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RATE INCREASE NOTICE FOR RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE AND RECYCLING SERVICES

Dear Customer:

November 30, 2018

Vashon Disposal has filed a request for a rate increase with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (WUTC). The last general rate increase was approved by the WUTC January 1, 2013. Since that time, we have experienced higher costs for employee wages, benefits, fuel, truck equipment and have completed facility improvements.

If approved, the proposed rates below will become effective January 1, 2019. The rate per pick-up will increase as follows:

	Proposed		
	Current Rate Per Month	Increase Per Month	Proposed Rate Per Month*
Residential Garbage:			
1-32 gal once a week	17.64	1.74	19.38
2-32 gal once a week	24.65	2.47	27.12
3-32 gal once a week	33.23	3.41	36.64
1-32 gal every-other-week	13.96	1.28	15.24
1-32 gal once a month	5.63	0.52	6.15
1-20 gal (Mini) once a week	12.49	1.2	13.69
Occasional Unit	5.73	0.53	6.26
Recycling Service:			
Recycling - every-other-week	9.74	5.21	14.95

Other Services not listed will increase 8.1%

* Proposed rates also reflect a King County disposal fee increase, effective Jan. 1, 2019.

If you have any questions regarding this increase, please contact Vashon Disposal between 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Commission 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. Commission staff will make a recommendation to the Commissioners at an open meeting in Olympia, which is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on December 28, 2018. The WUTC is committed to providing reasonable accommodation to participants with disabilities. If you need reasonable accommodation, please contact the Commission at (360) 664-1132 or human_resources@utc.wa.gov. You will have an opportunity to comment in person at this meeting. If you are unable to attend the open meeting, the Commission has a bridge line which enables you to participate or listen by telephone. Call 360-664-1234 for instructions the day before the open meeting. You can also comment by using the "Submit a Comment" feature at the Commission's Web site at utc.wa.gov or by using the contact information below.

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Sincerely,

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