

**23<sup>RD</sup> NEBRASKA SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**Platteview Golf Club • June 28-29, 2021**

**NOTICE TO PLAYERS**

*(This information supplements the Local Rules and Terms of Competition for NGA Championships)*

**1. Ground Under Repair and Other Abnormal Course Conditions:**

- a. Include but are not limited to:
- i) Decorative flower beds.

**2. Immovable Obstructions:**

- a. Include but are not limited to:
- i) All artificially surfaced roads and paths, include those surfaced with asphalt, concrete, gravel or rock and includes any adjacent curbing.
- b. Immovable obstructions adjacent to, within or abutting each other, such as artificially surfaced paths (including decorative areas enclosed by these paths), curbing, walls, steps and drains, are considered a single obstruction.
- c. Permanent restrooms and structures, including adjacent and surrounding artificially surfaced paths, curbing, walls, steps, patios, fences and/or decorative plantings, are considered a single obstruction.

**3. Movable Obstructions:** Include but are not limited to:

- a. Staking and roping; trash cans; benches; and beverage coolers.

**4. Out of Bounds:** Defined by perimeter fences, in addition to, white stakes and white lines.

- a. Where white stakes are attached to fence posts, the perimeter fence defines the boundary.

**5. Penalty Areas:**

- a. **Dropping Zones** - If a ball is in the following penalty areas, including when it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found came to rest in the penalty area, the player has these relief options, each for one penalty stroke:

- i) proceed under Rule 17.1; or
- ii) as an additional option, drop the original ball or another ball in the dropping zone (marked "DZ") in the location below. The dropping zone is a relief area under Rule 14.3
  - Hole #8 Yellow Penalty Area - DZ located on a forward tee.
  - Hole #11 Yellow Penalty Area - DZ located in the fairway.
  - Hole #13 Red or Yellow Penalty Area - DZ located on a forward tee.

- 6. Power Lines:** If it is known or virtually certain that a player's ball hit a power line, the stroke does not count. The player must play a ball without penalty from where the previous stroke was made.

**7. Temporary Immovable Obstructions (TIOs):** Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect. TIOs include but are not limited to: tents.

- a. Special Relief Procedure - **Either Side Relief:**

- i) If a player is allowed relief under the TIO Local Rule, the player may take relief without penalty on either side of the TIO.

- 8. Paint Dots and Lines Not Used for Course Marking:** Blue paint dots are used to indicate the fronts and backs of putting greens and blue lines are used to define the scoring area. Free relief is NOT available.

- 9. Scoring Area:** A player's scorecard is returned when it has been given to the scoring official and the player has left the scoring area defined by blue lines.

- 10. Play-Off:** In the event of a tie for the Championship or for the Gross Champion in a Division, there will be a hole-by-hole play-off beginning on Hole #10 with the play-off rotation of Holes #10, #11, #16, #17 and #18 unless otherwise notified by the Committee.

- 11. Pace of Play Review Committee:** Craig Ames, Sam Oehm and Ben Vigil.

- 12. Final Decisions on Disputed Points** will be made by Craig Ames, Sam Oehm and Ben Vigil.