David Danner, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

July 11, 2011

Dear Secretary Danner,

We are submitting this transmittal letter and a request for a disposal rate increase for San Juan Sanitation, Inc., permit G-144. Enclosed please find revised tariff pages and the required work papers. This is an adjustment to Solid Waste Tariff Number 7, with an Effective Date of September 1, 2011.

San Juan County has given notice that they are increasing our disposal fees by 18%, to a new rate of \$221.25 per ton beginning September 1, 2011. The requested increase affects all residential and commercial garbage service rates related to disposal. If approved by the Commission as filed, these requested rates would result increase company revenues by approximately 6.5% (\$103,000).

In addition to the disposal rate increase we are making the following change to our tariff:

Item 230 – We are adding Skagit County Public Works as an alternate disposal site

Customer notices will be mailed with the first bill after commission approval as outlined in WAC 480-70-271(2). A copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to the San Juan County Council.

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Sincerely,

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