Centennial Park Golf Course

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The golf season came to a rather quick end as the weather took a drastic turn. With extreme cold and freezing temperatures through much of November, we began to ramp up our winter preparation efforts. The main focus of golf course maintenance staff has been getting the greens covered. This is an extremely time consuming process. It is made even more complicated when the ground is frozen. Each cover is approximately 6400 square feet long. When placing these on greens, any wind will cause havoc and has even brought people off of their feet. Covering greens has proven to be very beneficial for our golf course. The covers help to protect from the harsh winter winds and also act as a mini green house in order to keep up the soil temperature underneath.

I have nothing new to report at the time of this report in regard to the irrigation issue that we have by the pump station. I have been in contact with the Irrigation Company that is planning on doing the work and they said that they still are planning on starting this work this month. This break is pretty substantial and critical to get repaired. I will keep you posted.