

**Exh. BS-5
Docket TG-230778
Witness: Benjamin Sharbono**

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

Complainant,

v.

MURREY'S DISPOSAL COMPANY,

Respondent

DOCKET TG-230778

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BENJAMIN SHARBONO

**STAFF OF
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

Murrey's Response to Staff Informal DR 2 – Incident Report

May 29, 2024

From: [Brian Vandenburg](#)
To: [Sharbono, Benjamin \(UTC\)](#)
Subject: RE: TG-230778-GRC-Murreys Olympic Informal data request 2
Date: Tuesday, October 10, 2023 4:46:43 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
[2112_24Month_IncidentCount.xlsx](#)

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Hi Benjamin,

I am able to provide an incident report for the past 24 months which shows a 2 incident improvement year over year:

	Oct 21-Sep 22	Oct 22-Sep 23
AL/GL	18	16
WC	3	3

If you were to just look at the last 12 months you would see an improvement of 4:

	Oct 22-Mar 23	Apr 23-Sep 23
AL/GL	10	6
WC	1	1

The Company believes in the long-term strategy of safety bonuses for improving and maintaining low incident occurrences. It does recognize that while there has been an improvement in the last 12-24 months that there will be peaks and valleys from month to month in incident counts.

Over the last year we have seen turnover at the site drop from 50% a year ago to 20% last month. This would be another indicator that Culture/Safety bonuses (along with the other bonuses used) are having an impact.

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Regarding IDR 2, #7, Does the company have "I-Rate" information available to show the safety bonuses are effective in their stated purposes?

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Hi Benjamin,

Attached is Data Response 1. The site is still working on identifying which trucks were for expansion and which were replacements. Additionally I am trying to save Confidential and Redacted files for the test period payroll. Due to the size of the files, this has been a challenge.

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To: Brian Vandenburg <Brian.Vandenburg@WasteConnections.com>
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Hi Brian,

Please see the attached informal data request.

Thank you,

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