



City of Albuquerque

Municipal Golf Advisory Board March 2019 Minutes

Meeting Held: 9/16/2020

Location: Zoom Meeting

In attendance:

Denise Foor	ADO Women's ADO Men's	David Salas, COA Golf Management
Karla DeGroft	Los Altos Men's Los Altos Women's	Henry Rodarte, COA Golf Management Gabriel Moreno, COA Golf management
Chris Grover Thomas Borst	Ladera Women's Ladera Men's PDS Women's PDS Men's	
Dana Lehner	Youth Golfers	
Margarett Terpening	Senior Golfers At Large PDS Concessionaire Los Altos Concessionaire LAD Concessionaire	
Tony Hidalgo	ADO Concessionaire	

Meeting was called to order at 3:07 pm by Karla DeGroft.

Introductions

Karla DeGroft: Opened the Golf Advisory Board (GAB) meeting dialogue. We went around having self-introductions of everyone in attendance which included: Board Members, City Staff and Concessionaires.

Minutes

Minutes from February 2020 were reviewed and approved.

Public Comments

There was no public comment

Golf Management Reports and Updates

Personnel Updates

David Salas Reported:

- (2) Assistant Golf Course supervisors Los Altos and Arroyo, Interviews scheduled 9/23/2020
- (1) B-28 Mechanic for Los Altos Interviewed and selected, paperwork downtown
- (1) M-12 Administrative Assistant Interviewed and selected, paperwork downtown
- (2) B-23 Equipment Operators Puerto and ADO, Closed and under review for interview selection

Rounds and Revenue

Gabriel Moreno: Explained how we closed on the previous fiscal year flat on rounds but 4% up on greens fee revenue. Gabriel went on to report we are up 33% on rounds for July and August compared to the same time last year and up 35% on greens fees compared to the same time last year.

Concessionaire Comments

Tony: Advised the Board we should continue taking Tee-Times in advance as it is working great.

Golf Advisory Board (GAB) Member Comments

Denise Foor Reported:

- ADO Ladies are quite happy
- Talked about the new Tee on 15
- Denise reported for Regina Dubay that the PDS Ladies are proud of PDS

Thomas Borst Reported:

- Stated forward tee markers were not correct, Chris Grover disagreed with him and corrected him
- Thomas said some type of marker would help to find them easier

Chris Grover Reported:

- Ladies are happy
- Restrooms inside and out have no soap, David advised he would discuss with Bill and James
- Golf Course is good
- Liked the patio covering

Margarett Terpening Reported:

- The US Flag was torn and was replaced by the time they were done playing
- Golf balls are still flying over the net on #8 at Los Altos
- Puerto Del Sol is good
- The rough is still high at PDS
- Weed at PDS is terrible
- No shot gun starts
- Likes riding single in a cart
- Margarett mentioned there were 16 Tee times for Ladies tournament
- Margarett mentioned the forward tee is hard and is hard to tee up

Dana Lehner Reported:

- There will most likely be no tournament shotgun start before the end of the year
- Talked to the Board about his resignation from the Sun Country and the he was taking a position with the competition and was resigning his position on the GAB
- Dana requested the Sun Country stay on the Board permanently

Karla DeGroft Reported:

- The Bond for Equipment and lighting at Los Altos was denied
- Would like to see 12 minute tee times permanently
- Reported the forward tee at Los Altos #12 in bad shape, full of weeds
- Karla thanked the maintenance crew for the branch cleanup after the wind storm
- Karla reported they had 52 entries as of then for the Women's City and thanked the committee for their hard work

- Karla received complaints from some weekend golfers that they cannot get any early tee times by calling because the early tee times are taken by the golfers who are checking in early on Saturday or Sunday, because 7 days ahead is when they take tee times. Sometimes the calls are not answered. The only way they feel they can get a tee time before 10:00 is to show up in person when the course opens.

Old Business:

No old business

New Business:

No New Business

Next meeting will be held via: Zoom 10/15/2020

Meeting Adjourned: 4:06 pm Denise motioned, Margaret second.

Approved by: _____
Denise Foor/Karla DeGroft