

VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
GOLF ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes
June 20, 2016

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The Golf Advisory Committee was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Hall. The following members were present:

Dale Thomas, Chairman
Eva Levy
Ron Schmidt
Scott Shore

Committee members Jim Hirsch and Mitch Melamed were absent.

2. APPROVAL OF THE 2016 MAY MINUTES

The May Golf Advisory Committee meeting minutes were approved as written.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

- None

4. MANAGERS MONTHLY REPORT

- Dale Thomas welcomed Eva Levy to her first meeting on the committee.
- Stella reviewed the May monthly reports and financial statement.
- The weather in May was detrimental to the revenues due to the 17 days of measureable rainfall.
- The 14th hole green was expanded to provide additional pin placements increasing the difficulty of the hole. The bunker was also expanded to address some drainage issues.
- The CDGA is coming to the course in July to evaluate the rating and slope as is required every 8 years.
- A discussion on the willow trees and the tree replacement plan took place.
- The financial statement was reviewed and although the revenues were under budget the savings in expenses allowed the course to meet the monthly net budget.
- The discounting of neighboring courses was discussed and the long term negative affects to the industry.
- The permanent tee time program was discussed and the fact that the budget has been exceeded in this category.
- Stella informed the committee that the IPGA senior stroke event is going be held in June.
- Scott Shore remarked that the Par 3 shoot-out was very well run and an enjoyable event.
- Stella informed the committee that a meeting was held with the Chicago Botanic Garden regarding issues on their property from errant golf shots. The CBG is proposing installing netting to address the situation. An

update on the plans will be presented to the committee when it becomes available.

- A question was asked as to the size of the proposed netting and how unsightly it might be. Stella responded that the net height would be determined based on how far it is from the tee box. She also suggested that the poles for the netting can be situated in line with existing trees and landscaping on the golf course and would hopefully not be unsightly.
- Stella also informed the committee that a sign was put on the 16th tee to let golfers know that errant shots may cause damage and to choose their clubs appropriately.

5. CLOSED SESSION

6. OTHER BUSINESS

- A comment was made that the carry is too long off of the ladies tees to hit the fairway. A discussion ensued with some members believing the carry is appropriate and that the high handicappers might want to use an alternate tee.
- A suggestion was made to create a hybrid scorecard that includes some red tees and some green tees to address the situation. Stella responded that she would follow up at the next meeting with a proposed hybrid scorecard.

7. ADJOURNMENT

- There being no further business for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.