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Sunshine Disposal & Recycling 11320 W McFarlane Rd Airway Heights, WA 99001

RE: Lincoln County Transfer Station Tipping Fee and Rate Increases - Effective January 1, 2014

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing this letter to notify you that the Board of County Commissioners has directed me to move forward with notice of rate increases to be implemented at the Lincoln County Transfer Station. The rate increase will be by Resolution of the Board, adopting the following rates as summarized in the attached Exhibit A, effective January 1, 2014.

As much as Lincoln County has tried to keep rates as low as possible, the costs to dispose of solid waste remains subject to annual price escalation based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI-U) imposed by others.

This rate increase for program fees is covered under current agreements between Lincoln County and all cities, towns, and rural haulers transporting waste outside Lincoln County. Also attached please find a spreadsheet showing last year's rates and the rates to be effective January 1, 2014.

Please don't hesitate to call me at (509) 725-7041 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Rick Becker

**Public Works Director** 

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### Lincoln County Department of Public Works Solid Waste Division

## Transfer Station Fee Schedule Calculations - 2014 Fee Increase

	2013	2013	2014	2014
	Fees	(5%) Cash	Fees	(5%) Cash
		Discount		Discount
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Municipal Solid Waste				
Household Garbage - Per Ton	\$92.61	\$87.98	\$94.93	
Minimum Charge (240 pounds or less)	\$9.81	\$9.32	\$10.06	\$9.55
Yard Waste (Clean Organics) - Per Cu. Yd.	\$2.72	\$2.58	\$2.79	\$2.65
Construction & Demolition Debris - Per Ton	\$38.95	\$37.00	\$39.92	\$37.93
December Time				
Passenger Tires Off the Rim			.	
On the Rim	\$3.27	\$3.11	\$3.27	\$3.11
	\$7.63	\$7.25	\$7.63	
Bulk Loads & Large Tires - Per Ton	\$266.95	\$253.60	\$266.95	\$253.60
Appliances				
White Goods (Non or Without Freon)			_	
Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditioners (with Freon)	Free	Free	Free	Free
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Used Motor Oil	Free	Free	<b>5</b>	
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Household Hazardous Waste	Free	Free	Free	Free
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Chemical Testing - Per Sample	\$21.79	\$20.70	\$21.79	\$20.70
Household Chemicals	Free	Free	Free	Free
Metals	Free	Free	Free	Free

		2012		2012
Recycling Bin Drop Off Fees (No Increase 2014	Rate	(10% Discount)	Rate	(10% Discount)
Davenport	\$149.00	\$134.10	\$149.00	\$134.10
Harrington	\$167.00	\$150.30	\$167.00	\$150.30
Odessa	\$215.00	\$193.50	\$215.00	\$193.50
Reardan	\$175.00	\$157.50	\$175.00	\$157.50
Wilbur	\$189.00	\$170.10	\$189.00	\$170.10
Fort Spokane	\$220.00	\$198.00	\$220.00	None
Lincoln Hospital	\$149.00	\$134.10	\$149.00	\$134.10
Seven Bays	\$220.00	\$198.00	\$220.00	None
New Locations	Actual Costs	Actual Costs	Actual Costs	

#### Program Fees

	2013 Rate Per Ton	Discount	2014 Rate Per Ton	Discount	
Solid Waste Collection Companies transporting waste outside Lincoln County	\$6.00	None	\$6.15	None	
Cities and Towns transporting waste outside Lincoln County	\$6.00	None	\$6.15	None	

## **EXHIBIT A**

# Lincoln County Transfer Station Rate and Fee Schedule Effective January 1, 2014

PROGRAM FEES	Rate	Discount for Cash/Check
Solid Waste Collection Companies transporting waste outside Lincoln County (Per Ton)	\$6.15	None
Cities and Towns transporting waste outside Lincoln County (Per Ton)	\$6.15	None
TRANSFER STATION FEES Municipal Solid Waste		
Household Garbage - Per Ton	\$94.93	\$90.18
Minimum Charge (240 pounds or less)	\$10.06	\$9.55
Yard Waste (Clean Organics) - Per Cu. Yd.	\$2.79	\$2.65
Construction & Demolition Debris – Per Ton  Tires	\$39.92	\$37.93
Passenger/Small Truck - Off the Rim	\$3.27	\$3.11
Passenger/Small Truck - On the Rim	\$7.63	\$7.25
Bulk Loads & Large Tires - Per Ton	\$266.95	\$253.60
Appliances		
White Goods (Non or Without Freon)	Free	Free
Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditioners (with Freon)	\$21.79	\$20.70
Household Hazardous Waste		
Chemical Testing - Per Sample	\$21.79	\$20.70
Household Hazardous Waste	Free	Free
Recyclable		
Scrap Metal, Cardboard, Plastics, etc.	Free	Free
Used Motor Oil	Free	Free
RECYCLING BIN DROP OFF FEES		
Davenport	\$134.10	None
Harrington	\$150.30	None
Odessa	\$193.50	None
Reardan	\$157.50	None
Wilbur	\$170.10	None
Fort Spokane	\$220.00	None
Lincoln Hospital	\$149.00	None
Seven Bays	\$220.00	None
New Bin Locations	Actual Costs	Actual Costs