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Lobbyist Activity Report Form

2021-03

West Virginia Ethics Commission

Attn: Lobbyist Registrar

210 Brooks St., Ste. 300

Charleston, WV 25301

304-558-0664

No faxed copies

For office use only:

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Days late _____

Fine _____

Late reporting fine - \$10 per business day past the due date (\$250 maximum)

1. Name and contact information

Name Chris Hamilton

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City, State Zip Charleston WV 25311

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2. Reporting period for which this activity report is being filed

Check	Report	Period	Due Date				
x	2021-3	9/1/21-12/31/21	1/18/22				

3. List all employers/organizations that you represent as a lobbyist

Use additional reporting forms if necessary.

- West Virginia Coal Association
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

4. Lobbying activity summary - If there was no activity or expenditures, indicate "none."

Coal Mining, Energy and BUSINESS

5. Expenditures

If no expenditures, including campaign contributions, mark here:

If you spent money on any public official, employee or member of his or her immediate family, list the amounts spent in each of the following categories per each employer you represent. Complete and attach Schedule A to this report.

Expenditure Categories	Employer 1	Employer 2	Employer 3	Employer 4	Employer 5	Employer 6	Total Expended
A. Meals and Beverages	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
B. Lodging	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
C. Advertising	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
D. Travel	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
E. Gifts	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
F. Other Expenses	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
G. Group Expenditures	\$ 1,365.95	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,365.95
H. Campaign Contributions	LIST AMOUNT IN "TOTAL EXPENDED" COLUMN. 						\$
I. TOTAL of all expenditures	\$ 1,365.95	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,365.95

If you sponsored or contributed to any group event or shared expenses, list the total expended in category 5G immediately above. Complete and attach a Schedule B for each event.

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Schedule B: Group Entertainment & Shared Expenses

(Attach to the Lobbyist Activity Report)

Instructions: Group Entertainment functions include only the functions that fall within the following groups. Report expenditures for a dinner party, reception or other similar function if you invited ALL members of any of these four specific groups. Individual names of attendees do not need to be listed for these four specific groups.

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|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1. the Legislature | 3. either house of the Legislature |
| 2. a standing or select committee of either house | 4. a joint committee of both houses |

Use the worksheet below to figure the amount spent on legislators and other governmental officials and employees for each "event." Enter this amount on the Lobbyist Activity Report.

List each group event separately. **Make additional copies of this page if necessary.** Record total expenditures for each group event in **Section B**. You must then calculate and post on the Lobbyist Activity Report only the amount actually spent on public officials. If you share expenses with another reporting lobbyist, report only your portion of the expenses and list the names of other co-sponsors in **Section C** below.

Section A: Event Information

Lobbying expenses for entertainment of "OTHER" group events are reported in the "Meals & Beverages" category on the Lobbyist Activity Report Form. List the names of attendees on this form or attach additional information pages. If using this form, list the names in item 5 below, as well as other event information requested in items 1 through 4 and complete the Section B calculations.

- Date of event: RECEPTION Location: BENI KEDEM Temple (Charleston)
- Type of event (reception, dinner, etc.): WV REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE (WVRLC)
- Event sponsor: WVRLC (If you shared the sponsorship and expenses with others, you must also complete Section C below.)
- Which of the following governmental groups were invited? All members of:

<input type="checkbox"/> a. the Legislature	<input type="checkbox"/> c. a standing or select committee of either house
<input type="checkbox"/> b. either house of the Legislature	<input type="checkbox"/> d. a joint committee of both houses

OR
- OTHER: If the event was not in one of the four specific groups listed above, you must list the names of all public employees or public officials in attendance here or on an attachment to this form. List attendees here:

Section B: Calculate Reportable Expenses

Some calculations must be performed manually.

$$1. \frac{\$1365.95}{\text{(total cost of event)}} + \frac{82}{\text{(total attendance)}} = \frac{\$16.66}{\text{(per capita cost)}}$$

$$2. \frac{53}{\text{(governmental attendees)}} \times \frac{16.66}{\text{(per capita cost)}} = \boxed{\$883.00 \text{ BOX 1}}$$

If this was a true Group Entertainment event and you were the sponsor, report the amount above as Group Entertainment on the Lobbyist Activity Report in Section 5G. If you shared expenses with others, complete section C below, and report only your portion of the cost. Note: If you classified the expenditure described in section A as "OTHER," it is reported on the Lobbyist Activity Report Form as a Meals & Beverages expense (5A), not as a "Group Expenditure" (5G).

Section C: Shared Sponsorship Expenses

- Were any other lobbyists co-sponsors of this event? No (yes or no)
- If yes, with how many others are sharing the cost? _____ List the names of all sponsors below:

$$3. \text{What is your share of Box 1 above? } \$ \underline{883.00}$$

Record that amount in Box 2 and on the Lobbyist Activity Report in Section 5G.

$$\boxed{\$883.00 \text{ BOX 2}}$$

Host Committee Includes:

*Speaker Roger Hanshaw
Chairman Moore Capito
Delegate Erikka Storch
Delegate Ben Queen*



Host Committee Includes:

*Majority Leader Amy Summers
Chairman Matthew Rohrbach
Delegate Steve Westfall
Delegate John Hardy*

WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Please join us for a fundraising reception in support of the

Republican Majority in the House of Delegates

Monday, November 15, 2021

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Beni Kedem Temple | 100 Quarrier St, Charleston, WV 25301

Suggested Contribution: \$1,000

Light refreshments will be provided.

Checks payable to:	Contribution Limit:	RSVP to:
WVRLC P.O. Box 548 Charleston, WV 25332	\$10,000 per calendar year	Kyle Saunders, Executive Director kyle@wvrlc.org 304.573.5670

Contribute online anytime at www.wvrlc.org!

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Contact:

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Chris Hamilton

From: Kyle Saunders <kyle@wvrlc.org>
Sent: Friday, November 12, 2021 10:13 AM
To: Kyle Saunders
Subject: Reminder: WVRLC Fundraising Reception



WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Friendly Reminder: You're Invited!

Friend,

You are cordially invited to attend a fundraising reception in support of the Republican Majority in the West Virginia House of Delegates on Monday, November 15, 2021. The host committee includes the following delegates:

<i>Speaker Roger Hanshaw</i>	<i>Delegate Ben Queen</i>
<i>Majority Leader Amy Summers</i>	<i>Delegate Erika Storch</i>
<i>Chairman Moore Capito</i>	<i>Delegate John Hardy</i>
<i>Chairman Matthew Rohrbach</i>	<i>Delegate Steve Westfall</i>

Please see the attached invitation for details, and RSVP to Kyle Saunders (kyle@wvrlc.org). Thank you for your continued support, and we hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Team WVRLC