

Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc.
Pacific Disposal and Butlers Cove Refuse Service
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June 18, 2018

Mr. Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
Attn: Records Section
Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission
1300 S Evergreen Park Dr SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

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RE: Tariff Revision – Reduce Recycling Rates, Tariff Number 8, Certificate Number G-98, Pacific Disposal and Butlers Cove Refuse Service.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Our company is filing a request to reduce the residential recycling rates. The recycling rates currently have a \$45 per ton processing fee included in them. In recent discussion with our third-party processor, Pioneer, they notified us that we will no longer be billed a processing fee. In lieu of this past practice the gross value of commodities will be reduced by the processing cost. The commodity credit filing we filed on May 14, 2018 (TG-180426) also reflects this change.

We project this will decrease revenue for residential recycling service by \$602,000 (14.14%) per year. There are approximately 50,000 single-family, and 10,600 multi-family customers affected by this change.

Attached are revised tariff pages and supporting documentation containing the revised rates. The audited and approved workpapers from the last general rate filing, TG-121044, were used for this filing. Removal of the \$45 per ton processing fee was the only change made to the previously approved model.

This filing is being filed as confidential under WAC 480-07-160. Confidential un-redacted and redacted versions of the rate calculation workbook is being filed.

This filing is being filed under the provisions of WAC 480-70-262, tariffs requiring seven-day notice to the Commission. However, we respectfully ask that the revised rates not go into effect until July 1, 2018. This will allow for the reduced recycling rate and the new commodity credit to go into effect at the same time. We chose to file this filing before the seven-day window in order to give Staff sufficient time to review.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 695-4923 or via email at heatherg@wcnx.org.

Sincerely,



Heather Garland
Pricing Manager