

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2025-2026 Legislative Session

January-June 2025

Altria Client Services LLC

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Lobbyists</b>	<b>31.50</b>	<b>110.70</b>	<b>\$85,567.18</b>
Altria Client Services LLC			\$0.00
Garth Alston	8.00	27.00	\$733.86
Mchael Best Strategies, LLC			\$0.00
Mke Kuglitsch	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Self-Employed Lobbyist - No Firm or Org			\$0.00
Joel Matthew Kleefisch	10.00	25.00	\$18,000.00
SMFOTI LLC			\$0.00
Steven MFoti	0.00	9.70	\$14,333.32
The Kammer Group			\$0.00
Peter Kammer	6.00	22.00	\$52,500.00
Nels ARude	7.50	27.00	\$0.00
Comments:	Nels ARude payment is captured under Peter Kammer for The Kammer Group, total \$____		
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<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>			
<b>a) Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$85,567.18</b>
<b>b) Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>31.50 Hours</b>	<b>110.70 Hours</b>	<b>\$85,567.18</b>

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>	<b>40%</b>
Assembly Bill 234	25 %
Senate Bill 257	15 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>	<b>10%</b>
Revenue: Departmentwide	10 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>	<b>30%</b>
Tobacco and vapor product taxation	15 %
Licensing, regulation and enforcement of tobacco sales	15 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>15%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

Report Certified On: Thursday, July 31, 2025

## Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Garth Alston and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Altria Client Services LLC.

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.