

## **MEMORANDUM**

July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021

TO: Lincoln Municipal Golf Committee

FR: Wade Foreman Business Coordinator & Casey Crittenden, Maintenance Coordinator

Cc: Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

RE: July Golf Report

### **Golf Update:**

The number of golf rounds for the month of June continued to outpace the target number. Actual golf rounds for June were 30,924 which was 18.5% above the targeted number of rounds. Through ½ of the month of July it is on pace for around just over 28,500 rounds if weather holds true to form for the rest of July. July and August are typically the most consistent months for golf rounds played year after year due to the lack of rainfall in these months. The Golf Customer Satisfaction survey will close next week and we will have all the data compiled for the August meeting.

It has been very hot this past month with the high temps and high humidity the fungus is now beginning to settle in on fairways. We can expect the poa in the fairways to continue to fade out until more consistent cooler temps arrive later in the summer. The irrigation system at Pioneer is scheduled for this fall and we would ask golfers to please be patient if for any reason you encounter a construction worker. They will most likely not be in your way. Please remember the work they are doing is critical to the future of our Pioneer golf course. Irrigation repairs and work will be beginning on NEW #5 fairway at Pioneers in early August with removal of the trees along the right side of the existing hole. Except for the large cottonwood tree near green. The golf car bid was awarded to Nebraska Golf and Turf a local business, and new carts are scheduled to arrive next March. Crews are doing their best to keep the existing fleet of carts running.

### **Capital Improvements Update:**

Nothing new to report for July

### **Player Development Update:**

Majority of the summer programs and classes will be finishing up the first week of August. Fall sessions will start up in mid to late August and will run until early October. A very popular yearly event the Chuck Domant Youth/Adult Tournament is happening at Jim Ager Course on July 31<sup>st</sup> and Aug 1<sup>st</sup>. This event is put on by the Lincoln Municipal Golf Association and run by Bruce Jacoby.