

HGRD AD HOC GREEN COMMITTEE

CHARTER HERONS GLEN RECREATION DISTRICT

Committee Purpose & Charter

The Green Committee is subject to the General Policies which apply to all of Herons Glen Recreation District committees. The Green Committee will consist of no more than seven (7) voting members. Board Liaison will establish meeting times, dates and locations making those known to the Board of Supervisors.

The Green Committee will act in an advisory capacity regarding golf course maintenance, playing condition standards, and overall upkeep of the golf course.

Responsibilities and Oversight

- Review with the Golf Course Superintendent and Management to ensure the highest mutually agreed-upon standards of maintenance for the golf course.
- Assist in developing and implementing written goals, guidelines, and objectives related to playing condition standards with the Superintendent who will carry out this direction without the committee's direct oversight, which is the responsibility of the General Manager.
- Prepare a mission statement along with the Superintendent that explains all aspects of the goals and objectives that will be collectively followed.
- Provide constructive feedback related to operations and playing condition standards. Suggestions outside of a formal committee meeting should be in writing.
- Review a course closure schedule with the Board that will allow the golf maintenance team uninterrupted access to perform necessary maintenance tasks, such as mowing, applying chemicals/fertilizers, verticutting, topdressing, etc. Be an advocate for the programs in place.
- Assist the Superintendent in dealing with member complaints addressing situations in a direct and timely manner.
- If necessary, submit appropriate recommendations to the Board of Supervisors concerning matters within the Committee's jurisdiction, including, but not limited to, defining boundaries of play, golf course maintenance operating outlays and equipment replacement needs.
- If necessary, assist in submitting requests to the Board of Supervisors provided by the superintendent and golf course architect for capital infrastructure renovations and upgrades.
- Depend heavily on the Superintendent's knowledge and experience for agronomic opinions, answers, and advice.
- In April of each year, the committee shall present a year-end report to the Board that includes unfinished projects and outstanding issues.
- Review the USGA's Glossary of Golf Turfgrass Terms as an indoctrination, to understand the agronomy practices being discussed.