

Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc.  
Pierce County Refuse  
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Mr. Mark L. Johnson  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Attn: Records Section  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
621 Woodland Square Loop SE,  
Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Revision, Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Pierce County Refuse ('PCR'), G-98, "Disposal Fee-Only" Filing.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Our company has been notified that the tipping fee in Pierce County will increase from \$164.34 to \$167.38 per ton, a 1.85% increase, effective March 1, 2020. We project this will increase revenues for residential service by \$147,000 (.99%); for commercial services by \$86,000 (.98%); and drop box service by \$56,000 (1.85%); for a 12-month period. There are approximately 53,000 residential, 5,400 commercial and 150 drop box customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by the Commission was effective November 1, 2011.

For solid waste collection services pertinent to customers residing on Joint Base Lewis-McChord ("JBLM" residential housing), the disposal fee will decrease from \$112.64 to \$112.38 per ton, a (.23%) decrease, as county administrative and other fees are not included for service on JBLM because it is outside the Pierce County Solid Waste System. We project this will decrease revenues by \$1,500 (.10%) for a 12-month period. There are approximately 4,900 residential customers affected by this change.

If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they will become effective March 1, 2020. Pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(iii), affected customers will receive notification of this change on the billing reflecting the revised rates.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Heather Garland at (360) 695-4923, or via e-mail at [heatherg@wcnx.org](mailto:heatherg@wcnx.org).

Sincerely,



Heather Garland  
Pricing Manager