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April 9, 2014

Steven King Executive Director & Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Rabanco Ltd. / Lynnwood Disposal Tariff Filing

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed please find proposed Tariff No.4 of Rabanco Ltd, Certificate G-12, (dba Lynnwood Disposal), the purpose of which is a general rate increase request. It has been nearly two years since our last general increase on these rates and in that time we have experienced inflationary pressures on key operating costs and made investments in strategic operating assets. The proposed rates will offset increases in labor, fuel, maintenance, healthcare, pension and other general operating expenses. If approved by the Commission, the overall revenue requirement increase reflected in this filing would approximate <u>3.9%</u> or <u>\$372,500</u>.

The proposed rates impact services provided as follows:

	% Revenue Change	\$ Revenue Change	Estimated Rate Impacts
Garbage:	+5.9%	\$ 380,004	5.0% to 7.0%
Recycling:	-10.6%	\$ (167,373)	-11.0% to 0%
Yardwaste:	12.5%	\$ 144,763	0% to 12.5%
Multi-Family Recycling:	7.8%	\$ 24,374	3.0% to 8.0%

As required by Commission rules, a copy of this transmittal latter will be mailed to the Snohomish County Chair impacted by this filing. Customer notification letters will be mailed on or before May 1st, 2014. We will file a copy of the customer notices with your office prior to or at the same time as the mailing.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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CC. John Lovick, Snohomish County Executive