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Ms. Kathy Hunter
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE,
Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Submittal – Tip Fee Increase, Tariff Number 3, Waste Connections of Washington, Inc. G-253.

Dear Ms. Hunter:

Our company has been notified that the tipping fee in Clark County will increase from \$106.34 to \$111.94 per non-drop box ton, a 5.27% increase, and from \$94.46 to \$99.43 per drop box ton, a 7.32% increase, effective January 1, 2024. We project this will increase revenue for residential service by \$322,000 (1.97%); for commercial service by \$154,000 (2.09%); and drop box service by \$151,000 (5.26%) for a 12-month period. There are approximately 74,000 residential, 4,600 commercial and 400 drop box customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by the Commission was effective July 1, 2022.

We respectfully ask that this filing be accepted under LSN, per WAC 480-70-276 for customer notification. If the LSN is accepted and these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the rates will become effective on January 1, 2024. 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 me at (360) 566.6925, or via email at brian.vandenburg@WasteConnections.com.

Sincerely,

Brian Vandenburg

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