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MEMORANDUM FOR President, Golf Advisory Council, The Links at Redstone, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama 35898

SUBJECT: The Links at Redstone Golf Advisory Council Meeting Minutes – 14 September 2023

- 1. The enclosed subject minutes are approved/disapproved.
- 2. My point of contact is Mr. Ed Nunn, Chief, Business Operations Division, Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, 256-842-0876 or eddie.w.nunn.naf@army.mil.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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MARTIN J. TRAYLOR

Deputy to the Garrison Commander



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MEMORANDUM THRU Director, Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, (AMIM-REW/Mr. Derrick Gould), 4488 Martin Road, Redstone Arsenal, AL 35898

FOR Deputy to the Garrison Commander, (Mr. Martin Traylor/AMIM-REG-ZB), 4488 Martin Road, Redstone Arsenal, AL 35898

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- 1. The Golf Advisory Council held its meeting 14 September 2023, The Links at Redstone.
- 2. The agenda for the meeting is enclosed.
- 3. The following members/representatives were present:

Mr. Tom Small - President

Ms. Ellen Neffgen - Secretary / Member at Large

Ms. Kathleen Stirling - Redstone Arsenal Ladies Golf Association (RSALGA)

Ms. Dee Thonus - Member at Large

Mr. Gary Haught - Golf Manager, The Links at Redstone

- 4. The following member was not present:
 - Mr. Tim Starostanko Member at Large
- 5. Opening Remarks: Mr. Small opened the meeting at 1205.
- 6. Golf Operations: Mr. Haught provided a report on golf operations.
 - a. Mr. Haught stated that as of today The Links at Redstone has 130 members.
- b. Mr. Haught mentioned that they will soon be spraying fall pre-emergent. They will also be spraying pre-emergent and fertilizer on the tees, fairways, and the rough around the greens in the spring. The Links at Redstone is currently maintaining the course with only five full-time employees, four part-time employees, and three borrowed employees for 36 holes.

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- c. Mr. Haught mentioned they are working on getting new signs for the driving range and also new cart path only signs for the par 3's.
 - d. Mr. Haught stated that there will be two aerifications of the greens next year.
 - e. The members discussed proper golf attire as the standard has been updated.
- f. The Webtrac system is being updated by Vermont Systems to make it easier for golfers to schedule tee times.
- g. Mr. Haught mentioned the possibility of changing the flags on the greens to all white instead of red, white, and blue to save on costs.
- 7. Volunteer Committee Report: Ms. Stirling reported that the garden areas are still being well maintained. The green tee box markers will be repainted soon and Ms. Thonus indicated that she can repaint the changed colors on the monuments.
- 8. Ladies Golf League Report: Ms. Stirling reported that the ladies league is still going strong and the last play day and luncheon will be 25 October 2023. The current ladies league tee times will continue after the league ends for those ladies who want to continue golfing into the colder months.
- 9. The meeting adjourned at 1325.

10. The next Golf Advisory Council Meeting will take place Thursday, 19 October 2023, 1200, The Links at Redstone.

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THOMAS SMALL
Golf Council President

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The Links at Redstone Golf Advisory Council Meeting 14 September 2023

1200 - 1205 Opening Remarks

Tom Small

1205 - 1225 Golf Course Report

Gary Haught

1225 – 1240 Volunteer Committee Report

Kathleen Stirling

1240 - 1245 Ladies Golf Report

Kathleen Stirling

1245 - 1300 Closure and Adjourn

Next Golf Advisory Council Meeting will be 19 October 2023.