

AM I A LOBBYIST?

City of Pickering

Not sure if you are a lobbyist or need to register your lobbying activities? By answering a few yes or no questions you can determine whether or not you should register.

- Are you a delegation speaking during a Council, Committee of Council, or local board?
- Are you speaking on the public record during a public meeting or open house?
- Are you requesting information?
- Are you providing compliments or complaints about a service or program?
- Are you communicating with a public office holder as part of an existing, Council-approved process (building permits, procurement, planning applications, etc.)?

YES

You are
not a
Lobbyist

NO

Are you communicating with a public office holder, outside of a normal process, seeking a direct or indirect financial benefit?

NO

You are
not a
Lobbyist

YES

Are you being paid to communicate with a public office holder or do you represent a business or financial interest? Or do you represent the interests of an individual, business or entity?

NO

You are
not a
Lobbyist

YES

Are you a government or public sector official acting in your public capacity (see Section 3.1 of the Lobbyist Registry By-law)?

YES

You are
not a
Lobbyist

NO

Are you communicating on behalf of an organization or business of which you are an employee, partner or sole proprietor?

NO

You are
not a
Lobbyist

NO

Are you communicating for payment and on behalf of a client (another individual, business, partnership, organization or other entity)?

NO

You are
not a
Lobbyist

NO

Are you communicating, without payment, on behalf of an individual, business, or any other entity?

YES

YOU ARE A
CONSULTANT
LOBBYIST

NO

You are
not a
Lobbyist

YES

YOU ARE A
VOLUNTARY
LOBBYIST

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