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Jeff Killip, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
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Subject: Waste Management of Ellensburg (Kittitas County), divisions of Waste Management of Washington, Inc. (G-237);
Tariff No. 12

Mr. Killip,

Enclosed, please find revised pages 2, 21, 23, 24, 29, 30, 32, and 33 to the above-referenced tariff. The purpose of this tariff revision is twofold. The first is to adjust rates for the Kittitas County disposal increase effective November 1, 2024. These proposed revised tariff pages contain increased rates for residential and commercial garbage collection services. The requested rate increase is necessary to comply with the Kittitas County Resolution No. 2024-148 passed by the Kittitas County Board of Commissioners on August 20, 2024. This resolution reflects an increase in disposal fees from \$143.00 to \$158.00 to become effective on November 1, 2024. The increased rates, if approved by the commission, would increase Company revenue by approximately \$88,000, and residential and commercial garbage rates by 5.6%.

The second purpose of these revisions is to include a recycle service offering for customers in Kittitas County. The county adopted Ordinance No. 2023-008 that requires recycling service for customers with curbside garbage collection service. To comply with this new ordinance, I have provided updated workpapers with the recycling rate for 96-gallon recycling carts serviced every other week. Additionally, I have included commodity rebate workpapers that determine the appropriate projected commodity rebate over the next 12 months. The projected commodity value of the material will be rebated back to customers as a separate line item on their invoice. The requested effective date of the proposed tariff revisions is November 1, 2024.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at:

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