Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2023-2024 Legislative Session

January-June 2023

Wisconsin Newspaper Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Lobbyists	23.50	52.25	\$24,200.00
Arena Strategy Group		•	\$24,000.00
Mark Graul	14.50	33.00	\$0.00
Hannah Huffman	9.00	19.25	\$0.00
Wisconsin Newspaper Association			\$200.00
Beth Bennett	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Overhead			\$0.00
Payments to Officials ²			\$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:	23.50 Hours	52.25 Hours	\$24,200.00

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	
Legislative Proposals	40%
Assembly Bill 2	5 %
Assembly Bill 47	5 %
Assembly Bill 145	5 %
Assembly Bill 245	5 %
Senate Bill 2	5 %
Senate Bill 48	5 %
Senate Bill 117	5 %
Senate Bill 301	5 %
Budget Bill Subjects	10%
Public Instruction: Aids to Libraries, Individuals and Organizations	5 %
Revenue: Collection of Taxes	5 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	
LRB 1777/1199: Obtaining attorney fees and costs under the state's public records.	5 %

Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%
All Other Matters	0%
Minor Efforts	0%
open meeting and open records issues	5 %
Independent contractors	5 %
Recycling	5 %
publication of legal (public) notices	5 %
information brokering	5 %
Taxation	5 %
Workers' compensation and unemployment	5 %
LRB 6488: Obtaining attorney fees and costs under the state's public records.	5 %
Creating a tax credit for local media advertising	5 %

Report Certified On: Monday, July 31, 2023

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Beth Bennett and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Newspaper 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.