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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| | | | or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>Rankin Devina A</u> | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>WASTE MANAGEMENT INC</u> [WM] | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) (Check all applicable) Director 10% | | | |
| (Last) 1001 FANNIN | (First) N STREET | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2021 | | Officer (give title below) EVP, CFO and | Other (specify below) Treasurer | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indi Line) | vidual or Joint/Group Fil | ing (Check Applicable | | |
| HOUSTON | TX | 77002 | | X | Form filed by One Re | eporting Person | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | — | | Form filed by More the Person | nan One Reporting | | |
| | | Table I - Non-De | rivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Ben | eficially | y Owned | | | |
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| 1. Title | e of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Com | non Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 02/18/2021 | | A | | 29,141 | A | \$112.365 | 54,614.457 | D | |
| Com | non Stock | 02/18/2021 | | F | | 10,147 | D | \$112.365 | 44,467.457 | D | |
| Com | mon Stock ⁽²⁾ | 02/19/2021 | | S | | 1,391 | D | \$ 111. 402 1 ⁽³⁾ | 43,076.457 | D | |

 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. Transa Code (8) | | Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D | vative rities hired r osed) r. 3, 4 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ed ed | | Expiration Date Amount of | | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Settlement of performance share award granted under Waste Management, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan

2. Sale of additional shares to cover personal federal income tax obligation pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan.

3. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$111.39 to \$111.4050. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

| Courtney Tippy, Attorney-in- | |
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| | 02/22/2021 |
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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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