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Sue Farris
Waste Connections, Inc.
Amador/Calaveras Disposal
6500 Buena Vista Road
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Subject: 2009 Amador Disposal Rate Request

Dear Sue,

Thank you for taking the time to discuss the Amador Disposal Inc. financial reports. Per our discussion, please provide additional detail and explanation for the following line items:

- 1) Decrease in Revenue
- 2) Increase in Allocations and Allcations definition
- 3) Increase in Health Insurance
- 4) Increase in Salaries
- 5) Increase in Wages
- 6) Increase in Fuel Expense
- 7) Increase in Interest Expense (including CARB supporting documentation)

In addition, please provide a general statement that explains what steps, Amador Disposal has taken to keep the costs for services within the projection provided by Amador Disposal in the 2008 rate request.

In order to meet submittal deadlines for a June 2009 Board of Supervisors meeting, please remit all the required information to the Environmental Management Department no later than Wednesday May 20, 2009. Without a complete submission of the required information, there may be a delay in the date the Board of Supervisors will hear this rate increase request. Please verify the Board of Supervisor meeting date that Amador Disposal would like the public hearing to be scheduled.

Regards,

Gerri Silva, M.S., REHS
Director of Environmental Management

Cc. Kerri Williams, Fiscal Administration Manager