Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2025-2026 Legislative Session

January-June 2025

Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars			
Lobbyists	7.00	26.50	\$30,000.00			
Michael Best Strategies	\$0.00					
Adam Barr	0.00	\$0.00				
Michael Best Strategies, LLC	\$30,000.00					
William J McCoshen	7.00	26.50	\$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:	\$30,000.00					

Allocation of Lobbying Effort	
Legislative Proposals	0%
Budget Bill Subjects	50%
Public Instruction: Departmentwide	50 %
Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings	0%
Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number	50%
Legislation or rules related to reading curriculum for K-12 schools.	50 %
Minor Efforts	0%
All Other Matters	0%
Total Reported Lobbying Effort:	100%

Report Certified On: Tuesday, July 29, 2025

Certification and Electronic Signature

I certify I am Charles Schellpeper and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

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.