## Kevin Clunis, CGCS Will Attend GCSAA Chapter Delegates Meeting

On an annual basis, a representative from the MGCSA attends the GCSAA Chapter Delegates Meeting. This year's Chapter Delegates Meeting will take place September 30 - October 2 at GCSAA headquarters in Lawrence, Kans.

Kevin Clunis, Tanners Brook Golf Course, will represent the MGCSA. Chapter delegates carry the opinions of their chapters' members regarding initiatives and issues affecting the profession, the association and its members to this meeting. Chapter delegates also have the opportunity to hear GCSAA officer and Board of Director candidates presentations, and have the opportunity to ask the candidates questions during informal discussions.

## Meeting Discussion Topics

Future of the profession (small group discussions) – Chapter delegates will help develop the vision and strategic goals for the future of the profession within the context of the 2020 horizon.

Membership growth and engagement



- Chapter delegates will provide input on ways to engage our shared members (local/national) to maximize the value of their membership.

GCSAA Board responsibilities – GCSAA board travel and expense policies, as well as board voting principles will be discussed.

GCSAA financial update and long term dues strategy – Chapter delegates will receive a report on GCSAA's financial health and discuss options for long-term dues pricing for members.

Candidates' presentations – Presentations from the candidates running for the 2006 GCSAA Board of Directors will take place.

**Delegates' open discussion time** – An open forum without GCSAA Board or staff will be available.

Meet the candidates – Questions will be asked of the candidates in breakout sessions on Saturday evening.

GCSAA and member branding – An update on discussions with the Strategic Communications Committee and related task groups will be available.

**Update on chapter effectiveness** – Strategy to provide more resources to serve members through chapters will be discussed.

**Diversity task group update** – An update on discussions with the task group will be available.

Environmental baseline data collection – GCSAA members will be asked to provide information about their facility's environmental effort.

**Environmental programs update** - An update on GCSAA's environmental programs will be available.

