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President's Message

by **Bruce R. Williams, CGCS**
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I hope that all of our regular members took the opportunity to complete the membership survey that was recently mailed out. This survey gives each individual member an opportunity to be heard. The results of this survey will be utilized to formulate programs and procedures for the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. All too often, associations are controlled by a vocal minority and the balance of the membership suffers silently. Your Board of Directors wants to insure that this does not happen. While we can't please everybody we can certainly strive to develop the programs that the majority of the membership desires.

As the leader of the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents it is my responsibility to steer the association in the proper direction. My goal is to have an organization that runs like a finely tuned automobile. A V-8 is designed to run on all 8 cylinders for optimum performance. Similarly, our association must have effective Board and committee members for us to run smoothly. Without all of the hard work of each and every individual our association would run about as smoothly as a V-8 hitting on only 4 cylinders.

In the upcoming months it is time to see how our association will perform. Our goal is to function like a finely tuned precision machine. In order to do that we need the input and effort of all of the components. Through planning, we feel that we can select the right routes with the proper directions to reach our desired destinations. As your leader I will be sure to see that all of our parts are greased and oiled. I will fuel our association with high-test motivation. It is my responsibility to make sure that all of the parts work.

In the event that you have a question about the association or any comments please don't hesitate to call me. I vow to steer all of us on a smooth ride in 1990. How am I driving? Call 1-708-432-0088.

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