



## **Discontinuation of Play (201113)**

- When play is suspended for a dangerous situation, it shall be signaled by **ONE** prolonged air horn note
  - Play must be discontinued immediately
  - All practice areas are closed until the committee has declared them open
- When play is to be suspended for a non-dangerous situation, it shall be signaled by three consecutive air horn notes.
  - Players may complete play of the hole they are on if at least one of the players in the group has started play of a hole.
  - If a group is between holes, and no player has started the next hole, they must not start play of the next hole.

### ***Resumption of Play Procedure***

- Players should be notified if/when practice areas will be re-opened and when the official restart time will be.

- If there is a substantial delay, the committee should allow a 10-15 minute warm up period depending on the circumstances (daylight, approaching storm, etc.)
- Play will resume from where it was discontinued and:
  - If the player has lifted his ball, he must place a ball on the spot from which the original ball was lifted.
  - If the player has not lifted his ball, he may mark, lift and clean and replace a ball.
  - If the player's original ball or ball marker is moved during the discontinuance, a ball marker must be placed on the spot from which is moved. If the spot is impossible to determine, it must be estimated, and the ball or ball-marker be placed on the estimated spot.
- The player may substitute a ball in all the above circumstances.
- Resumption of play will be signaled by two short air horn notes and players must not resume play until the horn has sounded.