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## ***Willow Creek Reclamation Committee***

Historical mining practices have caused water quality problems in Willow Creek and portions of the Rio Grande River that Willow Creek flows into. The San Luis Valley RC&D Council (SLV RC&D) is the fiscal agent for some of the grants that the Willow Creek Reclamation Committee is utilizing to restore Willow Creek, which runs through downtown Creede, Colorado. Projects have been ongoing for a number of years and has involved the US Environmental Protection Agency, US Forest Service, Colorado Department of Health and Environment, and the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety. For more information on the Willow Creek Reclamation Committee project see our website; [www.slv-rcd.org](http://www.slv-rcd.org)

