

Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2025-2026 Legislative Session

July-December 2025

Wisconsin Cheese Makers Association

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
Lobbyists	74.05	196.00	\$24,879.00
Wisconsin Cheese Makers Association			\$0.00
Rebekah A Sweeney	49.50	135.50	\$20,022.00
John T Umhoefer	3.05	9.50	\$1,742.00
Amelia Neas	21.50	51.00	\$3,115.00
Comments:			
Non-Lobbyist Employees	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Comments:			
Overhead			\$0.00
Payments to Officials²			\$0.00
Travel and Living Expenses			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$24,879.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
All Other Lobbying Expenses			\$0.00
Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:	74.05 Hours	196.00 Hours	\$24,879.00

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	Percent
Legislative Proposals	90%
Assembly Bill 180	25 %
Assembly Bill 439	5 %
Assembly Bill 505	1 %
Assembly Bill 550	28 %
Senate Bill 154	25 %
Senate Bill 443	5 %
Senate Bill 501	1 %
Budget Bill Subjects	6%
Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection: Agriculture Development Services	3 %
Transportation: Local Transportation Assistance	3 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	2%
Rulemaking Related to NR 214, Nitrogen Limits for Soil Treatment Systems	2 %
Minor Efforts	2%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Monday, February 2, 2026

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am John Umhoefer and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Cheese Makers Association.

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