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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name:
WESTERN ORGANIZATION OF RESOURCE COUNCILS
2. Address: 110 Maryland Avenue NE, #306, Washington, DC 20002
3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):
4. Contact Name: PATRICK SWEENEY Telephone: 4062529672 E-mail (optional): psweeney@worc.org
Senate ID #: 314773-12 House ID #:
7. Client Name: 🔀 Self
TYPE OF REPORT
8. Year <u>2007</u> Midyear (January 1 - June 30): 🔲 OR Year End (July 1 - December 31): 🔀
9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report:
10. Check if this is a Termination Report: => Termination Date: 11. No Lobbying Activity:
INCOME OR EXPENSES
Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13
12. Lobbying Firms
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:
Less than \$10,000:
\$10,000 or more: => Income (nearest \$20,000):
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to t registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).
13. Organizations
EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000:
\$10,000 or more: X => Expenses (nearest \$20,000); <u>42,400.00</u>
14. Reporting Method. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

| Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only | Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code | Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed

- 15. General issue area code: AGR (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 2135, Competitive and Fair Agricultural Markets Act of 2007 H.R. 2213, Captive Supply Reform Act H.R. 2419, The Farm, Nutrition and Bioenergy Act of 2007: - Title IV - Nutrition Programs

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADKINS, THAD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BAKKEN, JERI LYNN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KENDALL, SARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MACDONALD, MARGARET
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SMILLIE, JOHN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SWEENEY, PATRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: CAW (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 1398, Agriculture Protection and Prosperity Act of 2007 H.R. 2421, Clean Water Restoration Act S. 807, Agriculture Protection and Prosperity Act of 2007 S. 1870, Clean Water Restoration Act

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADKINS, THAD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BAKKEN, JERI LYNN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KENDALL, SARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MACDONALD, MARGARET
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SMILLIE, JOHN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SWEENEY, PATRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: ENG (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- H.R. 6, Renewable Fuels, Consumer Protection and Energy Efficiency Act of 2007 H.R. 969, Federal Renewable Electricity Standard H.R. 1180, Western Waters and Farm Lands Protection Act H.R. 1547, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADKINS, THAD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BAKKEN, JERI LYNN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KENDALL, SARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MACDONALD, MARGARET
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SMILLIE, JOHN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SWEENEY, PATRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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- 15. General issue area code: NAT (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:
- H.R. 2262, Hardrock Mining and Reclamation Act of 2007
- 17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE
- 18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADKINS, THAD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BAKKEN, JERI LYNN
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: KENDALL, SARA
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: MACDONALD, MARGARET
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SMILLIE, JOHN

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- 15. General issue area code: TRA (one per page)
- 16. Specific lobbying issues:

H.R. 3688, U.S.-Peru Trade Promotion Agreement Implementation Act S. 2113, U.S.-Peru Trade Promotion Agreement Implementation Act Extension of the Presidents Fast Track Trade Promotion Authority

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted: HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: ADKINS, THAD
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: BAKKEN, JERI LYNN
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Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A
Name: SWEENEY, PATRICK
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above. None

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: PATRICK SWEENEY, DIRECTOR -

Information Update Page:

Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is NO LONGER expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues previously reported that NO LONGER pertain

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following organization(s)

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is NO LONGER affiliated with the registrant or client

FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity the NO LONGER owns, OR controls, OR is affiliated with the registrant, client or affiliated organization

Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 14, 2008

Printed Name and Title: -