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Sue Christopher
Solid Waste Supervisor
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Dear Ms. Christopher:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) has completed its review of the preliminary draft of the Okanogan County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan Update (Plan) for the years of 2009-2014 in Docket No. TG-112195.

Staff's analysis of the Cost Assessment portion of the Plan shows no impact to regulated ratepayers in Okanogan County. The Cost Assessment indicates that the disposal fee is currently at \$74 per ton and the county expects it will remain at that level until 2014.

Please direct any questions or comments about the commission Plan review process to Ms. Penny Ingram at (360) 664-1242 or by email at pingram@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

David W. Danner Executive Secretary

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