

Murrey's Disposal Co., Inc.
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November 15, 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

RE: Tariff Submittal, Tariff Number 27, Revised Tariff, Murrey's Disposal Co., Inc. G-9.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Attached please find revised pages for Tariff Number 27, for Murrey's Disposal Co., Inc. G-9.

With this filing, we respectfully request the Commission approve a general rate increase to recover new capital, and higher costs of employee wages, benefits, fuel and general operating costs.

The increase is proposed as follows: Residential service \$1,219,000, 8.14%; commercial service \$441,000, 8.14%; multi-family garbage service \$134,000, 8.14%; roll-off service \$176,300, 8.14%; and residential/multi-family recycling service \$1,219,000, 25.70%. There are approximately 55,600 residential; 1,770 commercial; 5,800 multi-family; 300 roll-off; and 62,000 recycling customers affected by this change.

We combined the results of the single family, multi-family, and recycle station Lurito-Gallagher's to achieve the results above, as was instructed during TG-130501.

The last general rate increase approved by the Commission became effective June 1, 2016.

Attached are the proposed tariff pages containing the increased rates, as well as supporting documentation for those changes. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they are intended to become effective on January 1, 2019.

Please note this filing impacts both the Murrey's Disposal Company G-9 tariff, as well as the American Disposal Company G-87 tariff rates. These two tariffs have the same rates and the companies operate out of the same facility. Due to this, we are in the process of filing a transfer application for partial transfer of G-87 into G-9. With Commission approval, this transfer will become effective January 1, 2019, the same proposed date as this general rate filing. Per discussion with Staff, we have only filed the tariff that will remain after the transfer, which is Murrey's Disposal Company, G-9. All workpapers support this combined approach.

Included in this filing is our non-regulated operation, as our regulated and non-regulated operations now share one facility. To protect certain non-regulated proprietary information we are filing a portion of this filing as confidential, and are filing in accordance with WAC 480-07-160.

A rate increase notification letter will be mailed to all customers affected by these proposed changes no later than November 30, 2018. A notice letter will also be delivered on or before November 30, 2018 to the office of the Pierce County Council Chair.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 695-4923, or HeatherG@WasteConnections.com.

Sincerely,



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