Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Pacific Disposal, Butlers Cove Refuse Service, and Rural Garbage Service

June 14, 2024

Mr. Jeff Killip Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE, Lacey, WA 98503 Received Records Management Jun 14, 2024

RE: Tariff Submittal, Original Tariff Number 10, General Rate Case, Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc., dba Pacific Disposal, Butlers Cove Refuse Service and Rural Garbage Service G-98

Dear Mr. Killip:

Attached please find original pages for Tariff Number 10, for Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc., dba Pacific Disposal, Butlers Cove Refuse Service, and Rural Garbage Service G-98

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

The increase is proposed as follows: Residential MSW service \$452,000, 3.2%; commercial MSW service \$250,000, 3.2%; roll-off service \$72,000, 3.1%; residential/multi-family recycling service \$414,000, 6.8%; and yard waste service \$647,000, 24.9%. There are approximately 61,000 residential; 5,000 commercial; 330 roll-off; 74,000 recycling; and 25,600 yard waste customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by The Commission became effective March 1, 2022.

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 August 1, 2024.

Included in this filing is our non-regulated operation, as our regulated and non-regulated operations 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 June 17, 2024. A notice letter will also be delivered on or before June 17, 2024 to the office of the Thurston County Council Chair.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 448-6954, or at brian vandenburg@wasteconnections.com.

Sincerely,

Brian Vandenburg Pricing Analyst

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