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May 23, 2019

Tammi Yager Waste Management 11321 E Indiana Ave. Spokane Valley, WA 99206

RE:

Notice of Chelan County Solid Waste Collection Fee

Dear Tammi:

Chelan County has exercised the implementation of the Waste Haulers Fee according to RCW 36.58.045. Attached is the resolution adopted by the County Commissioners as of May 21, 2019.

Please make arrangements with WUTC for the implementation and collection. And feel free to contact me or Penny Goehner in our Public Works office with any questions in coordinating the process for payments.

Thank you,

Brenda Blanchfield Solid Waste Coordinator

Enclosure:

Resolution NO 2019-65

RE: WASTE HAULERS FEE

WHEREAS, the Board of Chelan County Commissioners have the authority to impose a fee upon the solid waste collection services of a certified solid waste collection company operating within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County pursuant to RCW 36.58.045, and

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2017 the Board of Chelan County Commissioners adopted the Chelan County Solid Waste Management Plan, and the Plan recommends the imposition of a solid waste collection fee upon solid waste collection companies operating within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County, and pursuant to recommendations contained in the Chelan County 2017 Solid Waste Management Plan, Chelan County proposes the imposition of a solid waste collection fee shall fund the administration and planning expenses as required in RCW 70.95.090.

WHEREAS, the solid waste collection fee imposed upon each certified solid waste collection company operating within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County shall be in an amount equal to 5% of each certified solid waste collection company's annual gross revenues generated from operations within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County, excluding pass through disposal fees, recycling revenues, and before state refuse collection tax, for the twelve (12) month period beginning January 1st through December 31st of each year, and

WHEREAS, each certified solid waste collection company operating within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County shall report the annual revenue defined above to the Chelan County by February 28th of each year, and the solid waste collection fee assessed on the previous year, shall be invoiced quarterly in equal installments on March 31st, June 30th, September 30th, and December 31st. The solid waste collection fee shall be billed and collected by the Chelan County Treasurer, and amounts invoiced are due and payable thirty days from invoice date, and delinquent payments shall be assessed penalties and interest.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, that the Board of Chelan County Commissioners does hereby impose a solid waste collection fee upon each solid waste collection company operating within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County, in an amount equal to 5% of each certified solid waste collection company's annual gross revenues generated from operations within the unincorporated areas of Chelan County, excluding pass through disposal fees, recycling revenues, and before state refuse collection tax, for the twelve (12) month period beginning January 1st through December 31st of each year and shall notify the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission and the affected solid waste collection companies of the amount of the fee ninety days (90) prior to its implementation pursuant to RCW 36.58.045(2).

DATED at Wenatchee, Washington this 21 day of May, 2019.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS