#### **WASTE MANAGEMENT INC**

Form 4

November 21, 2006

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *ODONNELL LAWRENCE III	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	WASTE MANAGEMENT INC [WMI]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 FANNIN, SUITE 4000	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/20/2006	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  President and COO		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  _Form filed by More than One Reporting		
HOUSTON, TX 77002	Filed(Month/Day/Year)			

	.,		Person						
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature o		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	or(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Vear)	(Instr 8)		Owned Following	Direct (D)	Ownerchin		

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(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned Following	Direct (D)	Ownership
					(4)		Reported	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(I)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/20/2006		M	60,534	A	\$ 19.61	182,705.3046	D	
Common Stock	11/20/2006		F	42,037	D	\$ 37.77	140,668.3046	D	
Common Stock							3,631.4738	I	By 401(k) Plan

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)

D Se	Title of erivative ecurity nstr. 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	Acquired sposed of	d of		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
O (r	tock eption ight to uy) (1)	\$ 19.61	11/20/2006		M		60,534	03/06/2004	03/06/2013	Common Stock	60,5
O (r	tock ption ight to uy) (2)	\$ 37.985	11/20/2006		A	31,429		05/20/2007	03/06/2013	Common Stock	31,4

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ODONNELL LAWRENCE III								
1001 FANNIN			President					
SUITE 4000			and COO					
HOUSTON, TX 77002								

## **Signatures**

Linda J. Smith,
attorney-in-fact
11/21/2006
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person
Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Stock option granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 2000 Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option originally vested in 25% annual (1) 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. 2004 Stock Incentive Plan.

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