

## LOBBYING REPORT

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

1. Registrant Name:

**WASHINGTON LINKAGE GROUP INC**

2. Address:

633 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20004

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

4. Contact Name: ZINA C. PIERRE

Telephone: 2023934504

E-mail (optional): zpierre@washingtonlinkagegroup.com

Senate ID #: 65271-113

House ID #:

7. Client Name:  Self

**NATL CONFERENCE OF BLACK MAYORS**

### TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2006 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: Jun 30, 2006 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 the 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:  => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): \_\_\_\_\_

#### 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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**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.**

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:

Environmental issues related to waste disposal, brownfields, and water infrastructure. Budget and tax issues regarding municipal revenue sources

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Housing & Urban Development, Dept of (HUD)  
Interior, Dept of (DOI)  
Labor, Dept of (DOL)  
SENATE

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

Name: PIERRE, ZINA C.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: THORINGTON, BRANDT  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: WELLENKAMP, COLIN  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

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

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15. General issue area code: CAW (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Water/Wastewater infrastructure issues

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Housing & Urban Development, Dept of (HUD)

Interior, Dept of (DOI)

SENATE

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Name: THORINGTON, BRANDT

Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

Name: WELLENKAMP, COLIN

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15. General issue area code: CDM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Telecommunications issues, franchise fees, Universal Service, E-911, E-Rate Program

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Commerce, Dept of (DOC)  
Federal Communications Commission (FCC)  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
SENATE

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15. General issue area code: ECN (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Industrial Loan Program, rural enhancement, agricultural development, social assistance, TANF

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Agriculture, Dept of (USDA)

Commerce, Dept of (DOC)

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Housing & Urban Development, Dept of (HUD)

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15. General issue area code: HOU (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Community Development Block Grants, Community Service Block Grants, rural housing programs, rural enhancement grants

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Commerce, Dept of (DOC)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Housing & Urban Development, Dept of (HUD)

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15. General issue area code: URB (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

TANF reauthorization, energy reform, social entitlement programs

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Energy, Dept of  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)  
SENATE

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Apr 11, 2007

Printed Name and Title: ZINA C. PIERRE, PRESIDENT AND CEO -

**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: Apr 11, 2007

Printed Name and Title: -