

**Town of Southborough, MA
Minutes from the Meeting of the Golf Course Committee
Tuesday, October 14, 2025
Public Safety Training Room
32 Cordaville Road, Southborough MA 01772**

Board Members in Attendance: Jen Selig, Pat Lally, Kathy Coburn, Brenna Pierson, Tony Schoener via Zoom

Others in attendance: John Allen, Dick Crucianie, and Sam Stivers,

- Meeting Called to order 9:05 AM
- Minutes of September Meeting approved
- Continuing Business:
 - a. Discussion of the Irrigation project and how to fill the gap through the revolving fund. Suggestion: have a discussion Andrew Dennington. Article says, allow, not require the funds to be transferred to the general fund. Need to define unencumbered funds.
Selectboard voted to get more bids on the Irrigation project, The only bid that came in was \$250,000 over what was appropriated.

Comments: Dick Crucianie said that as long as we are proceeding forward for irrigation the money should still be available.

Recommendation to ask Kathy Cooke to indefinitely postpone the article on the golf course.

John Allen suggested that part of the irrigation project be done and then add to it later.

The Special Town Meeting will be held October 27, 2025

Paving of first hole cart path scheduled for October 21, 2025

- Discussion of Fence and Trees to help prevent golf balls from leaving the golf course
Evergreens preferred: Eastern White Pine is acceptable
- Signage for golf course: Golfers please be aware that you are responsible for any damage caused by wayward golf balls. Need to check with Mark Purple on the wording of the signs. Mark stated that the town would take care of the signs.
Suggested colors: blue with white letters
- Further improvements: Tee boxes on holes 2, 8, and 9 will be resodded.
- Capital Projects : Maintenance building refurbish of instead of rebuilding (Audubon Society might give approval to refurbish rather than new construction).

Adjournment

- Next meeting Dec 2, 2025
- No documents used at Meeting
- Submitted by Patricia Lally Secretary of Golf Committee