

Peninsula Sanitation Services, Inc.

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RATE INCREASE NOTICE FOR COMMERCIAL CONTAINER AND CAN SERVICES

Dear Customer:

June 30, 2023

Peninsula Sanitation Services, Inc. has filed a request for a rate increase with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC). The last general rate increase was approved by the UTC September 1, 2020. Since that time, the Company has experienced higher costs for employee wages, benefits, fuel, truck equipment and has purchased additional capital assets.

If approved, the proposed rates below will become effective August 1, 2023. The rates will increase as follows:

	Current Rate	Proposed Dump Fee Increase	Proposed General Rate Increase	Proposed Rate
	Per Pickup	Per Pickup	Per Pickup	Per Pickup
Commercial Container Services:				
1-60 gal cart	\$ 8.95	\$ 0.27	\$ 1.43	\$ 10.65
1-90 gal cart	10.31	0.40	1.64	12.35
1-300 gal cart	31.63	1.46	5.04	38.13
60 & 90 gal cart overweight or overfill	7.84	0.73	1.25	9.82
1-60 gal cart – rent per month	10.53		1.68	12.21
1-90 gal cart - rent per month	11.58		1.84	13.42
1-300 gal cart – rent per month	17.21		2.74	19.95
1-300 gal temporary cart - per calendar day	1.32		0.21	1.53
Wheels - per month	4.63		0.74	5.37
Unlocking/Unlatching/Gate Opening	5.68		0.90	6.58

Other Garbage Services not listed will increase on average 15.93% for the Rate Case and 4.46% for the dump fee increase.

If you have any questions regarding this increase, please contact Peninsula Sanitation Service, Inc. between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday at (360) 642-2541.

The UTC has the authority to set final rates that may be either lower or higher from the company's request, depending on the results of its investigation. UTC staff will make a recommendation to the Commissioners at an open meeting which is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 27, 2023, at 621 Woodland Square Loop SE, Lacey. You will have an opportunity to provide your comments at this meeting either in person or remotely. If you intend to listen or participate remotely, call 360-664-1234 at least a day before the open meeting for instructions and to sign in. You should also call this number if you plan to attend in person to verify that the case has not been rescheduled to a later open meeting date. If you need reasonable accommodations to participate in this open meeting (or public comment hearing, workshop, etc.) please contact the Commission at 888-333-9882 or email at Consumer@utc.wa.gov.

You can also comment by using the "Submit a Public Comment" feature at the UTC's Web site at www.utc.wa.gov or by using the contact information below.

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Sincerely,

Management
Peninsula Sanitation Service, Inc.