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MEMORANDUM

To: Yolanda Lozano, Interim City Clerk
From: Greg Jackson, Deputy Director TPRD
Subject: Tucson Greens Committee- 2025 Annual Report

The Greens Committee convened in a hybrid format throughout the year in January, February, March, April, May, August, October, and November. Meetings included regular reporting on golf operations and financial performance, Players First results, events, and course conditions.

Randolph Reimagined remained a priority focus throughout the year, with a key milestone in August when staff advanced a recommendation to the 2018 Parks and Connections Bond Oversight Commission to reallocate irrigation funding in support of the improvement project. The Commission approved the proposal.

January marked several key developments, including the onboarding of Brett Gilmore as new General Manager and the implementation of GolfNow Payments, enhancing payment processing flexibility across golf operations. The month also included hosting the Pima Community College Tournament.

In February, the Randolph Golf Course/Dell Urich hosted the 2025 Tatum Best Ball event, and the El Rio Golf Course conducted its Paris League and a two-day Southern Arizona Junior Golf Association (SAJGA) tournament.

During the March meeting, Tucson Water Deputy Director Scott Schladweiler presented updates on the PFAS well, reporting that water production is currently insufficient to meet operational requirements. Groundwater modeling and plume boundary delineation are in progress, in collaboration with Tucson Water and ADEQ to identify a facility and ensure water delivery to both the facility and the Randolph Golf Course.

An overseed program was successfully implemented from mid-September through October 3, 2025, resulting in favorable feedback on program performance and course conditions.

In May, Commissioner Brent Davis was selected as Vice Chairman. During the same meeting, consultant Kevin Norby delivered a comprehensive presentation on the final concept plan for the bike and pedestrian paths along 22nd Street and Dell Urich Golf Course. The design has reached approximately 60% completion, and staff will begin coordinating with the U.S. Army Corp of Engineering to demonstrate the proposed improvements and the impact on the flood control project.

Over the summer months, the El Rio Golf Course hosted a variety of events, including the Callaway Fitting Day Experience, Friday Nite 9 Hole 4 Person Blind Draw Scramble, and Friday Fish Fry. The golf system also launched the new Access Rewards Program, enabling golfers to earn redeem points for complimentary rounds through online prepaid tee time reservations

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Under the program, 95% of revenue is retained by the course with 5% held in escrow to fund redeemed rounds. Additionally, a new loyalty card program, was introduced in December, offering a range of incentives and special promotions for cardholders.

At the November meeting, Deputy Director Greg Jackson announced that the proposal for a Golf Improvement Fee (\$2.00 per round dedicated to capital repairs and renovations, as recommended by the Tucson Greens Committee) was brought forward to the December 16, 2025, Study Session for Mayor and Council discussion.

cc: Tucson Greens Committee

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