Yakima Waste Systems, Inc. PO Box 2830 Yakima, WA 98907

November 4, 2009

Mr. David W. Danner Executive Director and Secretary Attn: Record Section Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S Evergreen Park Dr SW Olympia WA 98504-7250

RE: Tariff Submittal, for Yakima Waste Systems, Inc. G-89.

Dear Sirs:

We respectfully request Commission approval to amend filed Tariff Number 10 on Less Than Statutory Notice to revise Item Number 5, to change the Utility Tax from 6% to 25% to customers residing in the City of Mabton. Currently there are 25 residential and 5 commercial customers serviced by Yakima Waste Systems within the City of Mabton. The 25% Utility Tax will be collected from customers as a separate line item on the billing. Ordinance No. 887 was passed by the City Council January 8, 2008, attached.

If the 25% Utility Tax is approved, on Less Than Statutory Notice by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the 25% Utility Tax will become effective December 1, 2009. The customers will receive notification of this change on the billing reflecting the increase.

We respectfully request that the Commission accepts the attached LSN to expedite the correction.

If you have any questions about this filing, please contact me at (253) 896-3278, (253) 377-4208 cell or via email at <u>irmgardw@wcnx.org</u>.

Sincerely,

Irmgard R Wilcox Controller