

June 1, 2022



PO Box 487, Edmonds, WA. 98020

Dear Residential Customer,

This is to notify you of a proposed rate adjustment for residential services in the City of Edmonds, WA, where Sound Disposal, Inc. operates. It has been thirteen (13) years since our last general rate increase. This notice informs you of a proposed change in the garbage collection portion of your invoice. Sound Disposal, inc. has filed a request to adjust the residential garbage collection rates with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC). If the UTC approves this request, the new rates (shown below) will become effective July 1, 2022,

Collection Services Billed Every Two Months

Table with 8 columns: Residential Service, Service Frequency, Current Rate, Proposed Rate, Increase. Rows include Mini-Can, 1 can, 2 cans, 60 Gallon Toter, 90 Gallon Toter, Recycling Service, and Yard waste.

Our goal is to provide you with high-quality collection services at the lowest possible costs. We work hard to keep rates low, but significant increases in labor, insurance, fuel, and maintenance costs have made it necessary to request a rate adjustment.

The proposed rate adjustment for our residential service is approximately 29%, as shown above (note: this list above does not include all services we offer. If you have questions about this proposed rate adjustment, you may call the company at (425) 778-2404.

The Commission has the authority to set final rates that may be either lower or higher than the company's requested adjustment, depending on the results of its investigation. You can comment on our rate case by using the "Submit a Comment" feature at the Commission's Web site at www.utc.wa.gov or by using the contact information below.

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
Post Office Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250
E-mail: comments@utc.wa.gov
Telephone: 1-888-333-WUTC (9882)

Commission staff will make a recommendation to the Commissioners at an open meeting scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on June 30, 2022. You will have an opportunity to provide your comments at this meeting. For your information, the UTC building is closed to the public until further notice. This open meeting will be conducted remotely. If you intend to listen or participate, call 360-664-1234 the day before the open meeting for instructions and to sign in. We look forward to continued service to you.

Sound Disposal, Inc.