

Top 200 Michigan Lobbyists - 2007

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Rank	Lobbyist Name or Organization	2007	2006	Change
1	Governmental Consultant Services	1,446,002	1,308,435	11%
2	James H. Karoub Associates	991,045	985,129	1%
3	MI Education Assn.	626,536	852,000	-26%
4	Public Affairs Associates Inc.	607,278	580,804	5%
5	Wiener Assoc.	542,282	667,144	-19%
6	Muchmore Harrington Smalley & Assoc.	496,444	612,077	-19%
7	MI Health & Hospital Assoc.	458,877	422,375	9%
8	MyWireless.Org	452,026	n/a	n/a
9	Kelley Cawthorne	437,121	443,412	-1%
10	Blue Cross & Blue Shield	412,004	335,591	23%
11	Natl. Federation of Independent Business	320,162	329,371	-3%
12	Kheder Davis & Associates Inc.	309,784	251,995	23%
13	Consumers Energy Co.	301,283	199,065	51%
14	Fraser Consulting LLC	293,537	318,993	-8%
15	AARP	279,427	278,987	0%
16	Knight Consulting	253,558	228,329	11%
17	Cusmano Kandler & Reed Inc.	241,115	286,408	-16%
18	R J Reynolds Tobacco Co.	227,240	27,442	728%
19	DTE Energy Company	224,303	205,810	9%
20	Scofes & Associates Consulting Inc.	194,223	269,220	-28%
21	St John Health System	192,400	181,600	6%
22	AFT Michigan	183,344	167,911	9%
23	MI Credit Union League	178,565	148,234	20%
24	Multistate Associates Inc.	173,904	144,746	20%
25	MPM Enterprises	173,422	186,525	-7%
26	Ford Motor Company	170,280	164,010	4%
27	MI Legislative Consultants Inc.	166,298	138,603	20%
28	Aramark	166,250	n/a	n/a
29	Insurance Institute of Michigan	164,850	158,914	4%
30	Wayne State University	155,458	75,643	106%
31	Capitol Affairs LLC	151,543	2,000	7477%
32	MI Bell Telephone Co.	149,741	217,112	-31%
33	MI Assn. of Home Builders	140,259	36,465	285%
34	MI Farm Bureau	139,834	113,259	23%
35	MI Assn. of Health Plans (MAHP)	138,813	140,384	-1%
36	Midwest Strategy Group of Michigan LLC	138,013	15,421	795%
37	Capitol Advocacy Services Group (CASG)	137,116	115,924	18%
38	Assn. of Independent Colleges & Universities of MI	134,552	148,453	-9%
39	MI Regional Council of Carpenters	126,496	124,992	1%
40	MGM Grand Detroit LLC	124,947	90,000	39%
41	MI Retailers Assn.	122,084	126,435	-3%
42	Eastern Michigan University	120,951	27,831	335%
43	Flint Hills Resources LLC	120,863	120,000	1%
44	Bodman LLP	120,000	120,000	0%
45	General Motors Corporation	115,797	251,996	-54%
46	City of Detroit	115,346	83,557	38%
47	MI State University	115,156	109,889	5%
48	University of MI Bd of Regents	112,765	109,378	3%
49	Jackson National Life Insurance Company	112,444	107,068	5%
50	Pfizer Inc.	112,183	121,853	-8%
51	Clark Hill PLC	110,801	94,632	17%
52	MI Dental Assn.	108,824	172,874	-37%

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53	Detroit Regional Chamber	107,917	41,754	158%
54	Detroit Medical Center	107,467	88,542	21%
55	Prosecuting Attorneys Assn. of Michigan	106,771	102,388	4%
56	Kindsvatter & Associates Inc.	101,274	75,216	35%
57	Natl Electrical Contractors Assn. MI Chapter	100,000	100,000	0%
58	Central Michigan University	99,718	93,515	7%
59	HSBC Group Corp.	95,069	90,062	6%
60	MI Cable Telecommunications Assoc.	93,420	205,442	-55%
61	Dept. of Treasury	90,620	33,482	171%
62	Oakland University	88,544	68,351	30%
63	William Beaumont Hospital	87,882	86,606	1%
64	MI Licensed Beverage Assn.	86,846	86,099	1%
65	Dykema Gossett PLLC	86,217	60,234	43%
66	Henry Ford Health System	86,188	38,405	124%
67	David S. Haynes LLC	86,152	68,649	25%
68	Capitol Services Inc.	84,005	45,317	85%
69	Strategic Public Affairs	83,650	24,478	242%
70	Michigan AFSCME Council 25	83,435	81,337	3%
71	Vanderveen & Associates	81,923	99,771	-18%
72	Assn. of Businesses Advocating Tariff Equity (ABATE)	80,500	20,580	291%
73	Apple Inc.	80,105	49,000	63%
74	Lorillard Tobacco Co.	80,000	80,000	0%
75	MI State AFL-CIO	79,741	132,724	-40%
76	Philip Morris USA Inc.	76,994	30,511	152%
77	MI Townships Assn.	75,961	53,639	42%
78	Larsen & Associates Inc.	73,000	75,000	-3%
79	International Union UAW (United Auto Workers)	71,547	122,995	-42%
80	MI Assisted Living Assn.	70,400	66,950	5%
81	Auto Dealers of Michigan LLC	70,303	50,729	39%
82	DaimlerChrysler Corporation	69,944	51,592	36%
83	Environmental Policy Consultants	69,500	21,220	228%
84	Anchor Assoc. Inc.	69,200	13,000	432%
85	Corbin Consulting LLC	68,936	94,541	-27%
86	Verizon	68,424	63,609	8%
87	Indiana Michigan Power	68,271	49,797	37%
88	MI Municipal League	67,057	68,697	-2%
89	MI Municipal Electric Assn.	65,799	44,432	48%
90	MI Beer & Wine Wholesalers Assoc.	65,714	58,398	13%
91	LS Power Development	65,435	6,701	877%
92	Johnson & Johnson	64,400	27,650	133%
93	ITC Holdings Corp.	63,881	5,253	1116%
94	Taubman Company	63,671	36,000	77%
95	Executive Office of the Governor	63,617	62,694	1%
96	Dept. of Environmental Quality State of Michigan	63,132	54,665	15%
97	Advocacy Specialists LLC	63,000	12,500	404%
98	McCurdy Wotila & Porteous PC	62,700	80,600	-22%
99	Blue Heron Academy	61,560	51,426	20%
100	Greektown Casino LLC	61,400	107,100	-43%
101	Michigan Sustainable Energy Coalition	61,353	16,000	283%
102	Covanta Energy Group, Inc.	61,000	40,000	53%
103	MI State Chamber of Commerce	60,902	48,135	27%
104	Eli Lilly & Co.	60,702	102,601	-41%
105	Wayne County	60,000	60,000	0%
106	Thomas Husband & Assoc.	58,909	51,591	14%

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107	MI Distributors & Vendors Assoc., Inc.	58,598	58,037	1%
108	Service Employees International Union	58,000	67,666	-14%
109	Accenture LLP	57,857	38,869	49%
110	George M. Carr PC	57,758	55,995	3%
111	Dept. of State Police	57,492	55,537	4%
112	New Covert Generating Company LLC	57,288	5,292	982%
113	Western MI University	57,216	51,392	11%
114	American Civil Liberties Union of MI	56,783	54,916	3%
115	MI Osteopathic Assoc.	56,474	51,700	9%
116	Citigroup Management Corp.	55,730	24,688	126%
117	Grand Valley State University	54,998	54,998	0%
118	Comerica Incorporated	54,400	59,900	-9%
119	Conventry First LLC	54,000	no report	n/a
120	Wolverine Power Supply Cooperative Inc.	54,136	84,200	-36%
121	Delta Dental Plan of MI Inc.	53,659	40,448	33%
122	MI Funeral Directors Assn.	52,735	29,481	79%
123	Oakland Intermediate School District	52,670	38,571	37%
124	Contractors Legislative Services	52,639	58,731	-10%
125	State Farm Insurance Companies	52,630	46,134	14%
126	Sanofi Aventis Group	52,545	15,560	238%
127	Molina Healthcare of Michigan	52,028	42,516	22%
128	MI Aggregates Assn.	51,697	93,955	-45%
129	MI Economic Development Corporation	51,382	15,106	240%
130	Farhat Group Inc.	50,969	53,615	-5%
131	Venuto & Assoc.	50,581	57,874	-13%
132	MI State Bldg & Const. Trades Council	50,000	50,000	0%
133	UST Public Affairs Inc.	50,000	50,000	0%
134	Filer City Real Estate Development Corporation	50,000	n/a	n/a
135	Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians	49,500	49,250	1%
136	Accident Fund Insurance Company of America	49,275	29,463	67%
137	Health Care Assoc. of Michigan	49,246	51,730	-5%
138	Dept. of Education	49,213	62,232	-21%
139	Detroit Auto Dealers Assn.	49,152	38,864	26%
140	Oakland County Executive	49,137	44,102	11%
141	Trinity Health	49,131	44,017	12%
142	Daniel Consulting	48,050	73,341	-34%
143	MI Brain Injury Providers Council	48,000	48,000	0%
144	Compuware Corporation	48,000	48,000	0%
145	McAlvey & Associates	47,711	45,749	4%
146	MI Education Special Services Assn.	47,683	26,900	77%
147	MI Propane Gas Assn.	47,546	42,775	11%
148	Anheuser-Busch Companies Inc.	47,250	45,000	5%
149	Northern Michigan University	46,966	40,778	15%
150	McKinney & Associates	46,900	69,550	-33%
151	County Road Assn. of Michigan	46,068	55,823	-17%
152	MI Manufactured Housing RC & Camp. Assn. PAC	45,972	44,228	4%
153	Mastercard Worldwide Inc.	45,773	9,203	397%
154	Small Business Assn. of MI	45,599	38,311	19%
155	Farm Bureau Insurance Group Co.	45,397	30,181	50%
156	Planned Parenthood of East Central MI	45,369	78,591	-42%
157	MI Bankers Assoc.	45,346	38,155	19%
158	Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians	45,000	41,250	9%
159	Semco Energy Inc.	44,696	35,000	28%
160	MI Racing Assn.	44,270	45,334	-2%

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161	Edison Institute	42,808	42,147	2%
162	Michigan Insurance Coalition	42,656	32,218	32%
163	Dow Corning Corporation	42,456	24,813	71%
164	Delphi Corporation	42,250	85,250	-50%
165	Life Insurance Assn. of MI	41,708	40,930	2%
166	MI Waste Industries Assn.	41,517	27,076	53%
167	MI State Police Troopers Assn.	41,476	40,878	1%
168	MI Petroleum Assn.	40,447	39,151	3%
169	Toyota Motor Sales U S A	40,008	40,008	0%
170	Motorola Inc.	40,000	28,800	39%
171	Red Stamp Inc.	40,000	n/a	n/a
172	United Food & Commercial Workers Local 876	39,674	19,936	99%
173	MI Humane Society	39,379	44,400	-11%
174	Amgen	39,339	5,626	599%
175	Quicken Loans	39,024	7,691	407%
176	MI Electric Cooperative Assn.	38,270	30,687	25%
177	MI Assn. for Local Public Health	37,908	37,908	0%
178	Railway Supply Institute	37,895	8,799	331%
179	MI Financial Services Assoc.	37,800	37,800	0%
180	Aetna Inc.	37,664	2,000	1783%
181	MI Assoc. of CPAs	37,618	36,404	3%
182	American Cancer Society Great Lakes Division	37,280	182,749	-80%
183	Hoffman Legislative Consultants LLC	36,525	23,082	58%
184	Oakland County Road Commission	36,000	36,000	0%
185	Building Owners & Managers Assn. of Metropolitan Detroit	36,000	30,000	20%
186	Total Health Care Inc.	36,000	9,000	300%
187	J. D. Gougeon & Associates Inc.	35,900	24,500	47%
188	MLBA Mutual Insurance Company	35,496	5,894	502%
189	Leadership Consultants Inc.	35,493	37,262	-5%
190	Manny Lentine Inc.	35,208	30,960	14%
191	MI Auto Dealers Assn.	35,152	25,365	39%
192	Automobile Club of MI	35,073	34,759	1%
193	Auto Club Insurance Assoc.	35,073	34,759	1%
194	Westfield Group	35,000	34,997	0%
195	Kroger Co.	35,000	35,000	0%
196	Meijer Inc.	34,998	34,332	2%
197	MI Assn. of Community Mental Health Boards	34,809	25,869	35%
198	Cigar Assn. of America	34,800	33,600	4%
199	MI International Speedway	34,157	40,584	-16%
200	MI Environmental Council	33,715	30,200	12%
		21,983,789	19,590,716	12%
	All lobbyists	32,105,151	30,263,705	6%
	n/a = was not registered in 2006			