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**Re: Nonopposition to Application for Extension of Solid Waste
Collection Authority by Ed's Disposal, Inc. (GA-079175/TG-
020812)**

Dear Secretary Washburn:

This letter is to communicate the fact that Waste Management of Washington, Inc. does not oppose granting the above-identified extension of authority for which Commission approval is sought by Ed's Disposal, Inc. The extension area requested is within the territory authorized for service by Waste Management, under its certificate of convenience of necessity No. G-237. However, the extension area is adjacent to and accessed through the City of East Richland, which is currently serviced by Ed's Disposal under a contract with the city. It makes sense for the company holding the East Richland contract to also service the requested extension area.

Waste Management does not intend to relinquish its authority for the extension area sought, or in any way waive its right to provide service in the area. However, the company does not object to an overlap of certificate rights that would result from approval of the application for extension sought by Ed's Disposal.

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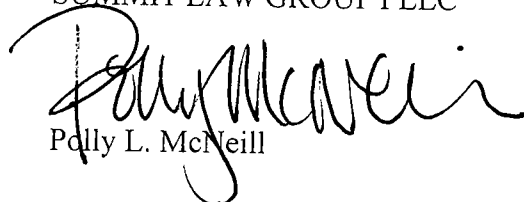
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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pally McNeill". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P" and "M".

Pally L. McNeill

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