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Jeff Killip, Executive Director, and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
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Subject: Waste Management of Spokane, a division of Waste Management of Washington, Inc.(G-237);
Tariff #18

Dear Mr. Killip:

Enclosed, please find revised pages, 2, 22, 23, 24, 28, 33, 34, 35, and 36 to the above-referenced tariff. These proposed revised tariff pages contain increased rates for residential and commercial garbage collection services. The requested rate increase is necessary to reflect the increases in the disposal rates at both the City of Spokane Waste to Energy (WTE) and the Spokane County Transfer Station (TS) facilities. The City of Spokane approved the increase in disposal fees from \$132.62 to \$141.90 per ton at the WTE facility and Spokane County approved an increase in disposal fees from \$125.40 to \$130.42 per ton at the transfer stations. Both increases will become effective on January 1, 2025. The increased rates, if approved by the commission, would increase Company revenue by approximately \$162,000, and residential and commercial garbage rates by 1.6%. The effective date of these proposed tariff revisions is January 1, 2025.

I am also including with this filing an LSN related to RCW 81.28.050 the notification of customers and tariff changes. We are requested to follow procedures outlined in WAC 480-70-271 (2)(a) and notify customers on their first invoice after the disposal changes have been approved.

Enclosed for your review are our accounting workpapers, documents from Spokane County and the City of Spokane notifying us of the disposal increases, and the referenced LSN.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (503) 956-8594.

Very truly yours,
Evan Burmester

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Senior Financial Analyst, Pacific Northwest Market Area

cc: Justin Comfort
Tami Yager
Clerk of the Board, Spokane County Chair