**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON**

**UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**1-360-664-1222**

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| In re Application of  COUSE’S SANITATION AND RECYCLE, INC.,  for extension of authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity G-169  . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | )  )  )  )  )  )  )  )  ) | DOCKET TG-143649  ORDER 01  ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION |

1. On October 7, 2014, Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc., filed an application in Docket TG-143649 with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) in accordance with RCW 81.77 requesting an extension of authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity G-169 to provide:

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE limited to 10, 12, 14, 20, 30, and 40 yard drop box service within the city limits of the City of Republic.

1. The application appeared on the October 8, 2014 application docket. The application was unopposed.
2. In support of the request to extend its authority, Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc., provided letters from members of the public who live in the community involved. Their letters indicate a need for service that is currently not served on the route.
3. The Commission, having considered the application and being fully advised, finds that Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc. is fit, willing, and able to provide the proposed service and that the proposed service is necessary and will be a convenience to the public.

## **ORDER**

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS:**

1. (1) The application filed by Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc., filed in Docket TG-143649 is granted, conditioned upon compliance with RCW 81.77 and WAC 480-70, the laws and rules relating to solid waste companies.
2. (2) Certificate of public convenience and necessity G-169 shall be amended, as described in the attached Appendix A.
3. (3) The tariff filed by Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc., in connection with this application will become effective at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the service date of this Order.
4. The Commission has delegated authority to the Secretary to enter this Order under RCW80.01.030 and [WAC 480-07-905(2)(a).

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective November 21, 2014.

### WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

# STEVEN V. KING

# Executive Director and Secretary

**NOTICE:** This is an order delegated to the Secretary for decision. In addition to serving you a copy of the decision, the Commission will post on its Internet Web site for at least 14 days a listing of all matters delegated to the Secretary for decision. You may seek Commission review of this decision. You must file a request for Commission review of this order no later than fourteen (14) days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission’s Web site.

The Commission will schedule your request for review by issuing a notice of hearing to be held before an administrative law judge. The Commission, at its discretion, may consider your request for review in an adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05 Part IV, or in a brief adjudicative proceeding under RCW 34.05.482 through .494. Following hearing, the administrative law judge will enter an initial order. If you wish to seek review of the initial order, you may file a petition for administrative review under RCW 34.05.464, or if the matter is heard in a brief adjudicative proceeding, under RCW 34.05.491.

The Commission will grant a late-filed request for review only on a showing of good cause, including a satisfactory explanation of why the person did not timely file the request. A form for late-filed requests is available on the Commission’s Web site.

This notice and review process is pursuant to the provisions of RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-904(2) and (3), and WAC 480-07-905, as amended effective September 22, 2008.

# **APPENDIX A**

Couse’s Sanitation and Recycle, Inc. Cert No.

22 Smith Drive G-169

Republic, WA 99166-8974

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE limited to 10, 12, 14, 20, 30, and 40 yard drop box service within the city limits of the City of Republic.

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE in Ferry County excluding the City of Republic.

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE in that portion of Okanogan County described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 31, T37N, R31E; thence north to the southwest corner of Section 7, T37N, R31E; thence west along the south line of Section 12, T37N, R30E, extended to the southeast corner of Section 9, T37N, R30E; thence north along the east line of said Section 9 to the southwest corner of Section 3, T37N, R30E; thence east along the south line of said Section 3 to the southwest corner of Section 2, T37N, R30E; thence north along the west line of said Section 2 extended to the northwest corner of Section 23, T38N, R30E; thence east along the north line of said Section 23 extended to the northeast corner of Section 24, T38N, R30E; thence north along the east line of Section 13, T38N, R30E extended to the northwest corner of Section 6, T40N, R31E; thence east to the northeast corner of Section 1, T40N, R31E, thence south along the Douglas/Ferry County line to the southeast corner of Section 36 T37N, R31E; thence west along the south line of said Section 36 extended to the southwest corner of Section 31, T37N, R31E, the point of beginning.

TO THE EXTENT THAT THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN THIS ORDER DUPLICATES ANY AUTHORITY PREVIOUSLY GRANTED OR NOW HELD SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED AS CONFERRING MORE THAN ONE OPERATING RIGHT NOR SHALL ANY DUPLICATING RIGHTS BE AVAILABLE FOR PURPOSES OF TRANSFER.

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