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# JULY GREENS UPDATE

- GOLF COURSE UPDATE
  - The end of June and most of July were exceptionally dry for southeast Michigan and we are technically in a drought situation, for 3-4 weeks we averaged putting out over 350,000 gallons of water per night to keep the golf course nice and green. The resource of free water is a tremendous benefit to West Shore.
  - In the next week the grounds department will be planting some trees on the golf course. With the removal of over 125+ trees in 2 years it is important to put a few back in key areas. These trees will be staked for a while until they mature, please show them some love.
  - Some may notice white dots around the putting greens these next few weeks, this is to stop the operators on the mower from scalping the greens out, which has become an issue.
- Putting Green Update
  - Most of the newly established putting green is coming along fine. We undoubtedly forced it a little for the invite but in time it will recover. I recommend closing the North end to allow it to recover, but I think the rest can remain open for the time being.
- Native Establishment
  - Slow and weed infested. As expected, all Natives will be treated this coming fall.
- New Business
  - #10 Cart path construction to begin soon.