FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Watson Michael J.  (Last) (First) (Middle)  800 CAPITOL STREET, SUITE 3000				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WASTE MANAGEMENT INC [ WM ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2024									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sr. VP-Chief Customer Officer						
(Street)			7002		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St		Zip)	on-Deriva	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication    X   Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.    Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date			2. Transaction	on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Ť	5. Amount of		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Ì	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tra		rted action(s) . 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock <sup>(1)</sup>			02/13/20	124			Α		14,036	Α	\$196.8	345	55,470.8583			D		
Common Stock			02/13/2024					F		4,844	D	\$196.8	845 50,626.8583		26.8583	D			
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup> 02/14/20		24			S		775	D	\$198.6	98.625		49,851.8583		D					
Common	Stock														2,54	10.7707		I	By 401(k) Plan
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Conversion Date Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) If any			4. Transa	ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative		Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y		rcisable and Date	7. Title Amou Securi Under Deriva	e and nt of ities lying itive ity (Instr.	8. P Deri Sec	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number or derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y C	IO. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	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.

Courtney Tippy, Attorney-in-

02/15/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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