

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2025-2026 Legislative Session

July-December 2025

Wisconsin Independent Businesses, Inc.

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Lobbyists	8.75	265.50	\$10,350.00
Self-Employed Lobbyist - No Firm or Org			\$0.00
JOHN GARD	2.25	34.50	\$0.00
Wisconsin Independent Businesses Inc			\$0.00
Brian Dake	6.50	231.00	\$10,350.00
Comments:	John Gard does not take compensation for his lobbying-related activities.		
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	137.75	\$2,755.00
Comments:			
Overhead			\$0.00
Payments to Officials²			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$10,350.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	8.75 Hours	403.25 Hours	\$13,105.00

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	20%
Assembly Bill 652	10 %
Senate Bill 677	10 %
Budget Bill Subjects	0%
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	0%
Minor Efforts	80%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Monday, February 2, 2026

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Brian Dake and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Independent Businesses, Inc..

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.