CONSENT FORM

For the official recognition, if eligible, of a site in the <u>Registre des aires protégées et des AMCE du Québec</u> (hereafter "registry") by the ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs (MELCCFP).

Consent required

Contact information (* = required)

Signature of the governing authority

We hereby request your consent to evaluate the site in question and, if it meets the criteria, to have it officially recognized as a protected area or other effective area-based conservation measure (OECM).

If your site receives official recognition, it will be entered in the public registry of protected areas and OECMs in Québec. The publicly shared information will include, at a minimum, the site boundaries (spatial data), the site name, and the date of recognition. No personal information will be shared.

Your contact information and site-related data will be shared with Nature Québec and the MELCCFP for the purposes of site evaluation, inclusion in the official registry, and communication with you throughout the recognition process. This information will be retained by Nature Québec for up to seven years.

Date

¹ Governing authority refers to any institution, individual, Indigenous community, community group, or other entity recognized as having some or all of the power and responsibility for decision-making and management of an area.