

Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc.
dba. WasteWise Methow
PO Box 656
Twisp, WA 98856

July 18, 2023

Dear Commercial Customer,

This is to notify you of a proposed rate adjustment for commercial waste services in the Towns of Twisp and Winthrop, WA and portions of Okanogan County where Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc. d.b.a. WasteWise Methow (Company) operates. Should the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC) approve this request, customers will experience a rate increase throughout all classes of service effective September 1, 2023.

Proposed Rates*			
Commercial Services	Current	Proposed	Increase
32 Gal Can – weekly	20.53	23.00	2.47
64 Gal Can – weekly	28.75	32.50	3.75
1 Yard Container – rent	18.00	20.00	2.00
1 Yard Container – pickup	19.84	22.50	2.66
2 Yard Container – rent	22.53	25.50	2.97
2 Yard Container – pickup	36.34	41.00	4.66
4 Yard Container – rent	35.94	40.50	4.56
4 Yard Container – pickup	67.38	75.50	8.12
Extras	4.80	5.50	.70

* Please see the company tariff for a complete list of rates and services.

It has been three years since the Company's last general rate case. In that time, the Company experienced increased costs for wages, repairs, maintenance, and fuel, among others.

Commission staff will make a recommendation to the Commissioners at an open meeting scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on August 24, 2023. And the Commission has the authority to set rates higher or lower than the Company's request, depending on the results of its review.

If you wish to attend the Open Meeting, directions on how to do so may be found on the UTC website at <https://www.utc.wa.gov/documentsand-proceedings/open-meetings> or by calling (360) 664-1234. You can also provide comments on our filing by using the comment form at the Commission's website at [utc.wa.gov/comment](https://www.utc.wa.gov/comment) or by using the contact information below:

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, WA 98503
E-mail: comments@utc.wa.gov
Telephone: (360) 664-1160

If you have questions about the proposed rate increase, please contact the Company at (509) 997-8862.

We look forward to providing continuing service to you.

Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc. d.b.a. WasteWise Methow