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City Sanitary, Joe's Refuse, White Pass Garbage
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June 13, 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 Number 9.3, Certificate Number G-98, City Sanitary, Joe's Refuse, White Pass Garbage.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Our company is filing a request to reduce the residential recycling rates. The recycling rates currently have a \$37 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-180427) also reflects this change.

In Thurston County Below 142nd we project this will decrease revenue for residential recycling service by \$33,000 (12.68%) per year. There are approximately 4,000 single family and 350 multi-family customers affected by this change. In area RSA-1 we project that this will cause a decrease of \$73,000 (12.5%) in residential recycle service revenue. There are approximately 9,900 residential 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 filings, TG-091769 for Thurston County Below 142nd and TG-101536 for Lewis County, were used for this filing. Removal of the \$37 per ton processing fee was the only change made to the previously approved model.

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