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To: SPPC <sppc@london.ca>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] River Road Golf Course

SPPC,

I have been a member of the city run golf courses for at least 10 years. It seems that every year it is the same thing. The city run courses have lost money and everybody is threatening to close River Road. Like that is the solution. In all the years I've been a member of the city courses I have never heard anybody try to define what the real problems are with River Road. Without defining the real problems you can never come up with any real solutions. I don't know how anybody can put the blame on a golf course.

I have heard the city run golf courses lost money again last year with a record number of rounds played. River Road did not even open its doors and it's getting blamed again. The city run courses will continue to lose money as long as those managing the courses continue to turn a blind eye to the real issues.

Sincerely,

Jim Russell