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## Rate Increase Notice

*June 13, 2024*

Dear Valued Customer,

Waste Management is pleased to be your solid waste services collection provider. We value your business and welcome your feedback on our services.

Like all of us, the garbage industry is faced with many challenges today. Rising costs for processing yard waste and recyclables and labor and maintenance expenses have resulted in increased costs for us to provide collection services. Many of the above-mentioned costs have risen considerably since our last general rate increase more than six years ago in September 2015. Accordingly, we have applied for a change in rates, subject to the review and approval of the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC). These proposed rates are shown on the back of this notice. If approved, the new rates would become effective August 1, 2024.

The UTC has the authority to set final rates that may be lower or higher from the company's request, depending on the results of its investigation. You can submit a comment to the UTC by using the online comment form at <https://www.utc.wa.gov/comment>, via email at [comments@utc.wa.gov](mailto:comments@utc.wa.gov), or by using the contact information below to write or call. Please include your name, mailing address, the name of the company (Waste Management), and a description of this filing.

***Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission***

***P.O. Box 47250***

***Olympia, WA 98504-7250***

***Telephone: 1-888-333-WUTC (9882)***

Commission staff will make a recommendation to the commissioners at an open meeting, which is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on July 25, 2024, at 621 Woodland Square Loop SE, Lacey, WA 98503. If you cannot attend in person, you have the option to listen or participate remotely. Call (360) 664-1234 at least a day before the open meeting for instructions and to sign in. If you need reasonable accommodations to participate in this open meeting, please contact the Commission at (888) 333-9882 or email at [comments@utc.wa.gov](mailto:comments@utc.wa.gov). We appreciate your patience as we adjust to these market conditions. The industry is working to meet the new quality demands while keeping costs down. We apologize for any confusion or inconvenience this has caused.

If you have questions or need additional information about the proposal please contact us as your convenience by email [pnwrsservices@wm.com](mailto:pnwrsservices@wm.com), chat with a representative by visiting [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com) or call our customer service team at 1-800-592-9995.

Thank you for your business.

Waste Management – North Sound

Waste Management – Marysville

**Proposed Rates Effective August 1, 2024**  
**Industrial Garbage Rates (billed monthly) (a)**

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Rate</u>
<b><u>Haul Rate</u></b>		
20 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 126.34	\$ 167.78
20 YD ROLLOFF TEMPORARY	\$ 139.46	\$ 185.20
20 YD COMPACTOR	\$ 163.22	\$ 216.76
20 YD SPECIAL PICKUP	\$ 141.97	\$ 188.54
<b><u>Monthly Rental Charge</u></b>		
RENT 10 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 37.27	\$ 49.49
RENT 15 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 49.65	\$ 65.94
RENT 20 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 59.12	\$ 78.51
RENT 25 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 69.84	\$ 92.75
RENT 30 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 74.42	\$ 98.83
RENT 40 YD ROLLOFF	\$ 90.86	\$ 120.66
<b><u>Daily Rental Charges</u></b>		
RENT 10 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 2.08	\$ 2.76
RENT 15 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 2.28	\$ 3.03
RENT 20 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 2.39	\$ 3.17
RENT 25 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 3.01	\$ 4.00
RENT 30 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 3.01	\$ 4.00
RENT 40 YD TEMPORARY	\$ 3.74	\$ 4.97

(a) Not all collection services provided by the company are listed above. If your particular service is not shown your proposed increase in your base service charge will be approximately 33% greater than your current rate. Please call the company's phone number listed on the front of this letter for further details.

(b) Haul Rates above do not include the cost of disposal. Additional ancillary charges may also apply.