

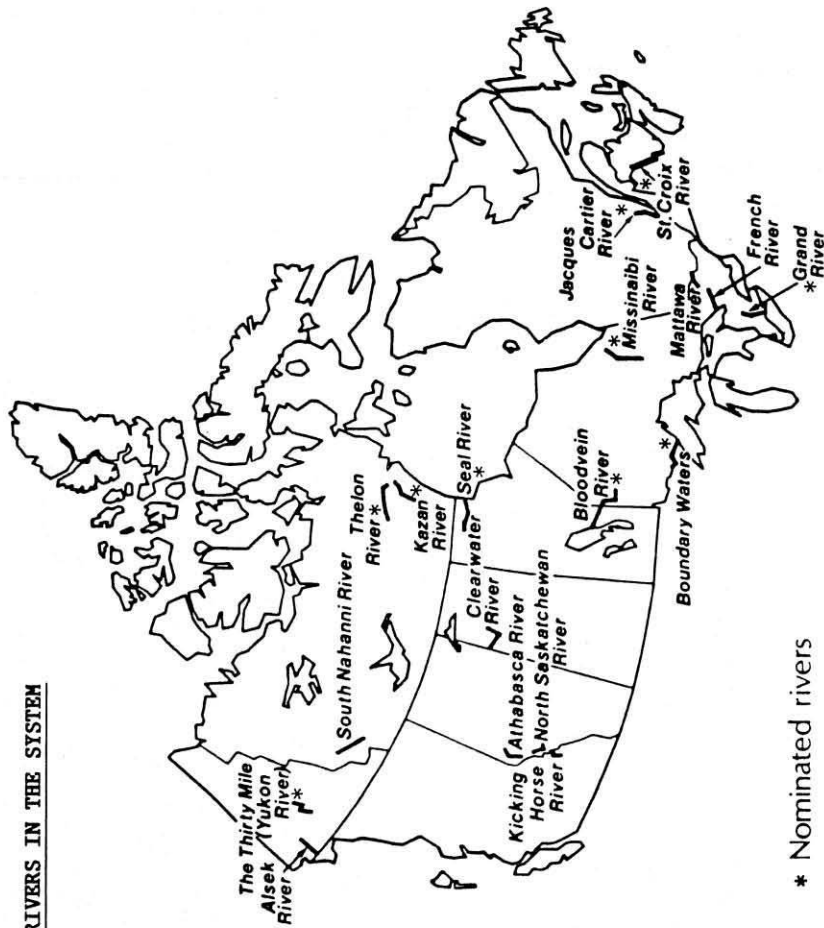


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MORE THAN FOUR THOUSAND kilometres of eighteen rivers have now been nominated to the Canadian Heritage Rivers System. The latest addition to the System is the Grand River in Ontario which was nominated at the 13th meeting of the Canadian Heritage Rivers Board on January 16. The 290 kilometre Grand was accepted by the Board on the basis of its outstanding historical and recreational features.

As shown on the map below, nine of the eighteen nominated rivers have so far been designated, meaning that management plans for the rivers have been lodged with the Canadian Heritage Rivers Board and the rivers are formally accepted into the System. Information on these rivers is provided in the first chart on the next page.

RIVERS IN THE SYSTEM



* Nominated rivers

DESIGNATED RIVERS

River	Province (Park ¹)	Designation Date	Length
French	Ontario (French River P.P.)	Feb. 1986	110 km
Aisek	Yukon (Kluane N.P. Reserve)	Feb. 1986	90 km
Clearwater	Saskatchewan (Clearwater R. P.P.)	June 1986	187 km
South Nahanni	NT (Nahanni N.P. Reserve)	Jan. 1987	300 km
Bloodvein ²	Manitoba (Atikaki P.P.)	June 1987	200 km
Mattawa	Ontario (Mattawa River P.P. and Samuel de Champlain P.P.)	Jan. 1988	33 km
Athabasca	Alberta (Jasper N.P.)	Jan. 1989	168 km
North Saskatchewan	Alberta (Banff N.P.)	Jan. 1989	49 km
Kicking Horse	British Columbia (Yoho N.P.)	Jan. 1989	67 km
Total			1,204 km

NOMINATED RIVERS

Management plans are in preparation for all of the nominated rivers. The dates when these plans are expected to be lodged with the Board are shown in the following chart.

River	Province (Park ¹)	Anticipated Designation	Length
St. Croix	New Brunswick	July 1990	185 km
Seal	Manitoba (Proposed Seal R. P.P.)	July 1990	260 km
Jacques Cartier	Quebec (Jacques Cartier P.P.)	July 1990	128 km
Thelon	Northwest Territories	July 1990	545 km
Kazan	Northwest Territories	July 1990	615 km
Grand	Ontario	Jan. 1991	290 km
The Thirty Mile (Yukon River)	Yukon	Jan. 1991	48 km
Missinaibi	Ontario (Missinaibi P.P.)	Jan. 1992	426 km
Bloodvein ²	Ontario (Woodland Caribou P.P.)	Jan. 1992	106 km
Boundary Waters	Ontario (LaVerendrye/Quetico P.P.)	Jan. 1992	250 km
Total			2,853 km

¹ N.P. denotes national park, P.P. provincial park.

² The Bloodvein River was nominated in two parts by Manitoba and Ontario.