

**August 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2020**

**GOLF & CEMETERY BOARD MEETING**

**Time: 5:45 PM**

**COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**Call to Order**

**Approve Minutes of July 2020 Meeting**

**Public Input**

**Agenda Items**

- A. Cemetery Revenue Report (Cemetery Donation)
- B. Clubhouse & Revenue Report
- C. Golf Operations Report
- D. Covid policies
- E. Hole sponsors
- F. 2021 funding request update
- G. Website improvements
- H. Flyover video of golf course

Operations Report

Finished up with weed eating the golf and cemetery hopefully for last time of the year seeing how the seasonal labor is dwindling. We will more than likely not be that lucky. Stump removal has been in the works for the last month. We try to knock out what we can handle at a time so we still are able to get our other work done. We have six stumps yet to grind, fill, and seed. Unfortunately we will have about fifteen more trees to cut down and clean up this fall. Hopefully since we are getting caught up on existing stumps we are able to keep up with future tree removal. With the aerial lift fixed we will be busy this fall and winter trimming trees and clearing hazards out of them.

We will be spraying growth regulator on the golf course to help with the mowing pressure from the absence of labor. The cemetery has already done most of this spraying. There has been some algae, and moss growth on the greens and some approaches from excessive moisture. This is common this time of year from trying to balance the right amount of moisture on the greens, and attempts to increase green speed. With taller grass you do not need to water as much and the taller denser grass is not as prone to these problems. A good topdressing program also helps inhibit the growth of algae and moss.

We received three loads of sand for aerification and sealing the greens this fall. We will be proceeding with some over seeding and tee leveling this fall as time permits. The crew has been putting in 110% when at work to keep up with the demands of putting out a great product. When I get complements from golfers and the public I try to convey that to the crew also because they deserve credit also. I am also glad that Mr. Thurman is able to help with advice, and jump in and help when needed. It is nice to bounce ideas off of someone with the experience and knowledge of this property that he possesses.

Respectfully..

Jason Gunnare

Golf & Cemetery Department