



October 15, 2009

Executive Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
P O Box 47250  
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: General Rate Increase, G-101

Dear Executive Secretary:

Attached is Tariff No. 14 to be effective December 1, 2009, which cancels Tariff No. 13, for Waste Control, Inc. The tariff includes rates for unincorporated areas in portions of the counties of Cowlitz, Clark and Skamania. The portion of Skamania is solely for the inclusion of the Mt. Saint Helens area. The unincorporated areas around the city of Woodland were added approximately nine and one-half-years ago when we purchased the, now cancelled, G-49 permit.

Waste Control Inc.'s last general rate increase was effective January 1, 2003. That increase was after five years of no increases for most areas and thirteen years for the Woodland area. Over these last 7 years many cost increases have occurred. Costs showing staggering increases over recent years include: liability and medical insurance premiums, fuel, other vehicle costs, labor and storm water management. It is, therefore, necessary to increase rates to our customers to cover our ever increasing cost of providing service.

The Lurito-Gallagher formula provides an available increase in revenues of approximately \$461,000. The enclosed cost study shows revenue of around \$278,000 compared to the requirement of \$461,000. The enclosed price out analysis shows revenue generation projected for the rates requested to be nearly \$277,000. We are not requesting the entire increase as we believe it more important to retain our customers than to secure the entire available increase only to have a significant drop in the number of customers we serve.

As required by Commission rules, a copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to the County Councils and to the Mayors of all cities impacted by this filing. We will be mailing notices to all affected customers on October 15, 2009. We will file a copy of the customer notices with your office at the same time.

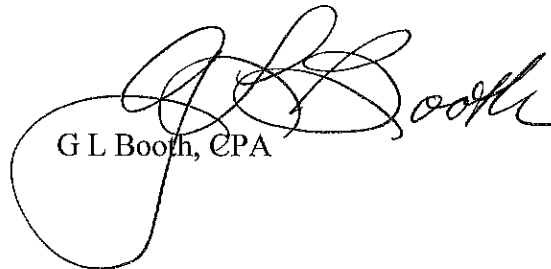
The following is a list of items changing in this filing:

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Service</u>
50	Returned Check Charges and Delinquent Accounts
51	Restart Fees
52	Redelivery Fees
55	Over-sized or Over-weight Cans or Units
60	Overtime Periods
70	Return Trips
80	Carry-out Service, Drive-ins
90	Can Carriage – Special Services
100	Residential Service – Monthly Rates
150	Loose and Bulky Material
160	Time Rates
205	Roll-out Charges – Containers, Automated Carts, and Toters
207	Excess Weight – Rejection of Load, Charges to Transport
210	Washing and Sanitizing Containers and/or Drop Boxes
220	Compactor Rental
230	Disposal Fees
240	Container Service – Dumped in Company’s Vehicle
245	Container Service – Dumped in Company’s Vehicle
250	Container Service – Dumped in Company’s Vehicle
255	Container Service – Dumped in Company’s Vehicle
260	Drop Box Service – to Disposal Site and Return
265	Drop Box Service – to Disposal Site and Return
270	Drop Box Service – to Disposal Site and Return
275	Drop Box Service – to Disposal Site and Return
280	Long-Haul Rates for Industrial Waste

If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact me or Joe Willis. Joe may be reached at Waste Control, Inc. phone (360) 425-4302 and email [jwillis@wcrecycling.com](mailto:jwillis@wcrecycling.com). My telephone number is (360) 425-8000 and my email address is [gbooth@boothdavis.com](mailto:gbooth@boothdavis.com).

Very truly yours,

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Clark County Council, Chair  
Skamania County Council, Chair  
City of Castle Rock, Mayor  
City of Kalama, Mayor