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Ms. Kathy Hunter, Executive Director/Secretary Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Re: Ed's Disposal, Inc. - G-110 - Tariff Revision - Disposal Increase Cost Recovery

On behalf of Ed's Disposal, Inc. - G-110 (Ed's), I am filing certain revised tariff pages and other documents requesting a rate increase effective January 1, 2024. This filing is necessitated by a disposal fee increase by the local transfer station owned and operated by Columbia Basin, LLC. Effective January 1, 2024 the disposal fee will increase from \$57.46 to \$59.53, 3.6%.

If this filing is approved by the Commission, the hauler's overall revenue will increase approximately 1.15%, or \$20,000. The revenue increase breakdown is:

	Gross Revenue Increase	Approximate Customer Percent Change
Residential	\$12,500	0.94%
Commercial	\$4,500	1.41%
Drop Box	<u>\$3,000</u>	<u>3.60%</u>
Total	\$20,000	1.15%

This filing is for recovery of disposal fees pursuant to RCW 81.77.160. A copy of the notification letter from Columbia Basin, LLC is included with the documents being filed.

Included with this filing is an Excel workbook titled [Ed's-DF Rate Calculation Jan2024.xlsx]. Customer counts, annual pick-ups, and annual tonnage used in the calculation were taken from the final audited workbook from BDI's last General Rate Case, TG-230189.

Revised tariff pages are included with this filing titled [Ed's Tariff No. 6 - DF 1.1.2024.pdf]. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, they will become effective January 1, 2024.

Ed's is filing this as confidential pursuant to WAC 480-07-160.

Ed's respectfully requests Less than Statutory Notice (LSN) handing, pursuant to WAC 480-70-276, to waive the 45-day customer notice requirement set forth in RCW 81.28.050. If the LSN is approved, Ed's



will notify customers of the increase due to the disposal fee increase on the first bill reflecting the increase in rates, pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(ii).

• A copy of this letter has been sent to Will McKay, Chairman of the Benton County Board of Commissioners.

Respectfully,

Francisco Alcala Senior Financial Analyst Ed's Disposal, Inc.

cc: Darrick Dietrich, Ed's Disposal, Inc. Will McKay, Chairman of the Benton County Board of Commissioners.