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# **Open Meeting Agenda**

04/24/2025 9:30 A.M.

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#### A. UTILITIES

Item	Docket	Company Description
1.	UE-220196	Puget Sound Energy
		Petition for an accounting order for authorization to use deferred accounting for fund grants disbursed under the Washington Participatory Funding Agreement.
		Petition
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2.	UG-220197	Puget Sound Energy
		Petition for an accounting order for authorization to use deferred accounting for fund grants disbursed under the Washington Participatory Funding Agreement.
		Petition
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#### 3. UW-250104 East Side Improvement Co., Inc.

General rate increase request that, as originally filed, would have generated approximately \$59,477 (131.67 percent) additional annual revenue for water services. Commission Staff and the Company have agreed to a lower additional annual revenue amount of approximately \$25,925 (54 percent) resulting in lower revised rates. The Company provides regulated domestic and irrigation water service to 44 customers in Kittitas County. This is the Company's first general rate since becoming regulated effective on July 1, 2022.

**Tariff Revision** 

Company

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#### **B. TRANSPORTATION**

Item	Docket	Company Description
1.	TG-250164	Kent-Meridian Disposal Company
		General rate increase request that generates approximately \$1,074,310 (7.26 percent) additional annual revenue for the collection of garbage, recycling, and yard waste services. The Company provides regulated solid waste collection service to approximately 22,000 residential and commercial customers in King County. The Company's last general rate increase became effective on April 1, 2023.
		Tariff Revision
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2.	TG-250171	Rabanco Ltd.
		General rate increase request for Rabanco Ltd. d/b/a Eastside Disposal that generates approximately \$413,404 (6.5 percent) additional annual revenue for the collection of garbage, recycling, and yard waste services. Commission Staff and the Company have agreed to a revised additional annual revenue of approximately \$321,000 (4.9 percent). The Company provides regulated solid waste collection service to approximately 11,000 residential and commercial garbage, recycling, and yard waste customers in King County. The Company's last general rate increase became effective on May 1, 2024.
		Tariff Revision
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## 3. TS-250098 Backcountry Travels LLC

Transfer Full Ownership of Backcountry Travels LLC d/b/a Stehekin Ferry and certificate BC068772 from current owners to Brun Garfoot and Reed Courtney.

Application for Transfer

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## C. OTHER

# D. RECESSED

### **E. CONSENT**

Item	Docket	Company Description
1.	TG-250107	Stericycle of Washington Inc.
		Petition for exemption from WAC 480-70-071, Reporting Requirements, regarding extension of time to file annual report.
		Petition for Exemption
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2.	TC-250153	Traxx America Inc; Beeline Tours LTD.
		Application for Transfer of C00152 from Beeline Tours LTD to Traxx America LLC
		Application for Transfer
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3.	TG-250173	Mason County Garbage Co., Inc.
		Less than statutory notice request for Tariff revisions for a \$1.01 decrease (debit decrease from \$2.20 to \$1.19) per month for residential recycling customers. The Company serves approximately 16,000 residential recycling customers in Mason County.
		Tariff Revision
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### 4. TG-250174 Columbia River Disposal, Inc.

Less than statutory notice for Columbia River Disposal, Inc., G-48, tariff revisions that would generate approximately \$18,000 (2.2 percent) additional annual revenue to recover the increased cost of disposal fees set by the Skamania County Board of Commissioners. On May 1, 2025, disposal fees will increase from \$93.87 per ton to \$96.84 per ton at the Skamania County Transfer Station. The Company serves approximately 2,665 garbage customers in Skamania County. The Company's last general rate increase became effective on April 1, 2018.

**Tariff Revision** 

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#### F. NO ACTION

Item	Docket	Re/Filed Effective	Company Description
1.	UE-230892	4/2/2025	Puget Sound Energy
			The Company's electric 2025 Annual Conservation Report, pursuant to WAC 480-109-120(3), describing the its achievement of 258,145 megawatt-hours of energy savings, at a cost of \$142.4 million, towards its biennial target.
			Plan
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2.	UG-230893	4/2/2025	Puget Sound Energy
			The Company's gas 2025 Annual Conservation Report, describing its achievement of 4,063,497 therms of energy savings, at a cost of \$31.3 million, towards its biennial target.
			Plan
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3.	UE-250123	2/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60, Schedule 120, Electricity Conservation Service Rider, increasing revenue by \$38.6 million. The monthly bill for an average residential customer using 800 kWh per month will increase \$1.41, or 1.11 percent.
			Tariff Revision
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4.	UG-250124	2/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-2, Schedule 120, Natural Gas Conservation Service Rider, increasing revenue by \$6.2 million. The monthly bill for an average residential customer using 64 therms per month will increase \$0.41, or 0.42 percent.
			Tariff Revision
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5.	TC-250196	3/24/2025	Bremerton-Kitsap Airporter, Inc.
		5/1/2025	Tariff No. 14 cancelling Tariff No. 13, requesting a 5 percent increase for flexible fares as allowed in WAC 480-30-420. The Company provides scheduled auto transportation service between points in Kitsap County and Pierce County, and the cruise ship terminal and SeaTac International Airport.
			Tariff Revision
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6.	UE-250197	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60, Schedule 141TEP, Transportation Electrification Plan Adjustment Rider, increasing electric revenue by \$4.6 million. The monthly bill for an average residential customer using 800kWh will increase \$.18, or .14 percent. The effective date of the rate change is May 1, 2025.
			Tariff Revision
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7.	UE-250200	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		4/27/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60, Schedule 129, Low Income Program, to increase program funding for customer benefits available through September 30, 2025, increasing electric revenue by \$34.8 million. The monthly bill for an average residential customer using 800 kWh will increase \$4.22, or 3.3 percent. The effective date of the rate change is May 1, 2025.
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8.	UG-250201	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-2, Schedule 129, Low Income Program, to increase program funding for customer benefits available through September 30, 2025, increasing gas revenue by \$7.8 million. The monthly bill for an average residential customer using 64 therms will increase \$3.54, or 3.67 percent. The effective date of the rate change is May 1, 2025.
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9.	UE-250203	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60 to implement changes to rates under the established Revenue Decoupling Adjustment Mechanism, as provided in the Commission's Order 10 in Dockets UE-220066 and UG-220067 (consolidated). Electric Schedule 142 adjusts rates, both up and down, for customers receiving service under Schedules 7, 7A, 8, 10, 11, 12, 24, 25, 26, 29, 31, 35, 43, 307, 317, 324, 327 and special contracts (Decoupled Customers). A typical residential customer using 800 Kwh per month will experience an increase of 0.18 percent or \$0.23 per month.
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10.	UG-250204	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-2 to implement changes to rates under the established Revenue Decoupling Adjustment Mechanism, as provided in the Commission's Order 10 in Dockets UE-220066 and UG-220067 (consolidated). Natural Gas Schedule 142 adjusts rates, both up and down, for customers receiving service under Schedules 23, 53, 31, 31T, 41, 41T, 86 and 86T (Decoupled Customers). The typical residential customer using 64 therms will experience an increase of 0.86 percent or \$0.83 per month.
			Tariff Revision
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11.	UE-250205	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60, to limit availability of the Solar- Only Green Energy Option under optional electric Schedule 135 to existing customers. New customers would still be allowed to participate under the Blended Renewable Option.
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12.	UE-250207	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-60, to implement rate changes under the Property Tax Tracker mechanism, as provided in the Commission's Order 07 in Dockets UE-121697 and UG-121705 (consolidated) and the Commission's Order 07 (Final Order Authorizing Rates) in Dockets UE-130137 and UG-130138 (consolidated) ("Order 07"). Supplemental Schedule 140 includes a mechanism for adjusting rates annually, both up and down to pass through the costs of property taxes consistent with the amounts the Company pays. A residential customer with typical usage of 800 kWh would experience a \$0.40 increase per month (or 0.32 percent).
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13.	UG-250208	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-2, proposing to change rates under the Property Tax Tracker mechanism, as provided in the Commission's Order 07 (Final Order Granting Petition) in Dockets UE-121697 and UG-121705 (consolidated) which was combined with the Commission's Order 07 (Final Order Authorizing Rates) in Dockets UE-130137 and UG-130138 (consolidated) ("Order 07"). Supplemental Schedule 140 includes a mechanism for adjusting rates annually, both up and down to pass through the costs of property taxes consistent with the amounts the Company pays. A residential customer with typical usage of 64 therms would experience a \$0.28 increase per month (or 0.29 percent).
			Tariff Revision
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14.	UG-250217	3/28/2025	Puget Sound Energy
		5/1/2025	Revises Tariff WN U-2, to eliminate the addition of new customers to optional Schedule 137 (Carbon Offset Service). This proposed revision clarifies the reduced availability of service under this tariff schedule to customers.
			Tariff Revision
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15.	TL-250228	3/28/2025	US Ecology Washington, Inc.
		5/1/2025	Revises the Company's Tariff increasing rates that will generate approximately \$241,233 (3.17 percent) additional annual revenue. The filing is pursuant to the Settlement Agreement in Docket TL-070848. The Company provides low-level radioactive waste disposal statewide.
			Tariff Revision
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16.	UW-250235	3/31/2025	Tatoosh Water Company
		4/30/2025	Contract between the Company and one customer of an installation of a meter and a service connection at 300th NW, Stanwood, WA 98292. This site is in Snohomish County.
			Contract
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17.	UT-250249	4/7/2025	Network Innovations, LLC
17.	U1-250249	4/7/2025 5/6/2025	Notice of name change adding Nitel as a DBA trade name. The company provided the license information from the Washington Stat Department of Revenue.
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