

WASTE CONNECTIONS INC/DE

Form 4

July 10, 2001

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|   | UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE<br>COMMISSION<br>Washington, D.C. 20549  |   |  |
| Form 4                                  | STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP<br><br>Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | OMB APPROVAL<br><br><u>OMB Number: K235-0287</u><br><br><u>Expires: December 31, 2001</u><br><br>Estimated average burden<br><br>hours per response 0.5 |  |
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| (Print or Type Responses)               |  |   |  |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><br>Waste Connections Inc. / WCNX   | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  |

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| Mittelstaedt, Ronald<br>J.<br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | 3. IRS<br>Identification<br>Number<br>of<br>Reporting<br>Person,<br>if an<br>entity<br>(voluntary) | 4. Statement for<br>Month/Year<br><br>June, 2001 | (Check all applicable)<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X_Director _____ 10%<br>Owner<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> X_Officer (give<br>_____ Other (specify<br>title below) below)<br><br>Chairman, President<br>and C.E.O. |  |   |   |
| N20 Coolidge Drive,<br>Suite 350<br><br>(Street)          | 5. If Amendment,<br>Date of Original<br>(Month/Year)   |  | 7. Individual or<br>Joint/Group Filing<br><br>(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting<br>Person           |  |   |   |
| Folsom, CA 95630<br><br>(City) (State) (Zip)              | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                   |  |   |  |   |   |
| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 4)                     | 2. Trans-<br>action<br>Date<br><br>(Month/<br>Day/<br>Year)  | 3. Trans-<br>Action<br>Code<br>(Instr.<br>8)     | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>AND 5)  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned at<br>End of<br>Month<br>(Instr.<br>3<br>and<br>4) | 6. Owner-<br>ship<br>Form:<br>Direct<br>(D)<br>or<br>Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr.<br>4) | 4. Nature<br>of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br><br>(Instr.<br>4) |
| Common Stock  | 6/22/01  | G  | 2,000 D   | 632,953  | D   |   |
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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)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) |  | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year). |  | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) |  | 8. I |
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Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Ronald J. Mittelstaedt                      July 10, 2001

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

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*See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff

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