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August 20, 2025

Mr. Jeff Killip Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE, Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Submittal, B&O Increase, Revised Tariff Number 5, Waste Connections of Oregon, dba Sanitary Disposal, Inc. G-173.

Dear Mr. Killip:

Attached please find revised pages for Tariff Number 5, for Waste Connections of Oregon, dba Sanitary Disposal, Inc. G-173.

Our Company was notified that effective October 1, 2025 the B&O tax is set to increase from 1.75% to 2.10%. With this filling, we respectfully request the Commission approve a rate increase to pass this increase through to customers. With this filling, we respectfully request the Commission approve a general rate increase to recover new capital, and higher costs for wages, employee benefits, and general operating costs.

The increase is proposed as follows: Residential garbage service \$128, 0.39%; commercial garbage service \$450, 0.39%; and roll-off garbage service \$230, 0.39%. There are approximately 161 residential garbage; 50 commercial garbage; and 24 roll-off garbage customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by the Commission became effective April 1, 2024.

Attached are the proposed tariff pages containing the increased rates, as well as supporting documentation for those changes. If these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission they are intended to become effective on October 1, 2025.

We respectfully ask that this filing be accepted under LSN, per WAC 480-70-276 for customer notification. If the LSN is accepted and these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the rates will become effective on October 1, 2025. Pursuant to WAC 480-70-271(2)(a)(iii), affected customers will receive notification of this change on the billing reflecting the revised rates.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (360) 566.6925, or via email at brian.vandenburg@WasteConnections.com.

Sincerely,

Brian Vandenburg Finance Analyst

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