

Waste Management only takes their trash to the NRG Resource Recovery facility 50% of the time...leaving 50% to the landfills. Waste Management is no mom and pop. It is the largest waste hauler in the world.

I used to be a customer of Eagle Environmental. But then they got bought out by Superior and then Onyx. They are now owned by a French multi-national corporation called Veolia. Their trash goes to a landfill.

Aspen is locally owned—but it's a large company operating in ~~many~~ states. *They have 52 trucks in the Twin Cities.*
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Allied Waste bought BFI. They are the second largest waste hauler in the world. Most of their waste goes to a landfill.

Here's what you get with Ken Berquist & Son: It's a business that has been in St. Paul for 75 years. Jim bought the company from his dad, Ken. You are likely to see Jim driving the truck on Thursdays. Jim's sons, Mike and Dan, also drive trucks for other routes. Jim's wife, Bonnie, and Mike's wife, Kristi, work in the office. **THEY DON'T USE A LANDFILL!**

Please give me a call if you think you might like to switch over. I'll keep track of our block's participation and make sure we are getting the right discount. My number is 651.230.9589. To set up your service, call Berquist at 651.699.2442. They have no sign up fee, no cancellation fee and no contract to sign.

Here's to cheaper rates, fewer trucks, smaller landfills and a stronger mom and pop.

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