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To: Golf Commission Meeting
Date: September 28, 2009
Subject: Golf Advisory Commission Meeting

Meeting was called to order by Member Bunch @ 4:00 P.M.

Roll Call: Present: Members Bunch, Calderone, Strack, Golf Pro Merrill, Greenkeeper Matt Miles, Park Supt. Don Miles, and Public Works Director Cox.

Absent: Mike Spah

Also Present: Gene Fischer

The minutes from the August 24, 2009 meeting were approved.

Greenkeeper Report:

September

Tees and green approaches were core aerified, verti-cut and fertilized.

Cold patch was applied to the potholes on the cart paths.

The irrigation project for the greens and tees is underway.

The starter's shelter has received a final coat of stain.

The new landscape bed in the center of the main parking lot has been finished by the Park Department.

Golf Pro Report:

Green fee receipts are ahead of last year's receipts. Green fee play has increased since the fall special was started on September 14th.

We had 116 green fees at the G.H.S. Invitational. People have seen the ads for the fall special in the newspapers and are coming out to play.

Old Business:

None

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New Business:

Member Bunch asked about cutting pathways from the tee box to the fairway. This would be an extra time/expense.

Fees for 2010 were discussed. Member Bunch suggested minimal increase, if any. Member Calderone suggested no increases. Member Bunch suggested increasing the cost storage fees and locker rental fees. Golf Pro does not recommend raising green fees.

Meeting adjourned at 4:40 P.M.

Next meeting October 26, 2009.

Larry Cox, Director of Public Works