BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND)	DOCKET TG-060411
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,)	
)	ORDER 02
Complainant,)	
V.)	
)	
Rabanco Ltd. And Rabanco Recycling,)	
Inc., d/b/a Eastside Disposal Co., Inc.)	
G-12)	ORDER DISMISSING
)	COMPLAINT AND MAKING
)	TEMPORARY RATES
Respondent.)	PERMANENT
)	
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BACKGROUND

- I On March 16, 2006, Rabanco Ltd. and Rabanco recycling, Inc., d/b/a Eastside Disposal Co., Inc. (Eastside) filed with the Commission changes to its Tariff No. 11 with a stated effective date of May 1, 2006.
- 2 On April 26, 2006, the Commission entered a Complaint and Order Suspending Tariff Revisions and allowed temporary rates subject to refund to become effective May 1, 2006.
- ³ The filing was suspended because the tentative contract for union drivers had been agreed to but not yet ratified by the membership. That vote occurred on May 7, 2006, and has now become official. The labor and fringe benefit cost increases built into revised rates has therefore been confirmed.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

4 (1) The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission is an agency of the State of Washington vested by statute with the authority to regulate rates, rules, regulations, practices, accounts, securities, and transfers of public service companies, including solid waste companies. *RCW 80.01.040; Chapter 81.01 RCW; Chapter 81.04 RCW; Chapter 81.28 RCW and Chapter 81.77 RCW.*

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- 5 (2) Eastside is a solid waste company and is a public service company subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 6 (3) This matter was brought before the Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting on May 17, 2006.
- 7 (4) The tariff revisions(s) presently under suspension are fair, just and reasonable.
- 8 (5) After review of the tariff revision(s) filed in Docket TG-060411 by Eastside and giving due consideration, the Commission finds it is consistent with the public interest that the Complaint and Order Suspending Tariff Revision(s) in Docket TG-060411, dated April 26, 2006, be dismissed and the tariff revision(s) contained within Tariff No. 11 become permanently effective immediately.

O R D E R

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 9 (1) The Complaint and Order Suspending Tariff Revision(s) in Docket TG-060411, dated April 26, 2006, is dismissed.
- 10 (2) The Eastside tariff revisions filed in this docket on March 16, 2006, shall become permanently effective immediately.

The Commissioners, having determined this Order to be consistent with the public interest, directed the Secretary to enter this Order.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective May 17, 2006.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

CAROLE J. WASHBURN, Executive Secretary