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Subject: Waste Management of Spokane, a division of Waste Management of Washington, Inc.(G-237);
Tariff #18

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed, please find revised pages, 2, 22, 23, 24, 28, 33, 34, 35, and 36 to the above-referenced tariff. These proposed revised tariff pages contain increased rates for residential and commercial garbage collection services. The requested rate increase is necessary to reflect the increases in the disposal rates at both the City of Spokane Waste to Energy (WTE) and the Spokane County Transfer Station (TS) facilities. The City of Spokane approved the increase in disposal fees from \$107.53 to \$110.65 per ton at the WTE facility and Spokane County approved an increase in disposal fees from \$104.50 to \$108.00 per ton at the TS. Both increases will become effective on January 1, 2020. The increased rates, if approved by the commission, would increase Company revenue by approximately \$113,000, and residential and commercial garbage rates by 1.3%. The effective date of these proposed tariff revisions is January 1, 2020.

Enclosed for your review are our accounting workpapers and a copy of the letters from the City of Spokane and Spokane County informing us of the increases in disposal fees. Upon approval by the Commission of this filing, affected customers will be notified of this rate increase on their next regularly scheduled billing.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (425) 814-7840.

Very truly yours,

Michael A. Weinstein
Senior Pricing Manager, Pacific Northwest Market Area

cc: Jesse Granado
Clerk of the Board, Spokane County Chair