

Public Works Solid Waste

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> Dave Somers County Executive

October 30, 2018

Steven V. King, Secretary and Executive Director Attention: Danny Kermode, Assistant Director Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: Snohomish County Mid-Year Report: Waste Management Revenue Sharing Agreement

Dear Mr. King:

The purpose of this letter is to provide Snohomish County's determination regarding its revenue sharing plan (Plan) compliance with RCW 81.77.185, by Waste Management of Washington, Inc., (Waste Management). This letter reports the County's findings regarding Waste Managements' performance, to date, of the current revenue sharing plan beginning January 1, 2018 and ending December 31, 2019. The Plan referenced herein applies to the areas in Waste Management's G-237 certificated territory within Snohomish County.

January 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018

To date, Waste Management has done a good job implementing high quality tasks as described in the plan. We are satisfied with their efforts. Detailed summaries of program activities and associated costs have been provided to the County, and to the best of our knowledge, the expenditures reported by Waste Management are justifiable and appropriate. Tasks were implemented according to the Plan with some mutually agreed upon adjustments due to the reduction in commodity prices. We expect adjustments to continue into 2019 but are confident that important tasks will be completed. We look forward to continued implementation of the Plan with Waste Management.

Thank you for the opportunity to offer our comments and support for the recycling plans developed by Waste Management and Snohomish County. If you have any questions, please contact Polagaya McLaughlin at (425) 388-6492 or polagaya.mclaughlin@snoco.org

Sincerely,

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