Yakima Waste Systems, Inc. PO Box 2830 Yakima, WA 98907

July 20, 2020

Mr. Mark L. Johnson Executive Director and Secretary Attn: Records Section Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Tariff Submittal - B&O Tax Increase - Tariff Number 11, Yakima Waste Systems, Inc., G-89

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Attached please find revised pages for Tariff Number 11, for Yakima Waste Systems, Inc., G-89.

Our Company was notified that during the 2020 legislative session the state legislature increased the B&O tax from 1.5% to 1.75% effective April 1, 2020. With this filing, we respectfully request the Commission approve a rate increase to pass this increase through to customers.

The increase is proposed as follows: Residential service \$6,000, .27%; commercial service \$13,500, .27%; and roll-off service \$4,800, .27%. There are approximately 12,300 residential; 8,600 commercial; and 400 roll-off customers affected by this change.

The last general rate increase approved by The Commission for Yakima Waste Systems, Inc. became effective October 1, 2017.

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 September 1, 2020.

We respectfully ask that this filing be accepted under LSN, per WAC 480-70-276. If the LSN is accepted and these rates are approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the rates will become effective on September 1, 2020.

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) 695-4923, or Heather G@WasteConnections.com.

Sincerely,

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