



OFFICE OF DIRECTOR



MARC E. WESTON, CGCS

INDIAN HILL COUNTRY CLUB

NEWINGTON, CONNECTICUT

**GCSAA
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE**

PERSONAL DATA

Name: Mr. Marc E Weston, CGCS

Title: Golf Course Superintendent

Home: 70 Straddle HI

Club / Course: Indian Hill Country Club

City: Wethersfield

Number of Holes: 18

State: CT

Type of Course: Private

Zip: 06109-2720

Primary Phone: (860)803-7611

Business Phone: (860)666-5447

Responsibilities: As the Golf Course Superintendent of Indian Hill Country Club my duties include daily and long-term strategic leadership of the staff, agronomic plan, and finances of the maintenance operation. Indian Hill is a 138-acre town owned property, which is leased by a private membership for the past 54 years. I attend all board meetings at the club and regularly engage with the membership to represent our team.

Responsible to: Green Chairman

EDUCATIONAL DATA

Institution	City	State	Degree Date	Major
University of Connecticut	Storrs	CT	5/18/1996	Assoc Degree Turf/Plant or 2 yr cert

EMPLOYMENT DATA

Employer	Title of Position	Start Date	End Date
Indian Hill Country Club	Golf Course Superintendent	10/23/2003	
Indian Hill Country Club	Assistant Golf Course Supt.	1/1/2001	10/22/2003
Oronoque Country Club	Crew	1/1/2000	12/31/2000
TPC River Highlands	Second Assistant Superintendent	1/1/1997	12/31/1999
Walt Disney World	Business Management Intern — Custodial	1/16/1995	5/15/1995
TPC River Highlands	Intern	1/1/1994	1/15/1995

CIVIC PARTICIPATION

Newington Chamber of Commerce – Indian Hill Country Club Representative 2015 – present
Newington High School Transition Academy Special Needs Internship 2015 – present

GCSAA ACTIVITIES

Committee	Position	Start Date	End Date
Equipment Manager Task Group	Vice Chairman	3/1/2021	2/28/2022
GCM Editorial Board Task Group	Chairman	3/1/2021	2/28/2022
Communications/Outreach Task Group	Vice Chairman	3/1/2021	2/28/2022

Environmental Awards and Education Task Group	Vice Chairman	3/1/2021	2/28/2022
GCSAA Board of Directors	Director	2/4/2021	2/10/2022
2020 Chapter Delegates Meeting	GCSAA Board of Directors Candidate	9/24/2020	11/1/2020
Environmental Awards and Education Task Group	Volunteer	3/1/2020	2/28/2021
2019 Chapter Delegates Meeting	Chapter Delegate	9/30/2019	11/1/2019
Certification Committee	Member Superintendent	3/1/2019	2/28/2020
2018 Chapter Delegates Meeting	Chapter Delegate	9/19/2018	11/30/2018
Certification Committee	Member Superintendent	3/1/2018	2/28/2019
2017 Chapter Delegates Meeting	Chapter Delegate	9/20/2017	11/30/2017
2017 Chapter Leader/Executive Symposium	Chapter Leader	3/1/2017	3/1/2018
Certification Committee	Member Superintendent	3/1/2017	2/28/2018
Scholarship Committee	Member Superintendent	3/1/2016	2/28/2017
GCSAA Scholars Competition Task Group	Member Superintendent	3/1/2016	2/28/2017
Grassroots Ambassadors		7/1/2014	

LOCAL CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

Chapter	Position	Start Date	End Date
Connecticut Association of GCS	Voting Delegate	1/8/2020	7/8/2020
Connecticut Association of GCS	Director	11/5/2019	11/4/2020
Connecticut Association of GCS	Chapter Delegate	10/9/2019	7/8/2020
Connecticut Association of GCS	Certification Attestor	1/28/2019	
Connecticut Association of GCS	President	1/1/2018	12/31/2019
Connecticut Association of GCS	Vice-president	1/1/2016	12/31/2017
Connecticut Association of GCS	Secretary	1/1/2014	12/31/2015
Connecticut Association of GCS	Education Programming	1/1/2012	12/31/2013
Connecticut Association of GCS	Director	1/1/2010	12/31/2011
Connecticut Association of GCS	Director	1/1/2009	12/31/2009

ALLIED ASSOCIATION DATA

Name	Position	Start Date	End Date
First Tee of Connecticut	Board Member	2018	present
Connecticut State Golf Association	Board Member	2018	2019

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Only Class A superintendents whose classification truly reflects their current employment are eligible for office in GCSAA.

500 WORD STATEMENT

It is an honor to be considered for re-election to the GCSAA Board of Directors for the 2022 term. As a first-year GCSAA Director in 2021, I have gained valuable experience, deepened industry relationships, and learned a great deal about our association and how we serve our members. Through efforts such as my regional outreach trip to Colorado this June and participating in our strategic Board meetings, I have gained a solid understanding of what it means to succeed in this leadership role.

I have been actively involved with GCSAA since 2015. I am a Grassroots Ambassador, have presented at the Golf Industry Show, have served as a Chapter Delegate, and currently hold a leadership position on a number of committees. I am Chair of the GCM Editorial Board and Co-Chair of the Communications/Outreach, Environmental Awards, Education, Equipment Manager, and Technology Task Groups.

In addition, I have been a strong supporter of Rounds for Research and have represented our industry for multiple years at National Golf Day. I am dedicated to serving, representing, and fostering relationships within our industry -- and it has been a distinct privilege to do so in a national Director capacity over the past year.

Through the positions I have held on the CAGCS Board (currently as Past President), as well as my involvement to date with GCSAA, I have continued my growth as a well-rounded industry leader. If I am re-elected to a GCSAA Board position, my core objectives would remain the same as they were this year — to represent our industry by sharing our story and to bring our members together.

I am incredibly grateful to again be nominated by CAGCS President Paul Bonini, and I genuinely appreciate all I have learned from my fellow GCSAA Board members this year. I have complete confidence in my ability to continue to serve and represent our industry on a national level, and I will make every effort to earn Delegates' trust and support.

Respectfully,
Marc Weston, CGCS

**DATE
SUBMITTED:**

8/29/2021 5:55:00 PM

SIGNATURE: _____



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GCSAA Nominating Committee Chairman
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June 30, 2021

Re: Marc Weston, CGCS — GCSAA Board of Directors 2022 Nomination for Candidacy

Dear Nominating Committee,

It is with great pride, as President of the Connecticut Association of Golf Course Superintendents (CAGCS), as a representative of the CAGCS Board, and on behalf of all of our members, to write this nomination letter for Marc Weston, CGCS. We fully believe Marc would again be an outstanding candidate for the 2022 GCSAA National Board of Directors position. Please accept this letter as my official nomination.

Marc has been an active member of CAGCS since 2009 and is in his final term as Past President. Marc was instrumental in community outreach programs and government relations, and he was vital in solidifying key relationships with allied associations over the years — supporting all aspects of golf across the state. He is a Board member of the First Tee of Connecticut and recently served on the Connecticut State Golf Association Board. Also, he is a two-time chapter winner of the GCSAA/*Golf Digest* Environmental Leaders in Golf Award. Marc also won the GCSAA Grassroots Ambassador Leadership Award earlier this year.

Marc has been actively involved with GCSAA since 2015. He is a Grassroots Ambassador, has presented at GIS, has served as a chapter delegate, and currently serves as the Chair of the GCM Editorial Board and Co-Chair of the Communications / Outreach, Environmental Awards and Education, Equipment Manager, and Technology Task Groups with GCSAA. Marc has been a significant supporter of Rounds for Research and has participated for several years at National Golf Day. It is evident that his dedication is his strongest attribute. When Marc decides to pursue and accomplish something, nothing will prevent him from reaching his goals and serving our industry.

Thank you again for considering Marc Weston, CGCS, to be part of the 2022 GCSAA Board of Directors list of candidates for the upcoming election process.

Sincerely,

Paul Bonini, CGCS

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President, Connecticut Association of Golf Course Superintendents

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