

Sports Turf Association Elects 2012/2013 Officers and Directors

GUELPH, ON. Members of the Sports Turf Association (STA) elected the 2012/2013 officers and directors at the annual meeting held during the recent Ontario Turfgrass Symposium.

Returning to the board for a new term are president Paul Gillen, past president Gord Dol/Dol Turf Restoration, secretary Andrew Gaydon/Vanden Bussche Irrigation, together with incumbent directors Bob Kennedy/Sports Turf Management Solutions, Ken Pavely/Dufferin LawnLife, Paul Turner/G.C. Duke Equipment, Ben Tymchyshyn/MMM Group and Dennis Wale/City of Brantford. Joining the board is director Terry Henderson/City of Guelph.

Others currently serving the association are vice president Tennessee Propedo/City of Hamilton, and directors Bill Clausen/University of Guelph, Jason Inwood/City of Vaughan and John D'Ovidio and David Warden, both of the City of Mississauga. We express our appreciation to departing treasurer Rick Lane/City of St. Catharines and director David Chapman/City of Toronto who have provided immeasurable contribution and support for many years.

In accordance with the STA Constitution and By-Laws the board filled vacancies in its membership at its first meeting on March 20, 2012. Ben Tymchyshyn/MMM Group was appointed treasurer and Gorden Horsman/City of Moncton appointed director until the next annual meeting of the association.

NEW & RETURNING MEMBERS

Jim Althouse
City of Cornwall, ON

James St. John
City of Greater Sudbury, ON

Caleb Gibbons
Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo
Fort McMurray, AB

Steve Bendo
Stantec Consulting Ltd.
Cambridge, ON

Scott Wentworth
Scott Wentworth Landscape Group Ltd.
Picton, ON

Diane Matichuk
Civitas Architecture Inc.
Ottawa, ON

John Graham
Graham Agriservices
Port Hope, ON

Robert Heggie
BMO Field
Toronto, ON

Henry Kortekaas
Henry Kortekaas & Associates
Pickering, ON

Sean Moher
Manderley Turf Products
Ottawa, ON



STA Board of Directors

MARCH 20, 2012. (L-R) Bob Kennedy, Ben Tymchyshyn, Dennis Wale, Dave Warden, Tennessee Propedo, Ken Pavely, Andrew Gaydon, Lee Huether, Paul Turner, Terry Henderson, Paul Gillen, Gorden Horsman (inset) joined via weblink.

Absent from photo:
Bill Clausen, Gord Dol, John D'Ovidio, Jason Inwood, Eric Lyons.

Odds & Ends...

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