

## Regional Updates

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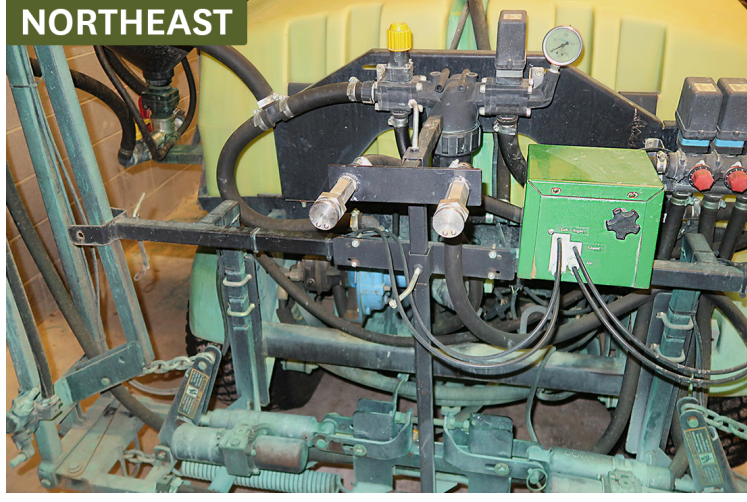


#### Measuring Performance Characteristics for Greens

If you're not doing some sort of data collection on putting green performance, 2021 is the year to start.

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### NORTHEAST



#### Boomless Nozzle Retrofit

Learn how a few easy and inexpensive modifications can make your sprayer more versatile.

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### CENTRAL



#### Where to Begin With Evaluating for Winter Injury?

Whether it is for peace of mind or to confirm what is feared, collecting samples is the first step when determining if winter injury has occurred.

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### SOUTHEAST

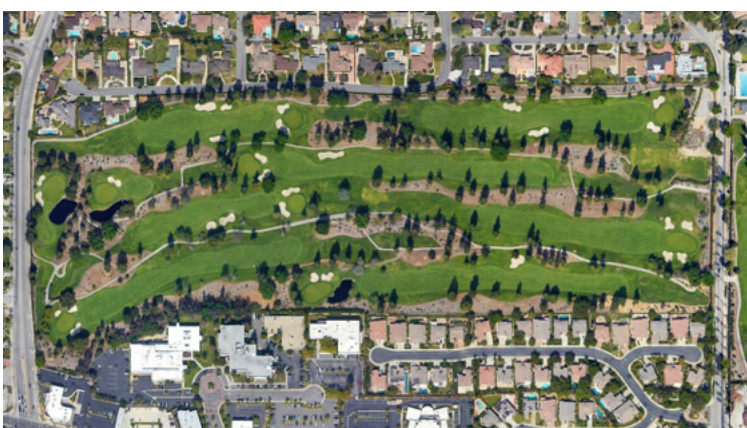


#### What I'd Do Differently

After six years as a USGA agronomist, I look back at what I would have done differently to be more successful when I was a superintendent.

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## In Case You Missed It



To better understand how golf courses have evolved and how they may change in the future, the USGA undertook an extensive study of golf course aerial photos. In the February 5, 2021, issue of the USGA *Green Section Record*, we discuss the results of that research and how the trends we observed may impact our enjoyment of the game, what it costs to play, golf's footprint in our society and the long-term viability of the sport.

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## Coming Up Next Issue



Turf managers are quickly realizing the benefits of combining Kentucky bluegrass and bermudagrass as part of a two-grass system that can provide a better-quality playing surface throughout the year in the transition zone, where cold winter weather and hot, humid summers are common. In the March 5, 2021, issue of the USGA *Green Section Record*, we will discuss the benefits, establishment and management of "Bluemuda."

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## Latest From Course Care

### TURF TIPS



#### Sampling for Winter Injury on Putting Greens

With the ultra-cold weather that hit Texas and the surrounding states, sampling for winter injury is unfortunately going to be necessary at most courses. Here's how to identify potential damage before it appears in the spring.

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### FORE THE GOLFER



#### Frost Delays on the Golf Course

Frost delays can be a frustrating part of winter golf in many areas, but they are necessary to protect the grass from potential damage. A little patience goes a long way on those cold and crisp winter mornings.

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