

In addition to this; toilet blocks, kiosks, prayer areas and an interpretative/information centre will be constructed within the Wadi boundary.

This centre will focus on the educational and social aspect of the Wadi by using videos and interactive features to show how important the Wadi is and has been to the city of Riyadh.

With water at a premium in many developing countries, this scheme is seen as a cost effective method of achieving cleaner water that can help create a healthy environment and to allow people to achieve a more healthy and productive life.

The scheme has won international recognition with the awarding of the prestigious Waterfront Prize in Montreal in 2003, and the project was presented to the United Nations in New York in April 2004.

On a very recent visit to the restoration project at Wadi Hanifah, Prince Salman, was reported to be "very impressed and encouraged" by the positive changes taking place in the Wadi.



New Lakes off Al Hair Road

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Old Stone Dam will form an integral part of a park area

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Existing Massana Lakes(Still to be cleaned up)

