





March 29, 2016

Suzanne Stillwell Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. S.W. PO Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Application for a Solid Waste Collection Company Certificate

Dear Ms. Stillwell:

The purpose of this letter and attached documents is to remedy the deficiencies in our Application for a Solid Waste Collection Company Certificate.

In your letter dated February 10, 2016 you identified three (3) areas of our Application that require supplementation and/or further documentation, they are: 1) Incomplete Application; 2) Financial Information; and 3) Rates and Tariffs. You also informed us of an issue concerning use of the "Inc" in our trade name. Below, we have organized our responses to correspond with the order of issues presented in your letter.

## **Incomplete Application**

Commodity to be hauled: Solid waste materials in the form of construction and demolition debris (C&D) for disposal or recycling. Specifically, C&D debris includes solid waste material that is produced in the process of construction, renovation, or demolition of structures.

- Structures include buildings of all types (both residential and nonresidential), as well as roads, bridges, piers and walls.
- Components of C&D debris typically include concrete, asphalt, wood, metals, gypsum wallboard, and roofing.
- Land clearing debris, such as stumps, rocks, and dirt.

If the collected material cannot be recycled then it will be taken to the appropriate transfer station for disposal. If the collected material can be recycled, such as concrete or wood, we would bring those materials here to our recycling facility in Woodinville.

We are seeking to obtain this certificate for the special and limited purpose of offering end dump trailers to the public for solid waste removal. You have asked whether we would offer this service to commercial or residential customers. Because of the large size of our end dumps,

we would anticipate that this service would only appeal to the commercial customer with very large materials to transport. Therefore, the commercial customer would be our target audience.

Provide a copy of the company's Solid Waste Facility Permit from Snohomish County. Please see attached at "Exhibit A".

Provide a map of the territory in which you wish to operate. This is being sent to you via regular, US mail.

Operational Responsibilities - Tariff Rates and Charges, Cathy Sabe

## Financial Information Please see attached at "Exhibit B"

Provide Profit-Loss statement for solid waste hauling.

Estimate of revenue on number of hauls or customers -

Expenses, including driver payroll, truck operating and maintenance costs, facility overhead, managerial overhead, fees, licenses, taxes, etc.

Estimate of depreciation expense associated with solid waste activity and the method used to allocate depreciation and other overhead.

Revenue and expenses including any pass-through disposal amounts.

## Rates and Tariffs - Please see attached at "Exhibit C"

Provide copy of proposed tariff.

<u>Trade Name</u> – We have removed the "Inc" from our registered trade name. See attached at "Exhibit D"

We thank you for the opportunity to submit this application and especially for granting us the additional time to prepare the necessary documents. If you require any additional information or, if you have any questions, please let me know. Additionally, if possible, we would like an opportunity to make a personal presentation in association with our application. If this is possible, kindly let me know. Thank you, again.

Respectfully yours,

Elizabeth Alvord