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This is my second letter to this group, so I will be as precise as possible. Much of the facts and reasons for closing River Road are based on outdated population numbers. There are close to 450,00 people within an hour of River Road. If we lose this course, we will never get another public course in London. What happens twenty five years down the road when the population is over 500,000? We will be lamenting the fact that we have only three eighteen hole PUBLIC golf courses in this City. Please when you look at the financial numbers, realize that when we checked into Courses last year, the person asking about Covid safety was someone who was making \$90,000 as a high ranking person in the Recreation Department. We saw this over and over at the Thames and Fanshawe Courses. I could go on and on about the unfair practices used at our Public Courses last year. Please, do not close River Road, it is need now and will be needed even more in the future. Terry Johnston.