

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2023-2024 Legislative Session

January-June 2023

## Dairy Business Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Lobbyists</b>	<b>164.00</b>	<b>281.25</b>	<b>\$47,316.00</b>
Dairy Business Association			\$0.00
Karen Gefvert	9.00	31.25	\$1,780.00
Dairy Business Association and Edge Dairy Farmer Cooperative			\$0.00
Chad Zuleger	117.00	178.00	\$24,536.00
Pfaff Public Affairs, LLC			\$0.00
Shawn W Pfaff	38.00	72.00	\$21,000.00
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
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<b>Overhead</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>164.00 Hours</b>	<b>281.25 Hours</b>	<b>\$47,316.00</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>41%</b>
Assembly Bill 64	3 %
Assembly Bill 65	3 %
Assembly Bill 74	2 %
Assembly Bill 131	1 %
Assembly Bill 133	1 %
Assembly Bill 244	5 %
Assembly Bill 274	1 %
Senate Bill 59	2 %
Senate Bill 66	7 %
Senate Bill 134	8 %
Senate Bill 147	1 %
Senate Bill 247	5 %
Senate Bill 271	2 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>32%</b>

Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection: Agricultural Resource Management	15 %
Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection: Agriculture Development Services	5 %
Natural Resources: Departmentwide	5 %
Transportation: Local Transportation Assistance	5 %
University of Wisconsin System	2 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>6%</b>
Creating a commercial nitrogen optimization pilot program	1 %
Livestock facility siting	1 %
Providing crop insurance rebates for cover crops	1 %
Soil and water resource management program	1 %
Amendments to ch. NR 140 to set numerical standards to minimize the concentration of polluting substances for certain Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) in groundwater	1 %
Various rules of the Department of Transportation affected by 2017 Wisconsin Act 108	1 %
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>20%</b>
related to sale of unpasteurized (raw) milk	2 %
Limitations on Foreign Ownership of Agricultural Land	1 %
Farm and Industry Short Course	2 %
County Conservation Staff Funding	2 %
WI Initiative for Agricultural Exports (WIAE)	1 %
Dairy Processor Grants	1 %
Critical Agricultural Road Improvement Grants	5 %
Well compensation and testing - LRB 0647	1 %
Producer-led watershed group grant program - LRB 0648	1 %
ATCP 51 - Livestock Facility Siting Law	1 %
Farmer CDL requirements - LRB 1330 & LRB 1742	1 %
Support for nomination of Craig Thompson for DOT Secretary	1 %
Support for nomination of Randy Romanski for DATCP Secretary	1 %
<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 31, 2023**

#### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am Chad Zuleger and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Dairy Business 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.