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September 15, 2009

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
Chandler Plaza Building
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P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA. 98504-7250

Subject: Waste Management of Ellensburg, a division of Waste Management of Washington, Inc. (G-237); Tariff No. 11

Enclosed herein, you will find our new Tariff No.11 for the above-referenced company. This tariff replaces Waste Management of Ellensburg Tariff No.10. In this new tariff, we are requesting adjustments to our rates attributed to increased disposal, maintenance, labor, fuel and other operating and administrative costs since our last general rate increase. This company received its last general rate increase on November 1, 2003 nearly six years ago. This new tariff, if approved by the commission, would increase Company revenue by approximately \$152,000 and collectively, residential and commercial rates by 12.1%. This new tariff is being filed with a proposed effective date of November 1, 2009.

Enclosed for your review are one paper and one electronic copy of our accounting workpapers and sample customer notices. Customer notices will be mailed on or before September 30, 2009. Also a copy of this transmittal letter was mailed to Kittitas County on September 15, 2009.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (425) 814-7840.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Weinstein". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Michael A. Weinstein
Senior Pricing Manager, Pacific Northwest Market Area

cc: Adam Winston
J.R. Lesure
Joe Krukowski
Clerk of the Board, Kittitas County

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