

November 16th, 2010

Dave Danner
Executive Secretary
Washington Utilities and
Transportation Commission
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: 2011 Recycle Plan Status - Rabanco Ltd (dba Allied Waste Services of Bellevue, Rabanco Companies, Eastside Disposal)

Dear Mr. Danner:

We have been working closely with King County to develop our new recycling plan for 2011 that helps both parties achieve the objective of increasing recycling participation and volumes within our regulated service areas. At this point we have not finalized all aspects of the plan and the resources required to carry out the plan.

We are in the final stages of completing the plan and anticipate having the completed plan along with the requisite certification from King County submitted to the Commission by <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>November 30</u>, <u>2010</u>. Extra time was required this year to complete the plan in order to ensure sufficient budgetary detail was presented to the County and that our mechanisms for tracking expenses related to the program are in place for the new year.

Sincerely,

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