

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
LESS THAN STATUTORY NOTICE (LSN) REQUESTED BY:**

This row to be completed by UTC Records Management	<u>Docket No.:</u> TG-230960	<u>Agenda Date:</u> December 21, 2023
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Is this a Fuel Surcharge Tariff Revision?* Yes No

* Indicates required field

<u>Company Name:</u>* Waste Connections of Washington, Inc.	<u>Registered Trade Name(s):</u> Waste Connections
<u>Certificate No.:</u>* G-253	<u>Date of Submission:</u> * 11/16/2023

Complete this section if filing is submitted by anyone other than the owner, partner, or corporate officer of the company

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By signing here, the authorized agent is agreeing that they are authorized to issue and file tariffs and/or time schedules on behalf of the above referenced company.

Signature and Title of Authorized Agent (Company official): Brian Vandenburg
(Signature and title of agent here)

Complete this section if filing is submitted by owner, partner, or corporate officer of the company

Issuing Agent:	Email:	Phone:	Fax:
Mailing Address:	City:	State:	Zip:

I request these provisions become effective on the following date: January 01, 2024

Signature and Title of Issuing Agent: _____
(Signature and title of agent here)

Select the Industry this filing pertains to:* Solid Waste (45-day Statutory Notice)

Please ensure you are including a copy of your customer notice with your filing.

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*** Company proposes to change (Include Title of Provision, Tariff number and Sheets/Pages being changed):**
Tariff #3, Customer Notification for Tip Fee Increase

*** Present provisions are:**
45 day notice to customers for all tariff changes.

*** Proposed changes are:**
Notify customers on the first bill as stated in WAC 480-70-271(2)(a).

*** Explain why the company is proposing this tariff revision:**
Notifying customers on the first bill has been the historic practice and follows WAC 480-70-271(2)(a).

*** Explain why the Commission should allow this tariff revision to take effect with less than 30 days' notice (45 days' notice for solid waste):**

Requiring 45 notice to the customers will result in unnecessary costs to the rate payer due to additional postage and mailing. By the time the company receives notice of a tip fee increase, generating the filing and notifying the customer creates undue burden on the company. Additionally, the historic practice is to notify customers of a tip fee increase on the first bill per WAC 480-70-271(2)(a).

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

ORDER

The Commission finds good cause to support the request and authorize the proposed changes to become effective with Less Than Statutory Notice on:

DATED and signed at Lacey, Washington, this 21st day of December, 2023 (Month/Year)

By direction of the Commission,

Kathy Hunter
Acting Executive Director and
Secretary