

WASTE MANAGEMENT INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CALDWELL BARRY H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1001 FANNIN, SUITE 40001001
 FANNIN, SUIT

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77001

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WASTE MANAGEMENT INC [WMI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/30/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/30/2006		M		50,000	A	\$ 21.05
Common Stock	05/30/2006		M		6,000	A	\$ 19.61
Common Stock	05/30/2006		F		4,022	D	\$ 35.53
Common Stock	05/30/2006		S		600	D	\$ 35.77
Common Stock	05/30/2006		S		1,900	D	\$ 35.76

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Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	11,800	D	\$ 35.75	58,015.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	7,300	D	\$ 35.74	50,715.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	6,100	D	\$ 35.73	44,615.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	2,137	D	\$ 35.72	42,478.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	2,000	D	\$ 35.71	40,478.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	5,700	D	\$ 35.7	34,778.7135	D
Common Stock	05/30/2006	S	500	D	\$ 35.69	34,278.7135	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
					Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 21.05	05/30/2006		M		50,000	10/08/2003	10/08/2012	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 19.61	05/30/2006		M		6,000	03/06/2004	03/06/2013	Common Stock	6,000
Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽³⁾	\$ 35.92	05/30/2006		A	3,311		11/30/2006	03/06/2013	Common Stock	3,311

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CALDWELL BARRY H 1001 FANNIN, SUITE 40001001 FANNIN, SUIT HOUSTON, TX 77001			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Linda J. Smith,
attorney-in-fact

05/31/2006

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Stock option granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 1993 Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option originally vested in 25% annual increments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant. The Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors accelerated the vesting of the Company's outstanding options effective December 28, 2005.

(2) Stock option granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option originally vested in 25% annual increments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant. The Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors accelerated the vesting of the Company's outstanding options effective December 28, 2005.

(3) Stock option granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan.

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