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RESIDENTIAL RATE AND SERVICE CHANGE NOTIFICATION

Dear Customer:

January 31, 2017

American Disposal Co., Inc. is excited to announce that we are automating our residential, multi-family can and commercial can routes. Beginning March 1, 2017 we will be providing customers with wheeled garbage carts to replace manually serviced customer provided cans. This program improvement will help alleviate employee injuries and offer a better service package to our customers.

We have filed a request for approval of this new program with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (WUTC) to recover the capital investment, and other costs required for this new program. The last general rate increase was approved by the WUTC June 1, 2016.

Cart delivery will start March 1, 2017 and continue through May 31, 2017. If your current service is 1-20 gallon can you will receive 1-20 gallon cart; if your current service is 1-32 gallon can you will receive 1-35 gallon cart; if your current service is 2-32 gallon cans you will receive 1-64 gallon cart; if your current service is 3-32 gallon cans, or more, you will receive 1-95 gallon cart.

If the new program is approved, the proposed rates below will become effective March 1, 2017. The new rate will be applied the first pickup of the next month after the cart is delivered to your service address. The rates below include the disposal increase effective March 1, 2017.

	Rate
	<u>Per Month</u>
Residential Garbage:	
1-20 gallon cart weekly	\$16.32
1-35 gallon cart weekly	\$19.89
1-65 gallon cart weekly	\$28.08
1-95 gallon cart weekly	\$38.06
Non-Recycling customers add \$1.00 for a 20 and 35 gallon, \$2.00 for a 64 gallon and \$3.00 for a 95 gallon cart per month.	
Recycling:	
96-gal every-other-week will be added to the rates above at	\$7.14

If you have any questions regarding this new program, please contact American Disposal Co., Inc. between 7:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Emailed questions may be sent to AmericanDisposal@wasteconnections.com.

The Commission has the authority to set final rates that may be either lower or higher from the Company's request, depending on the results of its investigation. Commission staff will make a recommendation to the Commissioners at an open meeting in Olympia, which is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on February 23, 2017. The WUTC is committed to providing reasonable accommodation to participants with disabilities. If you need reasonable accommodation, please contact the Commission at (360) 664-1132 or human_resources@utc.wa.gov. You will have an opportunity to comment in person at this meeting. If you are unable to attend the open meeting, the Commission has a bridge line which enables you to participate or listen by telephone. Call 360-664-1234 for instructions the day before the open meeting. You can also comment by using the "Public Comment" feature at the Commission's Web site at www.utc.wa.gov or by using the contact information below.

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