## **Temporary Local Rule For Bunkers**

The USGA is allowing the rules of golf to be modified to follow the guidelines from health and governmental officials to keep you and those around you safe and minimize any possible exposure to Coronavirus.

We want all members to play the bunkers under this temporary local rule until all play can be back to normal. Therefore, the existing MGCLH 2020 Local Rule for bunkers is no longer in effect and the following temporary local rule for bunkers is now in effect. It is important that all members play under the same conditions.

## TEMPORARY LOCAL RULE FOR BUNKERS

Because the bunkers are unplayable for the lack of maintenance and without rakes all bunkers on the two courses are to be played as ground under repair (GUR). The player has the option to play the ball as it lies or take nearest point of relief outside the bunker no nearer the hole and drop with in one club length. NO PENALTY

Also please note that now that the cups have been reconfigured to accept a ball, all putts must be holed out and stay within the cup. A ball hitting the flag stick and not staying in the hole is no longer considered holed.

Remember to post all your scores daily.