

Waste Connections Completes Refinancing of Credit Facility

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Waste Connections, Inc. today announced that it has completed the refinancing of its senior secured credit facility through a new \$800 million five-year unsecured credit facility. The refinancing increases the Company's facility by \$50 million, lowers its current interest rates on the facility, extends the maturity to September 2012, and includes pre-approval to increase the facility size by an additional \$200 million in the future. The Company currently has approximately \$520 million utilized, including outstanding letters of credit, and an additional \$480 million of either available or pre-approved capacity under its credit facility.

Ronald J. Mittelstaedt, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, said, "We are extremely pleased with the results of this financing. Despite continuing turmoil in the credit markets, we were successful in further reducing our borrowing costs and increasing available capacity to fund our growth strategy. This success is a result of the continuing improvement in our financial profile, our recent upgrade to an investment grade credit rating, and the strong support of our lending group."

Waste Connections, Inc. is an integrated solid waste services company that provides solid waste collection, transfer, disposal and recycling services in mostly secondary markets in the Western and Southern U.S. The Company serves more than one million residential, commercial and industrial customers from a network of operations in 23 states. The Company also provides intermodal services for the movement of containers in the Pacific Northwest.

Waste Connections, Inc. was founded in September 1997 and is headquartered in Folsom, California. For more information, visit the Waste Connections web site at <http://www.wasteconnections.com/>.

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