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March 15, 2023

Ms. Amanda Maxwell  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
621 Woodland Square Loop SE,  
Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Submittal, Tariff Number 15, Revised Tariff, Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75.

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Attached please find revised pages for Tariff Number 15, for Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75.

With this filing, we respectfully request the Commission approve a general rate increase to recover new capital, and higher costs for wages, employee benefits, and general operating costs.

The increase is proposed as follows: Residential garbage service \$290,000, 14.67%; commercial garbage service \$237,000, 14.69%; roll-off garbage service \$32,000, 14.37%; and residential recycle service (\$200), (0.97%). There are approximately 5,100 residential garbage; 950 commercial garbage; 18 roll-off garbage and 130 residential recycle customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by the Commission became effective April 1, 2018.

Attached are the proposed tariff pages containing the increased rates, as well as supporting documentation for those changes. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they are intended to become effective on May 1, 2023.

A rate increase notification letter will be mailed to all customers affected by these proposed changes no later than March 31, 2023. A notice letter will also be delivered on or before March 31, 2023 to the office of the Spokane County Council Chair, and Whitman County Council Chair.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 566-6925, or [Lindsay.Waldram@WasteConnections.com](mailto:Lindsay.Waldram@WasteConnections.com).

Sincerely,

Lindsay Waldram  
Senior Pricing Analyst

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75

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Item 51- Restart fees

Companies assessing restart fees must describe when the fees apply, and must state the amount of the fees in this item.

If an account has been stopped due to non-payment a \$18.09 (A) restart fee will be assessed to re-establish service after the past due amount has been paid.

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Item 52- Redelivery fees

Companies assessing delivery fees must describe when the fees apply, and must state the amount of the fees in this item.

If an account has been stopped due to non-payment a container redelivery fee of \$73.88 (A) per container will be assessed.

If an account has been stopped due to non-payment a cart redelivery fee of \$30.15 (A) per container will be assessed.

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75 Customers Outside Spokane County
Registered Trade Name:

Item 55- Over-sized or Over-weight Cans or Units

The company reserves the right to reject pickup of any residential receptacle (can, unit, bag, mini-can, or micro mini-can) which, upon reasonable inspection exceeds the size and weight limits shown in Item 20.

\* If the receptacle exceeds the size and/or limits stated in Item 20, is overfilled, or the top is unable to be closed, but the company transports the materials, the following additional charge will apply:

15 \$5.62 (A) per unit

Note: For charges applying on overweight totes, carts, containers, or drop boxes see item 207.

Item 60- Overtime Periods

Companies will assess additional charges when providing services, at customer request, during overtime periods. Overtime periods include Saturdays, Sundays, and the following holidays:

- New Year's Day (January 1) Labor Day
Memorial Day Thanksgiving
Independence Day (July 4) Christmas Day (December 25)

Time is to be recorded to the nearest increment of 15 minutes from the time the company's vehicle leaves the terminal until the time it returns to the terminal.

No additional charge will be assessed to customers for overtime or holiday work performed solely for the company's convenience.

Charge per hour: \$90.46 (A)

Minimum Charge: \$90.46 (A)

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Registered Trade Name:

Customers Inside Spokane County

Item 55- Over-sized or Over-weight Cans or Units

The company reserves the right to reject pickup of any residential receptacle (can, unit, bag, mini-can, or micro mini-can) which, upon reasonable inspection exceeds the size and weight limits shown in Item 20.

\* If the receptacle exceeds the size and/or limits stated in Item 20, is overfilled, or the top is unable to be closed, but the company transports the materials, the following additional charge will apply:

15 \$6.01 (A) per unit

*Note: For charges applying on overweight toters, carts, containers, or drop boxes see item 207.*

Item 60- Overtime Periods

Companies will assess additional charges when providing services, at customer request, during overtime periods. Overtime periods include Saturdays, Sundays, and the following holidays:

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<u>Memorial Day</u>	<u>Thanksgiving</u>
<u>Independence Day (July 4)</u>	<u>Christmas Day (December 25)</u>
_____	_____

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Registered Trade Name:

Item 70- Return Trips

When a company is required to make a return trip, that does not require the special dispatch or a truck, to pick up material that was unavailable for collection for reasons under the control of the customer, the following additional charges, per pickup, will apply.

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Can, unit, mini-can, or micro-mini can.....	<u>\$11.09</u>	(A)
Drum .....	_____	
Bale .....	_____	
Litter Receptacle .....	_____	
Drop Box .....	<u>\$62.07</u>	(A)
Container .....	<u>\$52.78</u>	(A)

\* NOTE: Return trips requiring the special dispatch of a truck are considered special pickups and are charged for under the provision of Item 160 (Time Rates).

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
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Item 80- Carry-out Service, Drive-Ins

Companies will assess the following additional charges when customers request that company personnel provide carry-out service of cans/units not placed at the curb, the alley, or other point where the company's vehicle can be driven to within five feet of the cans/units using improved access roads commonly available for public use. Driveways are not considered improved access roads commonly available for public use.

15 Charge for Carry-outs	Rates	
	Residential Per Unit Per Pickup	Commercial Per Unit Per Pickup
Cans, units, mini-cans, or micro-mini cans that must be carried out over 5 feet, but not over 25 feet	\$1.10 (A)	\$1.10 (A)
For each additional 25 feet, or fraction of 25 feet, add	\$0.68 (A)	\$0.68 (A)

NOTE: The company may elect to drive in at the rates shown above, except the charge will be limited to one can, unit, mini-cans or micro-mini can. If cans, units, mini-cans, or micro-mini cans are carried over 125 feet, but are safely accessible to the company's vehicle, the drive-in charges below must be assessed instead.

Charge for Drive-ins (per pickup)	Rate	
	Residential Per Pickup	Commercial Per Pickup
Drive-ins on driveways of over 125 feet, but less than 250 feet (C)	\$2.11 (A)	\$2.11 (A)
Drive-ins on driveways of over 250 feet, per mile or fraction thereof. (C)	\$1.34 (A)	\$1.34 (A)
For each 1/10 mile over 1/10 mile.		

Note: For the purpose of assessing drive-in fees, a driveway is defined as providing access to a single residence. If a driveway provides access to multiple residences or accounts, no drive-fees will be assessed.

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
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Item 90 - Can Carriage- Special Services

	Rates	
	Residential Per Unit, Per Pickup	Commercial Per Unit, Per Pickup
15 <b>Stairs or steps-</b> for each step up or down	\$0.46 (A)	\$0.46 (A)
<b>Overhead obstructions-</b> for each overhead obstruction less that 8 feet from the ground.	\$0.46 (A)	\$0.46 (A)
<b>Sunken or elevated cans/units-</b> for cans, units, mini-cans, or micro-mini cans fully or partially under ground or over 4 feet above ground, but not involving stairs or steps	\$0.46 (A)	\$0.46 (A)

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
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Item 100 -- Residential Service -- Monthly Rates (continued on next page)

Rates in this item apply:

- (1) To solid waste collection, curbside recycling (where noted) and yardwaste services (where noted) for residential property. This includes single family dwellings, duplexes, apartments, mobile homes, condominiums, etc., where service is billed directly to the occupant of each residential unit, and/or
  - (2) When required by a local government service level ordinance, solid waste collection, curbside recycling, and yardwaste service must be provided for single-family dwellings, duplexes, mobile homes, condominiums, and apartment buildings of less than \_\_\_\_\_ residential units, where service is billed to the property owner or manager.
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Rates below apply in the following service area: Outside Spokane County for garbage service and within the City of Colfax for recycling service.

Number of Units or Type of Containers	Frequency of Service	Garbage Service Rate		Recycle Service Rate		Yardwaste Service Rate
Mini-can	WG-EOWR	\$19.11	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
1 Can	WG-EOWR	\$24.56	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
2 Can	WG-EOWR	\$32.77	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
3 Can	WG-EOWR	\$43.69	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
4 Can	WG-EOWR	\$56.99	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
5 Can	WG-EOWR	\$69.05	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
6 Can	WG-EOWR	\$81.82	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
65 Gal Toter	WG-EOWR	\$34.92	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
90 Gal Toter	WG-EOWR	\$43.43	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	
1 Can	MG-EOWR	\$15.18	(A)	\$9.91	(R)	

Frequency of Service Codes: WG=Weekly Garbage; EOWG=Every Other Week Garbage; MG=Monthly Garbage; WR=Weekly Recycling  
EOWR=Every Other Week Recycling; MR=Monthly Recycling; List others used by company:  
R=with recycling, NR=non Recycling

- Note 1: Description/rules related to recycling program are shown on page 28.
  - Note 2: Description/rules related to yardwaste program are shown on page N/A.
  - Note 3: In addition to the rates shown above, a recycling Commodity credit/ debit of \$ N/A applies.
  - Note 4: A fee of \$63.22 (A) will be charged if garbage or recycling carts are not returned to the company in usable condition when service is stopped due to request of the customer or by the company for reasons including, but not limited to, delinquency.
  - Note 5: As a benefit to employees, the Company will provide free service to active employees. This service is defined as a maximum of a 96 gallon cart serviced weekly. (C)
- Notes for this item are continued on next page.

**Recycling service rates on this page expire on: N/A.**

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Item 100 -- Residential Service -- Monthly Rates (continued on next page)

Rates in this item apply:

- (1) To solid waste collection, curbside recycling (where noted) and yardwaste services (where noted) for residential property. This includes single family dwellings, duplexes, apartments, mobile homes, condominiums, etc., where service is billed directly to the occupant of each residential unit, and/or
- (2) When required by a local government service level ordinance, solid waste collection, curbside recycling, and yardwaste service must be provided for single-family dwellings, duplexes, mobile homes, condominiums, and apartment buildings of less than N/A residential units, where service is billed 15

Rates below apply in the following service area: Inside Spokane County for garbage service.

Number of Units or Type of Containers	Frequency of Service	Garbage Service Rate		Recycle Service Rate	Yardwaste Service Rate	Number of Units or Type of Containers	Frequency of Service	Garbage Service Rate	Recycle Service Rate	Yardwaste Service Rate
Mini-can	WG	\$20.40 (A)								
1 Can	WG	\$25.28 (A)								
2 Can	WG	\$35.75 (A)								
3 Can	WG	\$51.12 (A)								
4 Can	WG	\$73.64 (A)								
5 Can	WG	\$90.14 (A)								
6 Can	WG	\$104.81 (A)								
65 Gal Toter	WG	\$37.96 (A)								
90 Gal Toter	WG	\$47.65 (A)								
1 Can	MG	\$15.72 (A)								

Frequency of Service Codes: WG=Weekly Garbage; EOWG=Every Other Week Garbage; MG=Monthly Garbage; WR=Weekly Recycling  
 EOWR=Every Other Week Recycling; MR=Monthly Recycling; List others used by company:  
 R=with recycling, NR=non Recycling

Note 1: A fee of \$63.22 (A) will be charged if garbage or recycling carts are not returned to the company in usable condition when service is stopped due to request of the customer or by the company for reasons including, but not limited to, delinquency.

Note 2: As a benefit to employees, the Company will provide free service to active employees. This service is defined as a maximum of a 96 gallon cart serviced weekly. (C)

Notes for this items are continued on next page.

**Recycling service rates on this page expire on: N/A.**

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Customers Outside Spokane County

Registered Trade Name:

Item 100- Residential Service- Monthly Rates (continued from previous page)

Note 4: Customers will be charged for service requested even if fewer units are picked up on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled cans. No credit will be given if customer fails to set receptacles out for collection.

Note 5: For customers on automated service routes: The company will assess roll-out charges where, due to  
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toter more than N/A feet in order to reach the truck. The charge for this roll-out service is: \$ N/A  
per cart or toter, per pickup.

Note 6: The charge for an occasional extra residential bag, can, unit, toter, mini-can, or micro-mini can on a regular pickup is:

Type of receptacle	Rate per receptacle, per pickup	
Can or Unit	\$5.62	(A)
Bag	\$5.62	(A)
Other		
Other		

Note 7: Customers may request no more than one pickup per month, on an "on call" basis, at \$16.67 (A) per can/unit. Service will be rendered on the normal scheduled pickup day for the area in which the customer resides. Note: If customer requires service be provided on the other than normal scheduled pickup day, rates for special pickups will apply.

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Inside Spokane County

Item 100- Residential Service- Monthly Rates (continued from previous page)

Note 4: Customers will be charged for service requested even if fewer units are picked up on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled cans. No credit will be given if customer fails to set receptacles out for collection.

Note 5: For customers on automated service routes: The company will assess roll-out charges where, due to 15 circumstances outside the control of the driver, the driver is required to move an automated cart or toter more than N/A feet in order to reach the truck. The charge for this roll-out service is: \$ N/A per cart or toter, per pickup.

Note 6: The charge for an occasional extra residential bag, can, unit, toter, mini-can, or micro-mini can on a regular pickup is:

Type of receptacle	Rate per receptacle, per pickup
Can or Unit	\$6.01 (A)
Bag	\$6.01 (A)
Micro- mini can	
60 gallon toter	
90 gallon toter	
Other	
Other	

Note 7: Customers may request no more than one pickup per month, on an "on call" basis, at \$17.22 (A) per can/unit. Service will be rendered on the normal scheduled pickup day for the area in which the customer resides. Note: If customer requires service be provided on the other than normal scheduled pickup day, rates for special pickups will apply.

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Registered Trade Name:

Customers Outside Spokane County

Item 120- Drums

Type of Service	Rate Per Drum, Per Pickup
Regular Route Service	
Special Pickup	

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Item 130- Litter Receptacles and Litter Toters

Customer- owned Receptacles	Rate Per Pickup, per container Min. per month
Size or Type: 90 Gallon	
Size or Type:	
Company- owned Receptacles	
Size or Type:	
Size or Type:	

Item 150- Loose and Bulky Material

Special trips: Time rates in Item 160 apply.

Regular Route:

	1 to 4 cubic yards Rate Per Yard	Additional cubic yards Rate Per Yard	Minimum Charge Per Pickup	Carry Charge Per each 5 feet over 8 feet
Bulky materials	\$27.82 (A)	\$27.82 (A)	\$27.82 (A)	\$3.61 (A)
Loose materials (customer load)				
Loose materials (company load)	\$27.82 (A)	\$27.82 (A)	\$27.82 (A)	\$3.61 (A)

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
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Customers Inside Spokane County

Item 120- Drums

Type of Service	Rate Per Drum, Per Pickup
Regular Route Service	
Special Pickup	

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Item 130- Litter Receptacles and Litter Toters

Customer- owned Receptacles	Rate Per Pickup, per container Min. per month
Size or Type: 90 Gallon	
Size or Type:	
Company- owned Receptacles	
Size or Type: 90 gallon	
Size or Type:	

Item 150- Loose and Bulky Material

Special trips: Time rates in Item 160 apply.

Regular Route:

	1 to 4 cubic yards Rate Per Yard	Additional cubic yards Rate Per Yard	Minimum Charge Per Pickup	Carry Charge Per each 5 feet over 8 feet
Bulky materials	\$30.31 (A)	\$30.31 (A)	\$30.31 (A)	\$3.61 (A)
Loose materials (customer load)				
Loose materials (company load)	\$30.31 (A)	\$30.31 (A)	\$30.31 (A)	\$3.61 (A)

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Customers Outside Spokane County

Registered Trade Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Item 160- Time Rates

**When time rates apply.** Time rates named in this Item apply:

- \* When material must be taken to a special site for disposal;
- \* When a company's equipment must wait at, or return to, a customer's site to provide scheduled service due to no disability, fault, or negligence on the part of the company. Actual waiting time or time taken in returning to the site will be charged for; or
- \* 15  
to this Item.

**How rates are recorded and charged.** Time must be recorded and carded for to the nearest increment of 15 minutes. Time rates apply for the period from the time the company's vehicle leaves the company's terminal until it returns to the terminal, excluding interruptions. An interruption is a situation causing stoppage of service that is in the control of the company and not in the control of the customer. Examples include: coffee breaks, lunch breaks, breakdown of equipment, and similar occurrences.

**Disposal fees in addition to time rates.** Item 230 disposal fees for the specific disposal site or facility used will apply in addition to time rates.

Rates per hour:

Type of equipment ordered	Rate Per Hour		
	Truck and Driver	Each Extra Person	Minimum Charge
<u>Single rear drive axle:</u>			
non-packer truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)
packer truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)
drop-box truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)
<u>Tandem rear drive axle:</u>			
non-packer truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)
packer truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)
drop-box truck	\$140.70 (A)	\$43.46 (A)	\$140.70 (A)

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Registered Trade Name:

Customers Inside Spokane County

Item 160- Time Rates

**When time rates apply.** Time rates named in this Item apply:

- \* When material must be taken to a special site for disposal;
  - \* When a company's equipment must wait at, or return to, a customer's site to provide scheduled service due to no disability, fault, or negligence on the part of the company. Actual waiting time or time taken in returning to the site will be charged for; or
  - \* When a customer orders a single, special, or emergency pickup, or when other items in this tariff refer
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**How rates are recorded and charged.** Time must be recorded and carded for to the nearest increment of 15 minutes. Time rates apply for the period from the time the company's vehicle leaves the company's terminal until it returns to the terminal, excluding interruptions. An interruption is a situation causing stoppage of service that is in the control of the company and not in the control of the customer. Examples include: coffee breaks, lunch breaks, breakdown of equipment, and similar occurrences.

**Disposal fees in addition to time rates.** Item 230 disposal fees for the specific disposal site or facility used will apply in addition to time rates.

Rates per hour:

Type of equipment ordered	Rate Per Hour		
	Truck and Driver	Each Extra Person	Minimum Charge
<u>Single rear drive axle:</u>			
non-packer truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)
packer truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)
drop-box truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)
<u>Tandem rear drive axle:</u>			
non-packer truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)
packer truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)
drop-box truck	\$124.85 (A)	\$48.99 (A)	\$124.85 (A)

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Registered Trade Name:

Item 205- Roll-Out Charges- Containers, automated carts, and toters

**Charges for containers.** The company will assess roll-out charges where, due to circumstances outside the control of the driver, the driver is required to move a container more than five feet, but less than 25 feet, in order to reach the truck. The charge for this roll-out service is:

\$15.00 per container, per pickup

Over 25 feet, the charge will be the charge for 25 feet, plus \$0.69 (A) per increment of 5 feet.

**Charges for automated carts or toters.** The company will assess roll-out charges where, due to circumstances outside the control of the driver, the driver is required to move an automated cart or toter more than 5 feet in order to reach the truck. The charge for this roll-out service is:

\$5.12 (A) per cart or toter, per pickup

Over 25 feet, the charge will be the charge for 25 feet, plus \$0.34 (A) per increment of 5 feet.

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item 210- Washing and Sanitizing and/or Drop Boxes

Upon customer request, the company will provide washing and sanitizing service at the following rates:

All Sizes Container and Drop Boxes	Rate per yard	Minimum charge
	15 Washing	\$6.80 (A)
Steam Cleaning	\$8.30 (A)	\$24.88 (A)
Sanitizing	\$15.83 (A)	\$47.52 (A)

Pickup and redelivery charge:  
 Up to 8 yards ..... \$33.17 (A)  
 Over 8 yards ..... \$49.75 (A)

Item 220- Compactor Rental

Customers must pay the following additional charges for compactors furnished by the company. Charges named for the compactors only and do not include drop box or container charges. See item 250 and 270 for container charges.

Customers must pay the cost of installation.

Rated cubic yard Capacity of charge box	Monthly rental charge:
1 cubic yard	
2 cubic yards	
3 cubic yards	
4 cubic yards	

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
Registered Trade Name:

Item 240- Container Service- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
Non-Compacted Material (Company- owned container)  
Rates stated per container, per pickup

Service Area: Inside Spokane County

Permanent Service	Size or Type of Container													
	1 Yard		1.5 Yard		2 Yard		3 Yard		4 Yard		6 Yard		8 Yard	
15														
Monthly Rent, if applicable	\$13.91	(A)	\$16.71	(A)	\$22.95	(A)	\$28.33	(A)	\$32.07	(A)	\$42.48	(A)	\$51.36	(A)
First Pickup	\$24.00	(A)	\$35.90	(A)	\$47.65	(A)	\$67.01	(A)	\$88.70	(A)	\$128.44	(A)	\$167.79	(A)
Each Additional Pickup	\$24.00	(A)	\$35.90	(A)	\$47.65	(A)	\$67.01	(A)	\$88.70	(A)	\$128.44	(A)	\$167.79	(A)
Special Pickups	\$62.82	(A)	\$89.28	(A)	\$104.29	(A)	\$137.64	(A)	\$162.03	(A)	\$217.78	(A)	\$270.03	(A)
Temporary Service	3 months or less													
Initial Delivery	\$71.52	(A)	\$71.52	(A)	\$71.52	(A)	\$71.52	(A)	\$71.52	(A)	\$81.20	(A)	\$81.20	(A)
Pickup Rate	\$29.17	(A)	\$43.85	(A)	\$56.19	(A)	\$79.17	(A)	\$105.57	(A)	\$149.62	(A)	\$200.85	(A)
Rent Per Calendar Day	\$3.07	(A)	\$3.07	(A)	\$3.07	(A)	\$3.07	(A)	\$3.07	(A)	\$6.77	(A)	\$9.76	(A)
Rent Per Month	\$30.68	(A)	\$33.75	(A)	\$46.01	(A)	\$55.20	(A)	\$61.34	(A)	\$81.20	(A)	\$117.27	(A)

- Note 1: Permanent Service: Service is defined as no less than scheduled, every other week pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved. Customer will be charged for service requested, even if fewer containers are serviced on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled containers.
- Note 2: Permanent Service: If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.
- Note 3: In addition to all other applicable charges, a charge of See Item 150 per yard (assessed on a pro rata basis) will be assessed if containers are filled past their visible full limit, container lids will not close due to overfilling or if additional materials are placed on or near the containers.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):  
Gate charge \$8.96 (A) per pickup.                                  Unlocking charge \$3.26 (A) per pickup.

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75

Registered Trade Name:

Item- 245-Container Service- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Non- Compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Includes Commercial Can Service  
 Rats stated per container, per pickup

Service Area: Customers Outside Spokane County

Permanent Service	Size or Type of Container		
	32 gallon can or unit	65 Toter	90 Toter
15			
Each Scheduled Pickup	\$5.72 (A)	\$10.63 (A)	\$12.77 (A)
Over 5 grouped together	\$5.72 (A)		
Over 5 not grouped together	\$5.72 (A)		
Each Add'l unit	\$5.72 (A)		
Special Pickups	\$15.38 (A)	\$20.98 (A)	\$25.13 (A)
Monthly Minimum Chg.	\$24.84 (A)	\$46.05 (A)	\$55.35 (A)
Temporary Service			
Pickup Rate			

Note 1: Permanent Service: Service is defined as no less than scheduled, every other week pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved. Customer will be charged for service requested, even if fewer containers are serviced on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled containers.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item- 245-Container Service- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Non- Compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Includes Commercial Can Service  
 Rats stated per container, per pickup

Service Area: Customers Inside Spokane County

Permanent Service	Size or Type of Container		
	32 gallon can or unit	65 Toter	90 Toter
15			
Each Scheduled Pickup	\$5.70 (A)	\$11.12 (A)	\$13.69 (A)
Over 5 grouped together	\$5.70 (A)		
Over 5 not grouped together	\$5.70 (A)		
Each Add'l unit	\$5.70 (A)		
Special Pickups	\$16.08 (A)	\$21.94 (A)	\$26.97 (A)
Monthly Minimum Chg.	\$25.72 (A)	\$48.11 (A)	\$59.32 (A)
Temporary Service			
Pickup Rate			

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Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item 255-Container Service- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Rates stated per container, per pick up

Service Area: Outside Spokane County

Permanent Service	Size of Type of Container													
	1 Yard		1.5 Yard		2 Yard		3 Yard		4 Yard		6 Yard		8 Yard	
15														
First Pickup	\$71.05	(A)	\$108.18	(A)	\$143.80	(A)	\$202.79	(A)	\$269.40	(A)	\$370.38	(A)	\$439.29	(A)
Each Additional Pickup	\$71.05	(A)	\$108.18	(A)	\$143.80	(A)	\$202.79	(A)	\$269.40	(A)	\$370.38	(A)	\$439.29	(A)
Special Pickups	\$121.30	(A)	\$188.35	(A)	\$246.34	(A)	\$360.77	(A)	\$479.62	(A)	\$617.52	(A)	\$738.84	(A)
Temporary Service														
Pickup Rate														

- Note 1: Rates in this item are subject to disposal fees named in Item 230.
- Note 2: Rates named in this item apply for all hauls not exceeding 10 miles measured from the point of pickup to the disposal site. Excess miles shall be charged for at \$7.93 (A) per mile or fraction of a mile. Mileage charge is in addition to all regular charges.
- Note 3: Permanent Service  
 a) Service is defined as no less than scheduled, once a month pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved.  
 b) If a drop box is retained by a customer for a full month and no pickups are ordered, the monthly rent shall be charged, but no charges will be assessed for pickups. Monthly rental charges will be prorated when a drop box is retained for only a portion of a month.  
 c) If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item-255- Container Service- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Rates state per container, per pickup

Service Area: Inside Spokane County

Permanent Service 15	Size or Type of Container													
	1 Yard		1.5 Yard		2 Yard		3 Yard		4 Yard		6 Yard		8 Yard	
First Pickup	\$81.36	(A)	\$104.39	(A)	\$138.80	(A)	\$195.00	(A)	\$258.30	(A)	\$374.51	(A)	\$409.99	(A)
Each Additional Pickup	\$81.36	(A)	\$104.39	(A)	\$138.80	(A)	\$195.00	(A)	\$258.30	(A)	\$374.51	(A)	\$409.99	(A)
Special Pickups	\$144.66	(A)	\$199.13	(A)	\$263.96	(A)	\$394.70	(A)	\$522.19	(A)	\$664.57	(A)	\$775.40	(A)
Temporary Service														
Pickup Rate														

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 Note 3: Permanent Service:  
 a) Service is defined as no less than scheduled, once a month pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved.  
 b) If a drop box is retained by a customer for a full month and no pickups are ordered, the monthly rent shall be charged, but no charges will be assessed for pickups. Monthly rent charges will be prorated when a drop box is retained for only a portion of a month.  
 b) If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item 260- Drop Box Service- To Disposal Site and Return  
 Non-Compacted Material (Company-owned drop box)  
 Rates stated per drop box, per pick up

Service Area: Customers Outside Spokane County

Permanent S:	15	Size or Type of Container													
		15 Yard		18 Yard		20 Yard		25 Yard		30 Yard		35 Yard		40 Yard	
Monthly Rent, if applicable		\$56.12 (A)		\$56.12 (A)		\$56.12 (A)		\$71.12 (A)		\$72.10 (A)		\$72.10 (A)		\$96.91 (A)	
First Pickup		\$213.93 (A)		\$235.76 (A)		\$258.56 (A)		\$316.58 (A)		\$353.94 (A)		\$410.42 (A)		\$453.50 (A)	
Each Additional Pickup		\$157.66 (A)		\$179.50 (A)		\$202.34 (A)		\$245.27 (A)		\$281.63 (A)		\$338.12 (A)		\$356.30 (A)	
Special Pickups															
Temporary Service															
Initial Delivery		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)		\$97.32 (A)	
Pickup Rate		\$186.97 (A)		\$212.30 (A)		\$237.20 (A)		\$292.45 (A)		\$338.12 (A)		\$396.93 (A)		\$432.74 (A)	
Rent per Calendar Day		\$3.05 (A)		\$3.37 (A)		\$3.69 (A)		\$4.41 (A)		\$4.80 (A)		\$5.12 (A)		\$5.53 (A)	
Rent Per Month		\$91.62 (A)		\$101.11 (A)		\$110.60 (A)		\$132.47 (A)		\$144.03 (A)		\$153.93 (A)		\$165.49 (A)	

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 Note 3: Permanent Service:  
 a) Service is defined as no less than scheduled, once a month pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved.  
 b) If a drop box is retained by a customer for a full month and no pickups are ordered, the monthly rent shall be charged, but no charges will be assessed for pickups. Monthly charges will be prorated when a drop box is retained for only a portion of a month.  
 c) If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name:

Item 260- Drop Box Service- To Disposal Site and Return  
 Non-Compacted Material (Company-owned drop box)  
 Rates stated per drop box, per pick up

Service Area: Customers Inside Spokane County

Permanent S	Size or Type of Container												
	15 Yard		18 Yard		20 Yard		25 Yard		30 Yard		35 Yard		40 Yard
Monthly Rent, if applicable	\$54.19 (A)		\$59.70 (A)		\$64.31 (A)		\$74.42 (A)		\$83.90 (A)		\$83.90 (A)		\$103.79 (A)
First Pickup	\$222.25 (A)		\$251.75 (A)		\$280.45 (A)		\$338.44 (A)		\$387.87 (A)		\$421.62 (A)		\$487.63 (A)
Each Additional Pickup	\$167.90 (A)		\$191.87 (A)		\$215.97 (A)		\$263.83 (A)		\$303.73 (A)		\$337.47 (A)		\$383.55 (A)
Special Pickup													
<b>Temporary Service</b>													
Initial Delivery	\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)		\$100.09 (A)
Pickup Rate	\$198.14 (A)		\$227.64 (A)		\$254.21 (A)		\$314.35 (A)		\$363.82 (A)		\$413.58 (A)		\$466.74 (A)
Rent Per Calendar Day	\$3.05 (A)		\$3.37 (A)		\$3.69 (A)		\$4.41 (A)		\$4.80 (A)		\$5.12 (A)		\$5.53 (A)
Rent Per Month	\$91.62 (A)		\$101.11 (A)		\$110.60 (A)		\$132.47 (A)		\$144.03 (A)		\$153.93 (A)		\$165.49 (A)

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 Note 3: Permanent Service:  
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 b) If a drop box is retained by a customer for a full month and no pickups are ordered, the monthly rent shall be charged, but no charges will be assessed for pickups. Monthly charges will be prorated when a drop box is retained for only a portion of a month.  
 c) If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

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Company Name/Permit Number: Empire Disposal, Inc. G-75  
 Registered Trade Name(s)

Item 275 -- Drop Box Service -- To Disposal Site and Return  
 Compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Rates stated per drop box, per pickup

Service Area:

	Size or Type of Container					
	15 Yard	20 Yard	25 Yard	30 Yard	35 Yard	38 Yard
<b>Permanent Service</b>						
Each Scheduled Pickup	\$ 186.97	\$ 237.20	\$292.49	\$ 338.12	\$ 385.68	\$ 403.09
Special Pickups	\$ 186.97	\$ 237.20	\$292.49	\$ 338.12	\$ 385.68	\$ 403.09
<b>Temporary Service</b>						
Pickup Rate						

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 Note 3: Permanent Service is defined as no less than scheduled, once a month pickup, unless local government ordinances require more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, unlocking, unlatching, etc.)

(b) When a collector is required to disconnect/reconnect a customer owned compactor from a drop box or container prior to taking it out to be dumped and then reconnecting the compactor when the drop box or container is returned to the customers site, the following charge will apply: \$29.64 (A) per load.

(c) When a collector is required to open, unlock or close a gate in order to pick up solid waste, the following charge will apply per pickup: \$3.04 (A).

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