Senate Bill 218                                      |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| Senate Bill 233                                      |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| Senate Bill 501                                      |                     |                    | 5 %                |
| <b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>                          |                     |                    | <b>15%</b>         |
| Public Service Commission                            |                     |                    | 15 %               |
| <b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>         |                     |                    | <b>0%</b>          |
| <b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b> |                     |                    | <b>25%</b>         |
| Broadband grant funding                              |                     |                    | 25 %               |
| <b>Minor Efforts</b>                                 |                     |                    | <b>20%</b>         |
| <b>All Other Matters</b>                             |                     |                    | <b>10%</b>         |
| <b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>               |                     |                    | <b>100%</b>        |

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## Report Certified On: Thursday, January 25, 2018

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3.

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

### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Mark Graul and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of TDS Telecommunications Corporation.

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.