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Mike Nelson, Mayor City of Edmonds Edmonds City Hall 121 5th Avenue North Edmonds, WA 98020

Via Carolyn LaFave, Executive Assistant to the Mayor: <a href="mayor:carolyn.lafave@edmondswa.gov">carolyn.lafave@edmondswa.gov</a>

RE: Rabanco Ltd. / Lynnwood Disposal Tariff filing

Dear Mayor Nelson,

Enclosed please find a copy of the transmittal letter notifying the Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission (WUTC) of a proposed rate increase to WUTC Tariff No. 4 for Rabanco Ltd, Certificate G-12, (dba Lynnwood Disposal). The service area of this company includes the City of Edmonds.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Rick Waldren Business Unit Finance Manager Republic Services rwaldren@republicservices.com p. (425) 646-2423



January 24, 2023

Amanda Maxwell
Executive Director & Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Rabanco Ltd. / Lynnwood Disposal / Republic Services Tariff Revision (General Rate Case)

Dear Ms. Maxwell,

Enclosed please find proposed tariff No. 4 of Rabanco LTD, Certificate G-12 (DBA Lynnwood Disposal), the purpose of which is a general rate increase request. It has been more than a year since our last general increase on these rates and in that time we have experienced inflationary pressures on key operating costs and made investments in strategic operating assets. The proposed rates will offset increases in labor, recycling and organics processing costs, healthcare, pension and other general operating expenses. If approved by the Commission, the overall revenue requirement increase reflected in this filing would approximate 9.33% or \$1,208,502.

The proposed rates impact services provided as follows:

	% Revenue Change	\$ Revenue Change	Estimated Rate Impacts
Garbage:	+8.29%	\$ 644,541	8.1%
Recycling:	+6.09%	\$ 159,181	5.9%
Yardwaste:	+19.95%	\$ 376,888	19.5%
Multi-Family	+3.14%	\$ 21,176	3.1%
Recycling:			

As required by Commission rules, a copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to Snohomish County which is impacted by this filing. Customer notification letters will be mailed on or before March 1, 2023. We will file a final copy of the customer notices with your office prior to the mailing.

Sincerely,

Rick Waldren BU Finance Manager Republic Services rwaldren@republicservices.com p. (425) 646-2423