Adopted unanimously by the Annual General Meeting of the Members

Resolution 2017 – 01 Supporting the City of Montreal’s efforts to secure international recognition of the Cultural Landscape of Mount Royal

Considering the heritage interest of Mount Royal and more particularly the ensemble of institutional and civic properties at its heart;

Considering that this heritage is emblematic of, among other things, two principles of great municipal, national and international importance, namely, the relationship between Nature and Culture and the concept of Living Together;

Considering that Heritage Montreal has, since 1995, initiated or participated in discussions regarding international recognition of elements of Montreal heritage, including as part of the implementation of the UNESCO World Heritage Convention, and that its Annual General Meeting has previously adopted Resolution 2015-03 calling on the federal government to include the Mount Royal civic and institutional ensemble on its next tentative list of places submitted by Canada for UNESCO World Heritage designation;

The Annual General Meeting of the members of Heritage Montreal:

1. Welcomes the initiative by the Mayor of Montreal and the City of Montreal to submit an application to the federal government to nominate the Mount Royal Cultural Landscape on the tentative list of Canadian places to be submitted in July 2016 for UNESCO World Heritage consideration;

2. Welcomes the consensus reached by the Table de concertation du Mont-Royal (Mount Royal issue table) and efforts by partners in support of this proposal, including the campaign led by Les amis de la montagne (Friends of the Mountain), which has garnered support from more than 33,000 people; and

3. Supports the City of Montreal and the nomination of the Mount Royal Cultural Landscape to the tentative list of Canadian World Heritage Sites and, to those ends, offers the collaboration of Heritage Montreal.