David Danner, Executive Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

August 14, 2012

Dear Secretary Danner,

We are submitting this transmittal letter and requesting a Less the Statutory Notice for San Juan Sanitation, Inc., permit G-144. We are implementing a new required service of residential recycling collection. Enclosed please find revised tariff pages and the work papers. This is an adjustment to Solid Waste Tariff Number 7, with an Effective Date of September 1, 2012.

San Juan County has adopted a Service Level Ordinance which requires our company, as the certificated hauler, to collect recyclable materials from our customers, and requires that all residential subscribers of garbage service pay a rate for recycling in addition to their current rates for garbage collection. We are requesting a Less than Statutory Notice, because San Juan County has adopted a service level ordinance which requires us to begin collected residential recycling on September 1, 2012.

A copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to the San Juan County Council.

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CC: San Juan County Council