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Good Day,

I have played the city golf courses for years, and recently started getting a membership annually. This has been a fantastic way to get out for some exercise, and start introducing my kids to the game. However I opted **not** to get a membership in 2020 because Fanshawe Golf course was way too busy. The times I played took over 5 hours to finish 18 holes. I have never seen it this busy in all the years I have played. After speaking with dozens of members, the overflow has come from River Road.

River Road isn't the closest golf course, but on average we would play it 10+ times a year. In my opinion this course has the most impressive views of all the city courses.

It was my understanding that the municipal golf courses were never intended to turn a profit, but rather make London more desirable. But if cost is the concern, like many I would happily pay more for a membership/round if that meant keeping River Road open.

Thanks

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