

## 7.4 Recommendation

The Ottawa River Background Study has documented the significant human heritage, natural heritage and recreation values along the entire length of the Ottawa River. Based upon the weight of evidence, and with the agreement of Parks Canada, Ontario Parks and the Quebec Ministère du développement durable, Environnement et Parcs, it is recommended that the Ottawa River Heritage Designation Committee proceed with the preparation of a formal nomination document, so that the provinces of Quebec and Ontario might then be prepared to recommend to the CHRS Board in May 2006 that the Ottawa River be nominated as a Canadian Heritage River based upon its Human Heritage and Recreational Values.