November 16, 2023

Ms. Kathy Hunter
Acting Director and Executive Secretary
Attn: Records Section
Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Submittal, Tariff Number 25, for Murrey's Disposal Co., Inc./Olympic Disposal, G-9.

Dear Ms. Hunter:

Our Company was notified by the City of Port Angeles that the tipping fee in Clallam County will increase from $144.99 to $195.42 per ton, a 34.78% increase. This will increase revenue and expense for the residential customers by approximately $425,000 (11.18%); commercial customers by $261,300 (13.76%); and drop box service by $267,965 (34.78%) for a 12-month period. There are approximately 11,000 residential, 1,000 commercial and 49 drop box customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase for Olympic Disposal was approved by the Commission, June 1, 2011. The Company submitted a general rate increase on September 15th, 2023 and is in ongoing discussion with staff regarding settlement. If the Company and Staff can settle the general rate case (TG-230778) the Company respectively asks to consolidate this Dump Fee filing with TG-230778 per WAC 480-07-320.

We respectfully ask that this filing be accepted under LSN, per WAC 480-70-276 for customer notification. If the LSN is accepted and these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the rates will become effective on January 1, 2024. Pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(iii), affected customers will receive notification of this change on the billing reflecting the revised rates.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 566.6925, or via email at brian.vandenburg@WasteConnections.com.

Sincerely,

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