DATE PREPARED: July 21, 2022 WITNESS: Charlie Dietrich

DOCKET: TG-220215 and 220243 RESPONDER: Basin Disposal, Inc. and

REQUESTER: Jammie's Environmental, Charlie Dietrich Inc.

**DATA REQUEST NO. 004:** 

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Objection. This request is overbroad and seeks information that is irrelevant in the discovery sense to the issues raised in Basin Disposal's formal complaint against Jammie's, which proceeding involves only the question of whether Jammie's is authorized to provide solid waste collection service to PCA to transport OCC Rejects for disposal. The Commission has not specifically authorized discovery in Docket TG-220243, Jammie's Application for Solid Waste Authority. See WAC 480-07-400(2). Thus, this data request is inappropriate and the exceeds the scope of permissible discovery. Additionally, the fitness of the protestant is not an issue in application proceedings. See In Re: Application E-18894 of Carl Oscar Lundell, d/b/a Lundell Trucking, for Extension of Auth. Under Common Carrier Permit No. 36044., Order M.V. No. 129479 (Apr. 6, 1984).

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See the documents produced with bates labels **BDI 00083 through BDI 00085**.

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### **SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE OF 07/28/2022:**

Basin is continuing to search for responsive documents and may supplement its response further as necessary. The following descriptions are provided for meetings or phone calls for which there are no responsive communications to produce:

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# **SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE OF 08/23/22:**

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objections, Basin Disposal additional responsive records are being produced.

Basin Disposal reserves the right to supplement or amend its response if additional responsive records are identified.

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## **SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE OF 10/07/2022:**

3/16/21 – Meeting among Andy Foxx, Kurt Thorne, Skyler Rachford, and a third PCA representative (name unknown) to discuss the water content of the material. Andy Foxx raised the idea of bunkering the material and loading via conveyor belt or a loader. The bunker was suggested because it would reduce water content. PCA representatives inquired about whether other companies were permitted to haul OCC Rejects and Andy Foxx responded that Basin Disposal was the only company authorized to haul it, but that Basin had the ability to provide service in different wants based on PCA's need.

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Washington that on the below date the forgoing Basin Disposal Inc.'s Supplemental Response to JEI DR 004 was served via electronic mail on parties below:

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