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Sent: Saturday, February 6, 2021 4:26 PM

To: SPPC <sppc@london.ca>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] River Road Golf Course should be kept OPEN

To whom it may concern,

I have been a PUC Golf member for over 16 years. River Road has always been my favourite course. I golfed 4+ times a week & each time I always had an early morning Tee-time with my friends. My son also became a PUC member 5 years ago and also loves the River Road Course.

Last year, when you closed River Road for the pandemic, it was a **disaster!** Many of my friends and long time PUC golfers were unable to get Tee-times. We had dedicated members trying to book Tee-times on the internet **5 to 7 days in advance**. And we could never get off early in the morning all summer. Not good for many of us older, long time, golfers that don't do well in the afternoon sun & heat!

The staff have always been great at this course! River Road Course is in great shape & with the pandemic & more new people joining golf, we really need more PUC Tee-times in London. You can't do that by closing River Road.

If you do decide to close River Road Golf, let us know **BEFORE** we renew our early memberships as my son, myself, and a large number of our golf friends, will NOT be returning to PUC Golf.

Please do the right thing and keep it open.

Sincerely,

Fred York, London