

Harold LeMay Enterprises, Inc. G-98  
Rural Garbage Service  
2910 Hogum Bay Rd NE  
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November 26, 2018

Mr. Mark L. Johnson  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Attn: Records Section  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
1300 S Evergreen Park Dr SW  
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

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RE: Commodity Price Adjustment for Tariff Number 13, Certificate Number G-98, Rural Garbage Service.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Attached please find revised pages for Tariff Number 13, as well as supporting documentation for the commodity price adjustment. Tariff pages 1, 20 and 23 are affected by this change.

The residential adjustment will increase from a debit \$1.52 to a debit of \$1.76, an increase of \$.24, (16%) per customer, per month. The multi-family adjustment will increase from a debit of \$.56 to a debit of \$0.80, an increase of \$.24 (42%) per customer, per month. Rural Garbage Service does not currently participate in any county revenue share program.

Due to the implications of China's National Sword, commodity prices declined from (\$49)/ton to (\$73)/ton during this commodity adjustment test period. Due to the volatility in the recycling commodity markets we are hereby requesting a waiver from WAC 480-70-351(2). The calculation uses the most recent six-month historical period to estimate the recycling commodity expense/commodity adjustment for the next six months.

We respectfully ask that this filing be accepted under LSN, per WAC 480-70-276. If the LSN is accepted and these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the revised commodity price adjustment will go into effect on January 1, 2019. Pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(vi), affected customers will receive notification of this change on the billing reflecting the revised rates.

If you have any questions regarding these revisions, please contact me at (360) 695-4923 or via email at [heatherg@wcnx.org](mailto:heatherg@wcnx.org).

Sincerely,



Heather Garland  
Pricing Manager