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Mr. Steven King Executive Director/Secretary Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW Olympia, WA 98504

Re: Basin Disposal of WA., LLC d/b/a Basin Disposal of Walla Walla - G-165 Disposal Cost Recovery Filing

On behalf of Basin Disposal of WA., LLC d/b/a Basin Disposal of Walla Walla - G-165 I am filing certain revised tariff pages and other documents requesting a rate increase effective April 1, 2015. This filing is necessitated by disposal increase at the Sudbury Road Landfill owned and operated by the City of Walla Walla, WA.

If this filing is approved by the Commission, the hauler's overall revenue will increase approximately 8.9%, or \$155,461. The revenue breakdown is:

	Gross	Approximate
	Revenue	Customer
	Increase	Percent Increase
Residential	\$ 100,872	7.24%
Commercial	20,182	7.85%
Drop Box Disposal Pass Thru	34,407	29.60%
	\$ <u>155,461</u>	

This filing is for recovery of disposal fees pursuant to RCW 81.77.160. The Company hauled 8,797 tons of refuse for regulated customers during this past year ended December 31, 2014. A copy of the City of Walla Walla's Ordinance No. 2014-36 is included with the documents being filed.

Included with this filing is an Excel workbook titled Walla Walla Disposal Fee Worksheet Final.xlsx which is a disposal workbook furnished by staff. This workbook has rate calculations, customer counts, price-outs both current and from a prior case TG-091764, residential & commercial tonnage summaries and drop box hauling tonnage.

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Basin Disposal of Walla Walla previous rate case was filed In November 2009 under Docket TG-091764, which rates were effective June 1, 2010. Since that case was completed, overall customers' pickups have increased from 4,762 to 4,909, however revenues have decreased from \$1,447,593 to \$1,435,806, or approximately one percent (1%). In the Excel workbook there is a page tabbed "Price Out" which details the customer census and revenues.

Revised tariff pages are included with filing in an Excel workbook titled Basin Disposal of Walla Walla Tariff No. 14.XLS.

The Company will be including customer notices with customer billings at the end of the month. A copy of the notice will be filed with the Commission at that time.

The Company is also requesting exemption from portions of WAC 480-07-520(4) - General rate proceedings-Solid Waste Collection Companies. A Petition for Exemption is being filed today under separate cover by David Wiley with the Records Center.

Weldon T. Burton CPA is authorized to file these documents on behalf of Basin Disposal of WA., LLC d/b/a Basin Disposal of Walla Walla. A copy of the authorization is included with the filing documents.

A copy of this letter has been sent to Perry L. Dozier, Chairman of the Walla Walla County Board of Commissioners.

Yours truly,

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cc: Darrick Dietrich, Basin Disposal of WA., LLC
Perry L. Dozier, Chairman of the Walla Walla County Board of Commissioners