Golf Commission Regular Meeting November 8, 2023

The Golf Commission held its regular meeting on Wednesday, November 8, 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

K. Hurley

R. Mayo

J. O'Connell

D. Worroll

Excused:

N. Veccharelli

W. Healey

Public Comment

None.

Consideration of minutes of October 11, 2023

Commissioners O'Connell and Hurley made and seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on October 11, 2023, as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman's Report

Chairman Amato reported that all feedback and reports indicate that the course is running smoothly and in good condition. Chairman Amato asked that the recording secretary distributes the schedule for 2024 meeting dates of the Commission.

Committee Reports

a. Building and Grounds -

Chairman Amato shared on his discussion with Commissioner Healey about the building and grounds reports. He reported that the ice machine is fixed and working again. More topics will be discussed later in the meeting.

b. Financial Report.

Also Present:

D. Snyder, NE Golf

H. Mulrenan, Alderman Liaison

R. Vitali. Aldermen Liaison

Commissioner Worroll reported the following account balances:

Repair and Maintenance: \$9,657

Water: \$11,505 Secretarial: \$200 Projects: \$12,426 Open Space: \$258,749 Golf Fund 18: \$255,362

Commissioner Worroll stated that the Golf Fund 18 account will increase after the first of next year.

Unfinished Business

None.

Management Report

Report on Rounds – D. Snyder reported that the numbers are trending similar to last year (2022). He shared that the water has been turned off and irrigation is scheduled.

Commissioner Worroll shared that they replaced the batteries in some of the carts. Discussion ensued among the Commission about golf cart usage and the possibility of investing in more electric carts.

New Business

Commissioners O'Connell and Worroll made and seconded a motion to have the recording secretary create and distribute the schedule for 2024 Regular Meeting dates on the second Wednesday of every month at 5:30pm at The Orchards Golf Course. Motion carried unanimously.

Executive Session

a) Report of Negotiating Committee

Commissioners Worroll and O'Connell made and seconded a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss the management contract. Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Worroll stated the Commission would enter Executive Session. The Commission adjourned to Executive Session at 5:45pm

<u>Commissioners O'Connell and Worroll made and seconded a motion to come out of Executive Session. Motion carried unanimously.</u>

Chairman Amato reconvened the Commission in public session at 5:52pm

Commissioners Worroll and O'Connell made and seconded a motion to refer the contract to the City for approval. Motion carried unanimously.

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

Meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Broom Carlson

Brooke Carlson

Recording Secretary

GOLF COMMISSION		
REGULAR MEETING SCH	EDULE 2024	
Note: All meetings of the Golf Commission take place at the		
Orchards Golf Course in the clubhouse		
on the 2nd Wednesday of the month.		
MEETING DATE	MEETING LOCATION	TIME
January 10, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
February 14, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
March 13, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
April 10, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
May 8, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
June 12, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
July 10, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
August 14, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
September 11, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
October 9, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
November 13, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.
December 11, 2024	Orchards - Clubhouse	5:30 p.m.