

Fred V. Grau  
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Dear Mike,

Please express to all concerned my deep appreciation for the handsome Honorary Membership Award for 1975. Coincidentally, I was admiring my 1971 Award signed by Joe Canale and John West. You see, I treasure these symbols of friendship.

Tell Joe Grenko that I'm glad that his name is printed on your letterhead. His signature is distinctive and would be hard to copy.

Sincerely,  
Fred

Colorado State University  
Fort Collins, Colorado 80523

Dear Joe:

This week I received the honorary membership certificate for 1975 for the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. Needless to say, I appreciate very much this kind act by your Association. I would appreciate it if you would express my appreciation to the other members of the Board of Directors of the M.A.G.C.S.

Each month I read the "Bull Sheet" and think of the many fine superintendents in the Chicago area.

Thank you.

J. D. Butler  
Turf Management Specialist

University of Rhode Island  
Kingston, R.I. 02881

Dear Mr. Grenko:

This will acknowledge receipt of your recent letter and of the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents Honorary Membership Certificate and card for 1975. I greatly appreciate your continued recognition of my interest and activity in behalf of Golf Turf and the Superintendents who manage these turf areas. The certificate is on display in my office. If you are in this area do drop in for a visit. Also, if I can be of any assistance to your Midwest Association, please let me know.

With all best wishes.

Eliot C. Roberts  
Professor

Joseph J. Grenko  
214 South Valley Drive  
Lindenhurst, IL 70046

Dear Joe:

Again my brother Joe and I want to thank you and your fellow members of the Midwest for the happiness you have given us in renewing our honorary memberships in the association.

The Midwest was where Joe and I began in golf and where we started Golfdom. Our teachers and supporters were men who founded the Greenkeepers association and the Midwest association. We always have been very proud to think of how they pioneered in establishing the high standard of golf course maintenance that generally prevails throughout the country. We regard ourselves as very lucky to be made members of your team.

Our thanks and best wishes to you all.

Sincerely,  
Herb Graffis

Mr. Joseph J. Grenko  
Secretary-Treasurer  
Midwest Association of  
Golf Course Superintendents

Dear Joe:

Please convey my sincere appreciation to your membership for again conferring an Honorary Membership on me. We feel that the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents is among the few truly great groups in North America. Your leadership in the improvement of golf course superintendent's status, education and recognition has been a guide to many other groups.

We in Wisconsin hope that our ties can be further strengthened by renewing the joint meetings most of us enjoyed in the past.

If I can be of any service whatever, please give me a call.

James M. Latham, Jr.  
Chief Field Agronomist  
Turf Service Bureau, Milorganite

Sewerage Commission of the  
City of Milwaukee

Dear Mr. Grenko:

I deeply appreciate the action taken again this year by the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents in making me an Honorary Member for 1975.

At least this year I feel a little less guilty than in the last few years, in that I was able to participate in your fine Midwest Clinic in early December of last year.

I hope you can express my appreciation to the membership at large. If we can be of any help with respect to turfgrass matters, don't hesitate to ask.

Charles G. Wilson, Director  
Agronomy and Marketing

Mr. Joseph J. Grenko  
Secretary-Treasurer  
Midwest Association of  
Golf Course Superintendents

Dear Joe:

Should like to thank you and Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents for honoring me with membership in your association. It was most thoughtful of you and I am grateful for the consideration.

James R. Watson  
Vice President, Toro

Dear Mr. Grenko:

I would like to thank you most sincerely for the recent notice that I am honored with a 1975 Honorary Membership Award to the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. I can assure you that this honor is sincerely appreciated.

Thank you also for the privilege of attending your meetings and functions. I can assure that I will do my utmost to attend these functions.

Thanks again for the honor. I will display my Membership Certificate and card with pride.

Larry Rouse  
President III. P.G.A.

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Greater Chicago Club  
Managers Association

Gentlemen:

I acknowledge, with great pleasure the honorary membership in your Association.

I must assure you that, as President of the Greater Chicago Club Managers Association, and on behalf of the Midwest Chapter, it will be a privilege for me to attend your functions.

May I extend heartfelt thanks for this award.

Sincerely,  
Matthew J. Morgan, C.C.M.

Chicago District Golf Association

Dear Mr. Grenko:

Thank you very much for extending Honorary Membership for 1975 in the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents.

Your Association has been doing, and I am certain will continue, excellent work in this area. I am indeed delighted to be a part of it!

I hope to be able to attend your meetings whenever possible.

Dennis F. Davenport



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To the members of the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. Your kind expression of sympathy and the sending of a beautiful wreath of flowers to the funeral services of Almira D. are gratefully acknowledged and appreciated by the family of Norman W. Stelter.

by Stanley Rachesky  
Entomologist—University of Illinois

The golf course superintendent is very much aware of the horde of insects intent upon destroying the property entrusted to his care. Occasionally, we can avoid or at least reduce the ravages of the insects upon our grasses, trees, shrubs or flowers without the use of an insecticide. But, to control most insects, the insecticide is the only logical answer.

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