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Mr. Steven King  
Executive Director/Secretary  
Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW  
Olympia, WA 98504

Re: Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC - G-45  
Disposal Cost Recovery Filing

On behalf of Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC - G-45 I am filing certain revised tariff pages and other documents requesting a rate increase effective February 1, 2017. This filing is necessitated by a disposal increase at Yakima County Landfills..

If this filing is approved by the Commission, the hauler's overall revenue will increase approximately 2.32%, or \$15,623. The revenue breakdown is:

|             | Gross<br>Revenue<br>Increase | Approximate<br>Customer<br>Percent Increase |
|-------------|------------------------------|---|
| Residential | \$ 3,618                     | 1.69%                                       |
| Commercial  | 7,167                        | 1.88%                                       |
| Roll-Off    | <u>4,839</u>                 | <u>6.25%</u>                                |
| Total       | <u>\$ 15,623</u>             | 2.32%                                       |

This filing is for recovery of disposal fees pursuant to RCW 81.77.160. A copy of the letter of notification from Yakima County Public Services is included with the documents being filed.

Included with this filing is an Excel workbook titled Basin Disposal of Yakima.-Disposal Fee Increase .xlsx which is a disposal workbook previously furnished by staff. This workbook has rate calculations, customer counts, price-outs both current and proposed. The customer counts are from a prior case TG-091761, which have residential, commercial and roll-off tonnage summaries.

Revised tariff pages are included with this filing in an Excel workbook titled Basin Disposal of Yakima Revised Tariff Pages.xlsx. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they will become effective February 1, 2017. Affected customer will receive notice of the change on the first billing reflecting the revision to rates under WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(iii).

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The Company is requesting exemption from portions of WAC 480-07-520(4) - General rate proceedings-Solid Waste Collection Companies for this filing for recovery of disposal fees.

A copy of this letter has been sent to Mike Leita, Chairman of the Yakima County Board of Commissioners.

Yours truly,

*Weldon Burton*

Weldon T. Burton

cc: Darrick Dietrich, Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC  
Mike Leita, Chairman of the Yakima County Board of Commissioners.



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Steven King Executive Director Secretary  
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Dear Mr. King:

Thank you for allowing Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC (G-045) to participate in the Electronic *Tariff* filing program.

**The following individuals are authorized to submit e-filings:**

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Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 509.547.2476.

Sincerely;

Darrick Dietrich

Member  
Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC



Company Name/Permit Number: Basin Disposal of Yakima, LLC. - G-45

Registered Trade Name:

Item 100 -- Residential Service -- Monthly Rates (continued on next page)

Rates in this item apply:

- (1) To solid waste collection, curbside recycling (where noted) and yardwaste services (where noted) for residential property. This includes single family dwellings, duplexes, apartments, mobile homes, condominiums, etc., where service is billed directly to the occupant of each residential unit; and/or
- (2) When required by a local government service level ordinance, solid waste collection, curbside recycling, and yardwaste service must be provided for single-family dwellings, duplexes, mobile homes, condominiums, and apartment buildings of less than \_\_\_\_\_ residential units, where service is billed to the property owner or manager.

Rates below apply in all Service Areas.

| Number of Units or Type of Containers | Frequency of Service | Garbage Service Rate | Recycle Service Rate | Yardwaste Service Rate |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Minican                               | WG                   | \$5.54(A)            |                      |                        |
| 1 Can                                 | WG                   | \$7.35(A)            |                      |                        |
| 2 Can                                 | WG                   | \$9.06(A)            |                      |                        |
| 3 Can                                 | WG                   | \$11.07(A)           |                      |                        |
|                                       |                      |                      |                      |                        |
| 64(C) Gallon                          | WG                   | \$9.05(A)            |                      |                        |
| 96(C) Gallon                          | WG                   | \$11.05(A)           |                      |                        |
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Frequency of Service Codes: WG=Weekly Garbage; EOWG-Every Other Week Garbage; MG=Monthly Garbage; WR=Weekly Recycling; EOWR=Every Other Week Recycling; MR=Monthly Recycling  
 List others used by company:

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 Registered Trade Name:

Item 100 -- Residential Service -- Monthly Rates (continued from previous page)

Note 1: Customers will be charged for service requested even if fewer units are picked up on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled cans. No credit will be given if customer fails to set receptacles out for collection.

Note 2: For customers on automated service routes: The company will assess roll-out charges where, due to circumstances outside the control of the driver, the driver is required to move an automated cart or toter more than \_\_\_\_\_ feet in order to reach the truck. The charge for this roll-out service is: \$\_\_\_\_\_ per cart or toter, per pickup.

Note 3: The charge for an occasional extra residential bag, can, unit, toter, mini-can, or micro-mini-can on a regular pickup is:

| Type of receptacle    | Rate per receptacle, per pickup |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 32-gallon can or unit | \$2.31(A)                       |
| Mini-can              | \$2.31(A)                       |
| Micro-minican         | \$                              |
| 64 (C)- gallon cart   | \$2.43(A)                       |
| 96 (C)-gallon cart    | \$2.50(A)                       |
| Bag                   | \$                              |
| Other                 | \$                              |

Note 4: Customers may request no more than one pickup per month, on an "on call" basis, at \$4.10(A) per can/unit. Service will be rendered on the normal scheduled pickup day for the area in which the customer resides. Note: If customer requires service to be provided on other than normal scheduled pickup day, rates for special pickups will apply.

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Item 120 -- Drums

| Type of Service       | Rate Per Drum, Per Pickup |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Regular Route Service | \$6.85                    |
| Special Pickup        | \$6.85                    |

Item 130 -- Litter Receptacles and Litter Toters

| Customer-owned Receptacle        | Rate Per Receptacle, Per Pickup |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Size or Type:                    | \$4.57                          |
|                                  | \$                              |
| <u>Company-owned Receptacle:</u> |                                 |
| Size or Type:                    |                                 |
|                                  |                                 |
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Item 150 -- Loose and Bulky Material

Special Trips: Time rates in Item 160 apply.

Regular Route:

|                                   | 1 to 4 cubic yards<br>Rate per Yard | Additional cubic<br>yards<br>Rate per yard | Minimum Charge<br>Per Pickup | Carry Charge<br>Per each 5 feet over<br>8 feet |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| Bulky Materials                   | \$6.55(A)                           | \$5.71(A)                                  | \$6.55(A)                    | \$2.17   |
| Loose material<br>(customer load) | \$4.09(A)                           | \$4.09(A)                                  | \$4.09(A)                    |  |
| Loose material<br>(company load)  | \$6.55(A)                           | \$5.71(A)                                  | \$6.55(A)                    | \$2.17   |

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Item 230 -- Disposal Fees

Charges in this item apply when other items in the tariff specifically refer to this item.

| Disposal site (name or location) | Type of material        | Fee for Disposal     |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Snipes Mountain Transfer Station | Refuse (1)              | \$32.82 (A) per ton  |
| Cheyne Land Fill                 | Refuse (1)              | \$32.82 (A) per ton  |
| Terrace Heights                  | Wood Waste              | \$17.00 (A) per ton  |
|                                  | Animals-Large           | \$32.82 (A) per ton  |
|                                  | Animals-Small           | \$32.82 (A) per ton  |
|                                  | Tires                   | \$160.00 (A) per ton |
|                                  | Appliances              | ***                  |
|                                  | Appliances              | \$5.50 (A) per unit  |
|                                  | Refuse (1)              | \$32.82 (A) per ton  |
|                                  | Asbestos                | \$64.00 (A) per ton  |
|                                  |                         |                      |
| Cheyne Land Fill                 | Petro contaminated soil | ***                  |
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State whether fees are per yard, per ton, etc. Include charges assessed for special commodities (tires, appliances, asbestos, etc.) or special conditions at each specific disposal site. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

(1) Or as adjusted to equivalent yards as specified by disposal site operator

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Item 240 -- Container Service -- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Non-compacted Material (Company-owned container)  
 Rates stated per container, per pickup

Service Area: All Service Areas

|                             | Size or Type of Container |            |            |      |      |    |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|------|------|----|
|                             | 1.5 Yard                  | 300 Gallon | 220 Gallon | Yard | Yard |    |
| <b>Permanent Service</b>    |                           |            |            |      |      |    |
| Monthly Rent, if applicable | \$                        | \$         | \$         | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| First Pickup                | \$9.45(A)                 | \$9.45(A)  | \$6.61(A)  | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| Each Additional Pickup      | \$9.45(A)                 | \$9.45(A)  | \$6.61(A)  | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| Special Pickups             | \$9.45(A)                 | \$9.45(A)  | \$6.61(A)  | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| <b>Temporary Service</b>    |                           |            |            |      |      |    |
| Initial Delivery            | \$15.42                   | \$15.42    | \$15.42    | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| Pickup Rate                 | \$9.45(A)                 | \$9.45(A)  | \$6.61(A)  | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| Rent Per Calendar Day       | \$0.88                    | \$0.88     | \$0.62     | \$   | \$   | \$ |
| Rent Per Month              | \$26.80                   | \$26.80    | \$18.76    | \$   | \$   | \$ |

Note1: Permanent Service: Service is defined as no less than scheduled, every other week pickup, unless local government requires more frequent service or unless putrescibles are involved. Customer will be charged for service requested, even if fewer containers are serviced on a particular trip. No credit will be given for partially filled containers.

Note 2: Permanent Service: If rent is shown, the rate for the first pickup and each additional pickup must be the same. If rent is not shown, it is to be included in the rate for the first pickup.

Accessorial charges assessed (lids, tarping, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):

Containers and Gated which must be locked or unlocked by collector will be charged \$1.08 per pickup.

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Item 245 -- Container Service -- Dumped in Company's Vehicle  
 Non-compacted Material (Customer-owned container)  
 Includes Commercial Can Service  
 Rates stated per container, per pickup

Service Area: All Service Areas

| Permanent Service     | Size or Type of Container |  |  |    |    |    |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|--|----|----|----|
|                       | 32 gal can or unit        |  |  |    |    |    |
| Each Scheduled Pickup | \$1.34(A)                 |  |  |    |    |    |
| Special Pickups       | \$5.64(A)                 |  |  |    |    |    |
|                       |                           |  |  |    |    |    |
| Temporary Service     |                           |  |  |    |    |    |
| Each Addt'l Unit      | \$2.34(A)                 |  |  | \$ | \$ | \$ |

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Accessorial charges assessed (lids, unlocking, unlatching, etc.):  
 Locking & Unlocking Gate Charge \$1.08 per pickup.

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