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Tariff Advice Letter No. 72-731 Regulatory Commission of Alaska 701 West 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 300 Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Re:

Alaska Waste Mat-Su, LLC d/b/a Alaska Waste

Residential Fuel Surcharge Filing

## Dear Commissioners:

This tariff filing is transmitted to you by Alaska Waste Mat-Su, LLC d/b/a Alaska Waste (Alaska Waste) in compliance with the Alaska Public Utilities Regulatory Act and 3 AAC 48.200 – 3 AAC 48.430.

Alaska Waste, through its undersigned consultants, revises the following tariff sheet:

Tariff Sheet Number		Cancels Sheet Number		Schedule or Rule Number	
Original	Revised	Original	Revised		
	51, 26 <sup>th</sup>		51, 25 <sup>th</sup>	Cost of Fuel Surcharge	

With this filing, Alaska Waste requests adjustment to its residential fuel surcharge which applies to all residential refuse collection services including extra can and bag charges for the Matanuska-Susitna Borough.

This filing results in a decrease to residential customers' bills from the current (2.9963%) fuel surcharge to the (3.1417%) fuel surcharge percentage which will be applied to all of the current 9,059 Matanuska-Susitna Borough residential customers. The reason for this change is the average cost of fuel increased from \$29,576 to \$29,598, the balancing account increased from (\$7,373) to (\$7,093), the annual revenues for the previous twelve months increased from \$2,777,635 to \$2,949,511 and the estimated quarterly revenue increased from \$694,409 to \$737,378. The estimated quarterly revenues from the proposed fuel surcharge are approximately (\$23,166) and the estimated base cost of fuel included in the rates are approximately \$45,671 for a total of \$22,505. This filing will not result in the termination of an existing service, conflict with any other schedule or rate, or will not in any other way adversely affect customers, or the public.

Alaska Waste also submits the following attachments supporting its fuel surcharge calculation: Diesel fuel invoices for October 2016 through December 2016 (Attachment A), a residential truck list with unique identifiers for each truck (Attachment B), and

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calculations of average cost per gallon and general ledger balances for revenue and diesel fuel expense accounts (Attachment C, submitted in Excel format). Alaska Waste is willing to provide additional documentation to support its calculations upon request.

This residential fuel surcharge filing does not include a new methodology or a new cost element therefore, per Letter Order L1400016, a publication notice is not required and Alaska Waste expects this tariff will go into effect for bills rendered on or after February 14, 2017.

Any inquiries regarding this filing should be addressed to the undersigned or Tracy Ferrell.

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ALASKA WASTE MAT-SU, LLC d/b/a ALASKA WASTE SECTION 300										
RATES	JN 300									
300.20.2 MAT-SU RESIDENTIAL SURCHARGES										
COST OF FUEL SURCHARGE										
(1	(1) Cost for Quarter Beginning <b>February 14, 2017</b>									
	Source	Quantity Ur	nit Cost	<u>Total</u>						
	Diesel Fuel	13,254 Gal X \$ 2.	.2332 per gal =	\$ 29,598	(R)					
(2	) Balance in Cost of December 31, 20	of Fuel Balancing Accoเ อ <b>16</b>	unt as of	<u>(\$7,093)</u>	(T)(R)					
(3	) Total Lines (1) an	d (2) above		\$ 22,505	(R)					
(4	) Estimated Reven	ue for Quarter		\$ 737,378	(R)					
	) Projected Cost of ) Base Cost of Fue			3.0520% <u>6.1937%</u>	(R)					
(7	) Cost of Fuel Surc	harge (Line (5)-(6))		(3.1417%)	(R)					
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i nis surcr	This surcharge applies to Residential rates and extra can and bag charges only.									
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