

REPUBLIC SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

April 28, 2004

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 28, 2004**

Commission file number: 1-14267

**REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation)

**65-0716904**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**Republic Services, Inc.**  
**110 S.E. 6th Street, 28th Floor**  
**Fort Lauderdale, Florida**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**33301**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(954) 769-2400**

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ITEM 5. OTHER MATTERS

Exhibit 99.1 attached to this Form 8-K is hereby filed pursuant to Item 5.

On April 28, 2004, Republic Services, Inc. issued a press release to announce its regular quarterly dividend as well as increases in its annual dividend and share repurchase programs, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference and attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(C) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release of the Company dated April 28, 2004 to announce its regular quarterly dividend as well as increases in its annual dividend and share repurchase programs.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

April 28, 2004

REPUBLIC SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Tod C. Holmes  
Tod C. Holmes  
Senior Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer (Principal Financial  
Officer)

By: /s/ Charles F. Serianni  
Charles F. Serianni  
Vice President and Chief Accounting  
Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)