FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* POPE JOHN C | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WASTE MANAGEMENT INC [WM] | | | | | | | | | ionship of Reportinç all applicable) Director | | ng Person(s) to Iss 10% Ow | | | |
|--|--|--|--|---------------------------------|--|----|---|-----|---|-----------------|---|---|--|---|--|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| (Last) 800 CAF | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/15/2022 | | | | | | | | | | Office below | er (give title w) | | Other (specify below) | |
| (Street) HOUST(| | | 7002 | _ | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | i. Indiv ine) X | vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | on |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye | | | | Execution Date, | | ∍, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities A Disposed Of (I | | Acquired (A) or D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | l 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | 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 | | Transa | action(s) . 3 and 4) | | | (501 4) | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ 01/15/202 | | | 2022 | 2 | | | A | | 528 | A | \$156.2 | | | 55,260 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock ⁽²⁾ 01/18/202 | | | 2022 | :2 | | | S | | 195 | D | \$155. | .41 | 55,065 | | ı | 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/Ye. | | | 3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea | ition Date, Transac Code (li | | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye | | Date Ar y/Year) Se Ur De Se | | Amount of Securities | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr. | wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Co | ode | v | (A) | (D) | Dat Exe | te ercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | 1 | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Stock award granted pursuant to Waste Management, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan.
- 2. Sale of shares to cover personal income tax obligations upon grant of stock award, pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan.

Courtney Tippy, Attorney-in**fact**

01/18/2022

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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