BOUCK STEVEN F

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BOUCK STEVEN F**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

WASTE CONNECTIONS, INC. [WCN]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

(Zin)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

10001 WOODLOCH FOREST DRIVE, SUITE 400

below)

President

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

12/26/2012

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THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

(State)

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - No	on-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			actio 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/18/2012		G	V	150 (3)	D	\$ 0 (3)	190,223	D	
Common Stock	12/21/2012		G	V	150 (4)	D	\$ 0 (4)	190,073	D	
Common Stock	12/21/2012		G	V	1,350 (4)	D	\$ 0 (4)	188,723	D	
Common Stock	12/26/2012		M		25,884 (2)	A	\$ 15.45	214,607	D	

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. 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.45	12/26/2012		M	25,884 (2)	10/27/2005	02/14/2016	Common Stock	25,884

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BOUCK STEVEN F

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THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

President

Signatures

Steve Bouck 12/28/2012

**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).
- (1) The zero in Table II, Column 8 is a placeholder only that is required by the EDGAR software and should be disregarded.
- This option was previously reported as an option for 11,504 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$34.76 per share, but was adjusted to reflect WCI's 3-for-2 stock splits in the form of 50% stock dividends effective June 24, 2004, March 13, 2007 and November
- 12, 2010. Accordingly, on November 12, 2010, the date the stock dividend was paid, the option became exercisable for 25,884 shares an an exercise price of \$15.45 per share.

(3) These are gift shares

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(4) These are gift shares to a bonafide charity.

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