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Amanda Maxwell Executive Director & Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: 2023 General Rate Case – G12 - Rabanco Ltd. (dba Tri-County Disposal, Allied Waste Services of Klickitat County, Rabanco Recycling) to be docketed

Dear Ms. Maxwell,

Enclosed is the proposed Tariff No. 8 of G-12 - Rabanco Ltd. (dba Tri-County Disposal, Allied Waste Services of Klickitat County, Rabanco Recycling), the purpose of which is a general rate increase request. It has been over a year since our last general increase on these rates and in that time we have experienced inflationary pressures on key operating costs and made investments in strategic operating assets. The proposed rates will offset increases in labor, fuel, maintenance, healthcare, pension, and other general operating expenses. If approved by the Commission, the overall revenue requirement increase reflected in this filing would approximate 22.1% or \$534,082.

The proposed rates impact services provided as follows:

	% Revenue Change	<pre>\$ Revenue Change</pre>	Estimated Rate Impacts	
Garbage:	+22.1%	\$534,082	+19.99%	

As required by Commission rules, a copy of this transmittal letter will be mailed to the Chairman of Klickitat County's Board of Commissioners impacted by this filing. Customer notification letters will be mailed on or before April 30, 2023. We will file a copy of the customer notices with your office prior to or at the same time as the mailing.

If you have any questions, please call me at (253) 656-9579.

Sincerely,

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