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To the City Clerk:

Please add my comments to the agenda for the January 11, 2022 Infrastructure and Environment Committee meeting on item 2022.IE27.6, Review of City of Toronto Golf Courses

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Comments:

Greetings and many thanks for the opportunity to comment on the Review of City of Toronto Golf Courses. At Access Alliance many of the community members we work with were involved in the consultations that took place over the summer. Community members expressed their ambitions for the Dentonia Park Golf Course to adopt a mixed use approach. Recommendation #4 touches on this but misses the mark in terms of recognizing community needs and the societal impacts of limited green spaces being solely geared to a single use. During the consultations, Access Alliance was happy to provide examples of golf courses being maintained while naturalizing some areas and allowing for projects like food forests and other design ideas to be put into place.

As a health center which addresses the social determinants of health we see through research and client experience that access to green spaces has a direct impact on human health.

Access Alliance on behalf of the many community members who live, work and play in and around the Taylor-Massey/Oakridge area we urge you to support green infrastructure including:

- ✓ Naturalizing areas of the golf course
- ✓ Including a food forest
- ✓ Allowing for an area for food growing

I thank you for your time and consideration .

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