Petition to Mayor Sam Katz and City Councillors of Winnipeg

Whereas, the City of Winnipeg put forward the following Expression of Interest for seven City owned golf courses without community consultation -

"City of Winnipeg Expression of Interest for commercial and residential development of city owned Golf Courses - October 26, 2011 497-2011"
http://www.winnipeg.ca/finance/findata/matmgt/bidres/past/2011.asp

- I, as a citizen of Winnipeg request genuine and timely public consultation on the need to protect the remaining natural urban environment including the development of nature spaces, riverbank spaces, and parks.
- These park lands and river bank corridors add value to my community and we, the public should be engaged in the discussion of what we would like to see done with these publicly owned spaces ahead of developers and third party interests.
- I would like my City to build trust by working with recommendations of citizens' committees and not allow developers to sidestep the intent.
- I would like to be ensured that the plan to protect the remaining natural urban environment incorporates sustainable development principles.
- I would like to be ensured that only low impact activities such as cross country skiing, golfing, walking, biking and enjoying greenspace be utilized for these natural areas.

Name (print)	Signature	Address	Email	Comments

Return to: Manitoba Eco Network, 3rd floor 303 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB R3B 2B4 (204) 947-6511 or contact Save Our Seine at saveourseine@gmail.com or 794-3700 http://www.saveourseine.com/ to have petition picked up. **Please return all petitions by January 23, 2012.**