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Waste Connections of Washington, Inc. 12115 NE 99<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1830 Vancouver, WA 98682

November 8, 2017

Mr. Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Attn: Records Section
Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission
1300 S Evergreen Park Dr SW
Olympia WA 98504-7250

RE: Tariff Submittal, Tariff Number 2, Waste Connections of Washington, Inc. G-253.

Dear Mr. King:

Our company has been notified that the tipping fee in Clark County will increase from \$88.88 to \$93.22 per ton a 5.1% increase, effective January 1, 2018. We project this will increase revenue for residential service by \$211,000 (1.9%); for commercial service by \$104,000 (2%); and drop box service by \$118,000 (5.1%) for a 12-month period. There are approximately 65,000 residential, 3,900 commercial and 300 drop box customers affected by this change. The last general rate increase approved by the Commission was effective October 1, 2008. The Company intends to file its next general rate increase request within the next 90 days.

Attached are revised tariff pages and supporting documentation containing the revised rates. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they will become effective January 1, 2018. Pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(iii), affected customers will receive notification of the change on the first billing reflecting the revision to rates.

We also request that the Commission, on its own Motion under WAC 480-07-370 (b), allow this disposal fee filing as an exception to the general rate case workpaper rule at WAC 480-07-520.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 695-4923 or via email at heatherg@wcnx.org.

Sincerely,

Heather Garland Pricing Manager