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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW  
Olympia, WA 98504

**Re: King County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan, Draft, January 2018**

To whom it may concern:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) received King County's Draft Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan and formal request for review via e-mail on January 8, 2018. Today, I am forwarding that request along with this cover letter to request formally Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC) review of the Plan.

Per RCW 70.95.096, Ecology is to provide the UTC with a copy of any Preliminary Draft Local Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan upon receipt. The UTC shall then review the Plan's assessment of solid waste collection cost impacts on rates charged by solid waste collection companies regulated under Chapter 81.77 RCW, and advise the submitting county and Ecology of the probable effect of the Plan's recommendations on those rates. Comments from the UTC should be sent within 45 days from the date the plan is received by the UTC. Please forward copies of your correspondence regarding this Plan with King County to me, and also please inform me of the date when this item will be presented at the UTC public meeting.

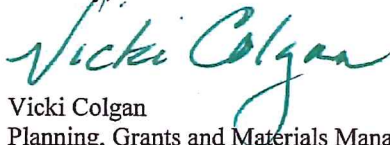
I look forward to receiving your input, and may be reached at:

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Thank you for your review!

Sincerely,

  
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Planning, Grants and Materials Management

Enclosure: King County Draft Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan Draft, January 2018

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