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Details: Timothy Sweeney

(FORM UPDATED: 08/11/2010)

WISCONSIN STATE LEGISLATURE ... PUBLIC HEARING - COMMITTEE RECORDS

2009-10

(session year)

Senate

(Assembly, Senate or Joint)

Committee on ... Labor, Elections, and Urban Affairs (SC-LEUA)

COMMITTEE NOTICES ...

- Committee Reports ... **CR**
- Executive Sessions ... **ES**
- Public Hearings ... **PH**

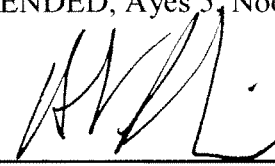
INFORMATION COLLECTED BY COMMITTEE FOR AND AGAINST PROPOSAL

- Appointments ... **Appt** (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
- Clearinghouse Rules ... **CRule** (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
- Hearing Records ... bills and resolutions (w/Record of Comm. Proceedings)
(**ab** = Assembly Bill) (**ar** = Assembly Resolution) (**ajr** = Assembly Joint Resolution)
(**sb** = Senate Bill) (**sr** = Senate Resolution) (**sjr** = Senate Joint Resolution)
- Miscellaneous ... **Misc**

Ayes: (5) Senators Coggs, Wirch, Lehman, A. Lasee
and Grothman.

Noes: (0) None.

CONFIRMATION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

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Adam Plotkin
Committee Clerk

Vote Record

Committee on Labor, Elections and Urban Affairs

Date: Thur. Jan. 29, 2009

Moved by: WIRCH

Seconded by: LEHMAN LASEE

AB _____ SB _____ Clearinghouse Rule _____
 AJR _____ SJR _____ Appointment TIMOTHY SWEENEY _____
 AR _____ SR _____ Other _____

A/S Amdt _____
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Be recommended for:
 Passage Adoption Confirmation Concurrence Indefinite Postponement
 Introduction Rejection Tabling Nonconcurrence

<u>Committee Member</u>	<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Absent</u>	<u>Not Voting</u>
Senator Spencer Coggs, Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senator Robert Wirch	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senator John Lehman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senator Alan Lasee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senator Glenn Grothman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Totals:	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	_____	_____

Motion Carried Motion Failed



JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

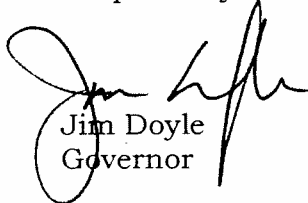
March 19, 2008

To the Honorable, the Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do reappoint Timothy Sweeney to be a Professional Member on the Auctioneer Board to serve a term expiring May 1, 2012.

Mr. Sweeney will be available to the Senate for hearings and my staff will assist in any way they can.

Respectfully submitted,


Jim Doyle
Governor



JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

March 19, 2008

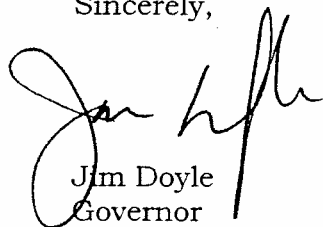
Mr. Timothy Sweeney
801 W. Fond Du Lac
P.O. Box 418
Ripon, Wisconsin 54971

Dear Mr. Sweeney:

I am pleased to reappoint you to the Auctioneer Board, effective May 1, 2008. Your experience, knowledge, and dedication continue to be a true asset to my administration and a great benefit to the people of Wisconsin.

I look forward to working with you to find creative ways of delivering services and implementing positive change for the citizens of our state.

Sincerely,



Jim Doyle
Governor

Timothy D. Sweeney

Objective

Appointment to the Wisconsin Auctioneer Board.

Experience

1975-1986 Modern Pole Builders Ripon, WI
Foreman

- Managed building crew.
- Responsible for the building project from start to completion.
- Assuring the customer was satisfied with the final product.

1975-Present Tim's Guns Ripon, WI
Owner

- Operating a small mail order business.
- Maintaining all necessary Federal documentation and records.

1986-Present Auction Associates Inc. Ripon, WI
Owner / Vice President

- Manage the complete day-to-day operations of a small successful independent business.
- We strive to be a leader in the continually changing technology of the Auction industry.
- We continue to set the standards at a level that everyone else should follow.
- We actively develop our educational requirements and maintain our education to provide excellence in service.

1986-Present Auction Associates Inc. Ripon, WI
Motor Vehicle Dealer

- We expanded our license requirement to maintain compliance with the State Department of Transportation.

Education

1975 Graduate of Ripon Public School Ripon, WI

Interests

Auctions, firearms, sports, carpentry, automobiles and computers.

Sweeney's Auction Associates Inc. P.O. Box 418, Ripon, WI 54971

Phone (920) 748-3002 • 800-242-0920 • Fax (920) 748-9605

E-Mail: auction@vbe.com

Website: www.auctionassociatesinc.com



JIM DOYLE
GOVERNOR
STATE OF WISCONSIN

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENT

NAME: Timothy Sweeney

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 418
Ripon, WI 54971

E-MAIL ADDRESS: tim@auctionassociatesinc.com

RESIDES IN: Green Lake, WI

TELEPHONE: (920) 748-3002 (w)

OCCUPATION: Auctioneer, Auction Associates, Inc.

APPOINTED TO: Auctioneer Board
Professional Member

TERM: A term to expire May 1, 2012

SUCCEEDS: Himself

SENATE CONFIRMATION: Yes

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: May 1, 2008

DATE OF NOMINATION: March 19, 2008

Labor

State of Wisconsin Government Accountability Board

Ethics & Accountability Division
44 East Millin, Ste. 601
Madison, WI 53703
Phone (608) 266-8123
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E-mail: ethics@ethics.state.wi.us



KEVIN J. KENNEDY
Director and General Counsel

8/4/2008

Senate Committee Members:

The attached Statement of Economic Interests is provided with regard to the individual's nomination to a State Public Office by Governor Jim Doyle.

Sincerely,
STATE OF WISCONSIN GOVERNMENT
ACCOUNTABILITY BOARD

Nominee: **Sweeney, Timothy**
Nomination Date: 3/19/2008

Statement of Economic Interests

Filed in 2008 for calendar year 2007 by

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Sweeney, Timothy

Auctioneer Board

Member

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Wisconsin Government Accountability Board
Ethics & Accountability Division

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Still have questions? For priority service send an e-mail to: ethics@ethics.state.wi.us; otherwise leave a detailed message at (608) 266-8115.
ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NEEDED

Part A

As of December 31, 2007

1. INVESTMENTS

a) WISCONSIN DEFERRED COMPENSATION PROGRAM If you held an investment in a fund available within the Wisconsin Deferred Compensation Program, please place a checkmark next to each fund in which you held \$5,000 or more, whether held privately or through the Program.

Profile Series	More than \$50,000		Small Cap	More than \$50,000		Bond	More than \$50,000	
	\$50,000 or less	\$50,000		\$50,000 or less	\$50,000		\$50,000 or less	\$50,000
Vanguard Retirement 2045 Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	BGI Russell 2000 Index - Collective T	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	BGI US Debt Index Fund - Collective W	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vanguard Retirement 2035 Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	DFA US Micro Cap Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Federated US Government Securities 2-5yr	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vanguard Retirement 2025 Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mid Cap			Vanguard Long-term Investment Grade Adm	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vanguard Retirement 2015 Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	BGI Mid Cap Equity Index - Collective W	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Money Market		
Vanguard Target Retirement Income Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	T Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vanguard Admiral Treasury Money Market	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
International			Large Cap			Fixed Returns for the Quarter		
American Funds Euro Pacific R5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Calvert Social Investment Equity I	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stable Value Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
BGI EAFE Equity Index - Collective W	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fidelity Contra Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	FDIC Bank Option	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Plus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
			Vanguard Wellington Fund - Admiral	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

b) OTHER INVESTMENTS List stocks, bonds, limited partnerships, Wisconsin governmental securities, and mutual and money market funds in which you and your family's interest was valued at \$5,000 or more.

MUTUAL OR MONEY MARKET FUND

(check one) \$50,000 or less More than \$50,000

Growth Fund of America	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Loomis Sayles Small Cap	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MFS Total Return	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
New York Life	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Washington Mutual Investors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Zenith Equity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

STOCKS/OPTIONS/FUTURES

(check one) \$50,000 or less More than \$50,000

Auction Associates Inc.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

BONDS

(check one) \$50,000 or less More than \$50,000

	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS	(check one) \$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
WISCONSIN GOVERNMENTAL SECURITIES	(check one) \$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITIES List businesses, farms, rental, commercial, and income-producing real estate; and business activities in which you or your family had at least a 10% or greater interest.

a) Enterprise(s) operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Name of business	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business
Auction Associates Inc	Ripon	Fond du Lac	WI	Auction/appraisal

b) Enterprise(s) NOT operating under a business or trade name, list here.

Name of business	Municipality or Town	County	State	Describe nature of business

3. COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS, CLIENTS, AND TENANTS For each unincorporated business, subchapter S corporation, service corporation (SC), limited liability company (LLC), partnership, or income-producing real estate reported in Item 2, list businesses, organizations, and lobbyists that paid the enterprise \$1,000 or more in calendar year 2007.

Check if the organization authorized you to represent it in its dealings with others as an attorney-at-law, agent, spokesperson, or representative.

Businesses, organizations, lobbyists that were customers, clients, or tenants	City	State	"√"
			<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>

4. BUSINESS PARTNERS For each enterprise reported under Item 2, list its co-owners, partners, officers, and directors (other than yourself), unless the information is already registered with the Wisconsin Department of Financial Institutions.

Business	Partners, or officers and directors	City	State
Auction Associates Inc	Debra K. Sweeney	Ripon	WI
Auction Associates Inc	Timothy D. Sweeney	Ripon	WI

5. NON-COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE List the specific location of WISCONSIN REAL ESTATE in which you or your family had an interest (except your principal residence and real estate whose location you already listed in item 2).

Location of property Street address or fire number	Municipality or town	County	Nature of interest (e.g. own, lease, option, easement, land contract)
801 W Fond du Lac St	Ripon	Fond du Lac	Rent to own

6. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS List organizations of which you or a family member was an officer or director (unless already listed in item 2).

Business or organization	City	State	Position
Wisconsin Auctioneers Association	Madison	WI	officer & director

7. AGENT, REPRESENTATIVE OR SPOKESPERSON List organizations that authorized you or a family member to represent them in their dealings with others as an attorney-at-law, agent, spokesperson, or representative (unless already listed in item 2, 3 or 6).

Business or organization	City	State
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8. CREDITORS List creditors to which you or your family owed \$5,000 or more. (check one)

Creditor	City	State	\$50,000 or less	More than \$50,000
Horicon State Bank	Ripon	WI	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part B **For calendar year 2007**

9. EMPLOYERS List your and your family's EMPLOYERS (\$1,000 or more of income) in 2007.

Name of employer (if State of Wisconsin, also identify agency or institution)	City	State	Nature of employer's business
Green Lake County	Green Lake	WI	County Government

10. ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INCOME List other sources from which you or your family received income of \$1,000 or more in 2007.

Source of income	City	State
Wisconsin Retirement Program	Green Lake	WI

11. ENTERTAINMENT AND GIFTS List individuals and organizations that provided you with entertainment or gifts (more than \$50) in 2007.

Name of provider	City	State
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12. HONORARIA AND EXPENSES List, for 2007, sources of honoraria and payment of expenses related to your state government duties (more than \$50) not previously reported to the Government Accountability Board.

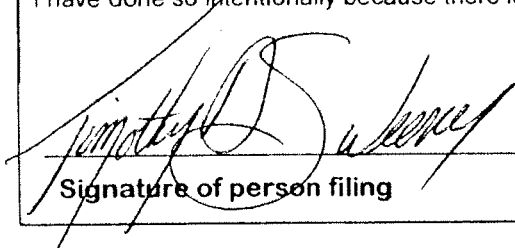
Payer	Approximate value of expenses	Amount of honorarium	Circumstances of receipt
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FILING NOTES -or- COMMENTS

If we saw an opportunity to clarify a prior report, we added comments or filing tips below. Please review any comments and make the appropriate corrections.

CERTIFICATION

I have read the accompanying instructions and certify that the information contained in this Statement of Economic Interests is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. If any part has been left blank, I have done so intentionally because there is nothing to report.



Signature of person filing

Daytime phone # (920) 748-3002

2/4-08

Date

tim@auctionassociatesinc.com

E-mail address

The information sought in this form is required by §§19.43 and 19.44, *Wisconsin Statutes*. Failure to file a completed form may result in a forfeiture of up to \$500. Statements of Economic Interests are open for public inspection. The Government Accountability Board will notify you of the identity of any person who examines your Statement. In accordance with §15.04(1)(m), *Wisconsin Statutes*, the Government Accountability Board states that no personally identifiable information is likely to be used for purposes other than those for which it is collected.

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* read registrants on Sweeney

* SBI

- Decker testimony

- GG ?

- BW refutes GG

- local econ. stimulus

- to state refs. in 2006 including some red states

- SC follow up w/ ? to Decker

- GG on well-heeled lobbyists

- BW on obtaining better staff w/ better wages

- GG on Breske's effusiveness

- Joanne Ricca

- SC ? on indexing

- GG on added cost to employers

- more productivity and less turnover

- studies show not much job loss

- implying that min. wage employers are bad?

- no, but levels playing field

- harder to get into min. wage job

- 80% of last increase was benefit for adults

- bigger income disparity lately

- BW - in mess now ble left to free market, tried trickle down +
voodoo economics

- workers

- Pete Hanson, W_U Rest. Assn.

- personal min. wage experience

- valuable life experience worth as much as \$

- entry level jobs will go away

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