

MASON COUNTY UTILITIES & WASTE MANAGEMENT

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David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re:

TG-111681, Mason County Garbage Company, G-88, Comment by Mason County in

Support of Revenue Share Retention Plan

Dear Mr. Danner:

I am the Interim Solid Waste Manager for Mason County and write in my capacity to certify Mason County Garbage Company's compliance with the local Solid Waste Management Plan. Our Plan outlines the recycling strategies the County and our local hauler will collaboratively implement and operate to provide for the residents of our community. The proposed 2011-2012 plan for revenue share demonstrates through various, multiple methods how the revenues will be used to increase recycling in order to qualify for the 30% revenue share retention authorized by state law. We further understand that at the end of this reporting year's plan next fall, the County and the Commission will separately review expenditures under the program consistent with state law.

Mason County Garbage has previously demonstrated to the satisfaction of the County that its solid waste and recycling collection system in 2009, 2010 and 2011 has achieved goals and objectives outlined in the Solid Waste Management Plan, the Revenue Sharing Plan and the applicable Mason County Ordinance, #147-08.

Thank you for your consideration of the above and please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Yours truly

John A. Cunningham, P.E. Interim Solid Waste Manager

cc:

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