

Hopes Brighter For Golf Course At Lake Hefner

Another 18-hole golf course, boosting the city's fee course links area to a total of 98 holes, appeared Tuesday to be a definite possibility, with the new layout at Lake Hefner to be ready for play in the 1951 season.

The city council received a bid of \$114,850 for construction of the course and is expected to let a contract next week to Perry Maxwell, noted designer and builder of courses, including both Twin Hills and the Oklahoma City Golf and Country club layouts here.

Plans for the course were included in original recreation facilities at Lake Hefner and the city water department's estimate on its cost was \$116,500—nearly \$1,000 over Maxwell's bid.

Maxwell's bid was the only one presented Tuesday and it covered a concession pavilion and other small buildings as well as the golf course. Under his proposal, he would build and operate the course, being reimbursed for the construction costs out of earnings in the next 10 years. Title to the course would then revert to the city.

Eighteen months for building the course are called for in Maxwell's bid. The location is on the southeast quarter of the lake area.

Other fee courses in Oklahoma City now are Lincoln Park, 36 holes; Meridian, 18 holes; Woodson Park, 18 holes, and Capitol Hill, nine holes. Twin Hills and the Country club, both membership organizations, have 18 holes each.