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Ms. Gerri Silva  
Director, Environmental Services  
County of El Dorado  
2850 Fairlane Court, Bldg. C  
Placerville, CA 95667

Re: Annual CPI Adjustment

March 17, 2010

Dear Ms. Silva,

Pursuant to Section 22.C. of that certain Solid Waste Services Agreement, dated as of August 23, 2004, as amended by that certain First Amendment of Solid Waste Services Agreement, effective January 1, 2010 (together, the "Agreement"), we are formally requesting that the County implement the automatic CPI adjustment for our hauling rates as well as our Transfer Station gate rates as provided for in Section 22.C of the Agreement. We have attached a copy of the Division of Labor Statistic and Research CPI calculator as the reference. As you will see, the increase in the Consumer Price Index – All Items – All Urban Consumers - California for the point to point period of December 2008 to December 2009, was 2.1%. Accordingly, we are entitled to a 2.1%% rate increase effective July 1, 2010.

We appreciate your co-operation and look forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact me at (530) 295 2816.

Sincerely,

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Divisional Vice President  
Waste Connections of California, Inc. d/b/a  
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**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DIVISION OF LABOR STATISTICS & RESEARCH  
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX CALCULATOR**

1 Select an index	California CPI
2 Select index type	All Urban Consumers
3 Select beginning month	December
4 Select beginning year	2008
5 Select ending month	December
6 Select ending year	2009

**Beginning  
Index value**  
**219.775**

**Ending  
Index value**  
**224.349**

Based upon the Index, Index type, and the time period you have specified, the percent change in the Consumer Price Index is equal to:

**2.1%**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS  
http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR

DIVISION OF LABOR STATISTICS AND RESEARCH  
P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, California 94142

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX - CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange Co., San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose, San Diego  
United States City Average, 2009-2010

All Items  
1982 - 1984 = 100

Year & Month	All Urban Consumers				Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers					
	California <sup>a</sup>	Los Angeles <sup>b</sup> Riverside Orange Co.	San Francisco <sup>b</sup> Oakland San Jose	San Diego <sup>b</sup>	U.S. City <sup>b</sup> Average	California <sup>a</sup>	Los Angeles <sup>b</sup> Riverside Orange Co.	San Francisco <sup>b</sup> Oakland San Jose	San Diego <sup>b</sup>	U.S. City <sup>b</sup> Average
2009 January	-	220.719	b		211.143	-	212.454	b		205.700
February	222.181	221.439	222.166		212.193	214.017	213.234	216.797		206.708
March	-	221.376	b		212.709	-	213.013	b		207.218
April	222.896	221.693	223.854		213.240	214.689	213.405	218.587		207.925
May	-	222.522	b		213.856	-	214.446	b		208.774
June	224.994	223.906	225.692	240.885	215.693	217.322	216.145	220.996	225.482	210.972
July	-	224.010	b		215.351	-	216.128	b		210.526
August	225.438	224.507	225.801		215.834	217.743	216.628	221.279		211.156
September	-	225.226	b		215.969	-	217.302	b		211.322
October	226.035	225.264	226.051		216.177	218.458	217.474	221.708		211.549
November		224.317	b		216.330		216.618	b		212.003
December	224.349	223.643	224.239	243.655	215.949	217.112	216.233	220.121	228.687	211.703
Annual Average	224.110	223.219	224.395	242.270	214.537	216.292	215.257	219.645	227.085	209.630
2010 January	-	224.610	b		216.687	-	217.290	b		212.568
February	225.626	224.620	226.145		216.741	218.299	217.090	222.049		212.544
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Annual Average										

<sup>a</sup> Weighted average of the consumer price indexes for Los Angeles-Anaheim-Riverside and San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose. A conversion factor has been included for comparability of 1987 data with 1986 and prior years. Computed by the Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Labor Statistics and Research from indexes issued by the U.S. Department of Labor.

<sup>b</sup> Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. Beginning with January 1998 data, indices for San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose will be published bi-monthly on even months only (February, April, June, etc.). Beginning with the January 2007 data, indices published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics will be rounded to three decimal places (see <http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpihreedec.htm>). The California indices conform to this change.