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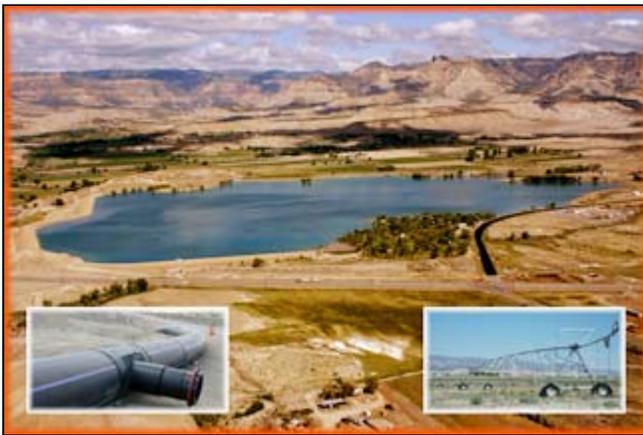
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HUNTINGTON-CLEVELAND PROJECT CHRONICLE WEB SITE

NRCS, working with several partners, helped establish a Web Site to better chronicle the progress of the Huntington-Cleveland Salinity Control Project. This large scale project is a 20,000 acre component of the larger "Price-San Rafael Rivers Unit" that encompasses 50,000 acres of irrigated crop, hay and pastureland 150 miles south east of Salt Lake City. The Price-San Rafael Rivers Unit was authorized in 1994 to control salinity as a collaboration between the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, the USDA-Natural Resource Conservation Service, the seven Colorado River Basin states and local entities.



The Web site is available at <http://www.usbr.gov/uc/progact/salinity/hc/index>
 NRCS employees and partners are encouraged to visit the site to learn more about the project and to help promote the value of the salinity control work it represents.

The Huntington-Cleveland Salinity Control Project will eliminate and replace 350 miles of earthen canals and laterals with buried pipelines that will deliver irrigation water under pressure to individual farms and ranches. Crops of alfalfa, small and large grains and forages and orchards will be grown using high-efficiency irrigation systems that minimize the percolation of water below the root zone and reduce the mobilization and transport of salts to the Price and San Rafael Rivers, and ultimately, the Green and Colorado Rivers. For more information contact NRCS representatives [Lisa Coverdale](#) or [Travis James](#).

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