Golf Commission Regular Meeting May 10, 2023

The Golf Commission held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 10, 2023, at the Orchard Golf Course, in the clubhouse. Chairman Amato called the meeting to order 5:30 p.m.

Roll Call

Members Present:

G. Amato

W. Healey

J. O'Connell

D. Worroll

K. Hurley

N. Veccharelli

Excused:

B. Nash

R. Vitali, Aldermen Liaison

Public Comment

None.

Consideration of minutes of April 12, 2023

Commissioners O'Connell and Veccharelli made and seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on April 12, 2023, as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman's Report

Chairman Amato reported that everything at the golf course is working well. Chairman Amato would like to share a reminder about a date change for the June meeting. The Commission will meet on Wednesday, June 21, 2023, at 5:30 pm at the Orchard Golf Course clubhouse.

Committee Reports

a. Building and Grounds -

Commissioner Healey shared that there is no further update on the course getting a larger golf cart building, he will report back next month. Regarding the ice machine, Commissioner Healey has spoken to a repairman and is still waiting for the specific machine part.

Also Present:

R. McNeil, NE Golf

H. Mulrenan, Alderman Liaison

Commissioner O'Connell reported that the tent that was discussed at the last meeting will be installed on the grounds this week.

b. Financial Report.

Commissioner Worroll reported the following account balances:

Repair and Maintenance: \$5

Water: \$4,874 Secretarial: \$142 Postage: \$50 Projects: \$5,762

Open Space: \$258,749 Golf Fund 18: \$251,240

Commissioner Worroll shared that he attended the Board of Aldermen Budget Hearing to speak about the Golf Commission budget and financials.

Unfinished Business

Commissioner Healey inquired about the minimum age to be on the golf course. Discussion ensued about various safety hazards, the Junior League ages, and insurance. R. McNeil of NE Golf will report back with an official statement about the minimum age to be on the course for the Commission's approval.

Management Report

Mr. McNeil reported that everything is running very well, with rounds up about 7% over last year and revenue up as well. He shared that he has interns coming in soon from the high schools. There is no update on the practice netting yet.

Report on Rounds – Commissioner Worroll distributed the report on rounds and reviewed the numbers with the Commission. When reviewing the April numbers, Commissioner Healy noted there was a 40-round increase in 2023, compared to 2022.

New Business

None.

Being no further business, Commissioners Worroll and Veccharelli made and seconded a motion to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brooke Corlson

Brooke Carlson Recording Secretary