

ON THE MOVE

Crocco vp at Golf Properties

U.S. Golf Properties, L.P. has hired Anthony Crocco as vice president of corporate development.

USGPLP, a golf course management company located in Nokesville, Va., owns and operates eight golf facilities throughout the mid-Atlantic states.

Crocco will head the company's acquisition program as it looks to expand its holdings in the East.

Crocco was most recently an associate consultant with the William

Sherman Co., a golf course consulting, appraisal, and brokerage firm in San Rafael, Calif. Prior to this, he was a research associate and consultant for the National Golf Foundation.

Crocco received a bachelor's degree in business finance from the University of Notre Dame and has undertaken graduate studies in building construction and land development at the University of Florida.

Buckner makes management moves

Buckner, Inc. has announced five appointments, including Jim Dearman as vice president of manufacturing and engineering and Kurt Thompson as national marketing manager.

The Turf Division appointed Don Kuhlman general line sales manager, Hugh Humphreys regional sales manager in the Southeast, and Ron Mendleski regional sales manager for Northern California.

Dearman holds a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from California Polytech and a master's in business administration from Claremont Graduate School.

Thompson, whose 10 years in the industry includes five years of



J. Dearman

University.

In 45 years with Buckner, Kuhlman has been involved in all aspects of manufacturing, purchasing, sales and service.

Humphreys worked for contractors in Tennessee, Florida, Arizona and California before starting with Buckner.

designing, estimating and installing equipment, holds a bachelor's degree in marketing from Washington State



K. Thompson

His territory includes the Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi.

Mendleski has been in the irrigation and landscape architecture industry for 26 years.

Lakewood names Tolson to oversee city project

Donald J. Tolson, the co-founder and first president of the Peaks and Prairie Golf Course Superintendents Association, has been named superintendent for the planned 27-hole championship course Fox Hollow at Lakewood in Lakewood, Colo.



D. Tolson

Tolson has been superintendent at Yellowstone Country Club in Billings, Mont. A certified golf course superintendent, he holds a degree from Montana State University.

He has been active in local and national GCSA activities and has been a speaker at the national and many regional conferences.

Employed by the city of Lakewood, Tolson will work with architect Denis Griffiths and other planners on design of the course. He will then oversee its construction and maintenance when it is complete.

Kubota names division heads

Ted Pederson has been promoted to director and manager of Kubota Tractor Corp.'s Northern Division, while Mike Fairless is the new manager for the Southern District.

Pederson, who has been with Kubota for 11 years, most recently held the positions of district manager for the Southern District of the Southeast Division and regional sales manager of Kentucky and western Tennessee.

He holds a degree in business administration for the University of Central Florida.

Fairless, who joined Kubota in 1980, has served Kentucky the last three years. He was recently presented the Merchandising Award by the Kentucky Farm and Power Equipment Dealers Association.

Milorganite hires Ward

The Milorganite Division of the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District has named Terry Ward as manager of advertising, promotion and training. Ward has several years experience in the professional turf and lawn and garden industries. Milorganite makes natural organic fertilizer.

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