**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON**

**UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

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| WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION, Complainant,v.WASTE CONTROL, INC. (G-101), Respondent.. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | )))))))))))) | DOCKET TG-140560ORDER 08ORDER APPROVING TEMPORARY SPECIAL FUEL SURCHARGE ON LESS THAN STATUTORY NOTICE  |

1. **NATURE OF PROCEEDING.** On September 18, 2014, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) approved the request of Waste Control, Inc. (WCI or Company) to collect a temporary fuel surcharge in the amount of 1.46 percent on less than statutory notice. The surcharge became effective on September 1, 2014, and will expire on November 30, 2014.
2. **MOTION TO APPROVE SURCHARGE.** On October 21, 2014, WCI filed a request to revise the temporary fuel surcharge, effective November 1, 2014, and with a new expiration date of January 31, 2015, by increasing the amount to 1.48 percent (Motion). The Company stated that it continues to incur increased fuel costs, from $2.36 per gallon for the base period to $3.6937 per gallon current price, during the months of August and September 2014.
3. On October 24, 2014, the Commission’s regulatory staff (Staff) filed a response to the Company’s Motion, recommending that the Commission approve the fuel surcharge on less than statutory notice.
4. The fuel surcharge would temporarily allow the Company to recoup its increased fuel costs. As the Company’s request is reasonable, the request should be approved.

## O R D E R

1. THE COMMISSION ORDERS That the temporary Special Fuel Surcharge requested by Waste Control, Inc. in its October 21, 2014, filing is approved.

Dated at Olympia, Washington, and effective October 27, 2014.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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 Administrative Law Judge