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Mr. Mark L. Johnson Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission PO Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250 Records Management 04/17/20 14:17

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Re: Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc. d.b.a. WasteWise Methow G-146

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Enclosed is proposed Tariff No. 9 for Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc. d.b.a. WasteWise Methow G-146, the purpose of which is a general rate case increase request. It has been six years since the last rate increase. During that time, the company has experienced considerable increases in costs that are key to delivering services, including labor, pension, fuel, and maintenance costs. Also, the company continues to acquire new assets to ensure it can deliver the safest, most efficient service possible.

Customer notification letters are included with this filing.

If approved by the Commission, the overall revenue requirement increase reflected in this filing would be approximately \$216,700. The rate increase would be spread among all classes of customers equally.

A copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to the Okanogan County Chair and Mayors of Twisp, and Winthrop, WA.

If there are any questions, please contact me.

Yours truly,

Weldon Burton

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 Cc: Jim DeTro-Chair-Okanogan County Board of Commissioners Soo Ing-Moody-Mayor-Twisp, WA.
Sally Ranzau-Mayor-Winthrop, WA
Casey Bouchard - Methow Valley Sanitation Service, Inc. d.b.a. WasteWise Methow