

Wadi Hanifah Barari Diriyah Conservation Center

Riyadh, Saudi Arabia



An Oasis for Animals and Young Families

The Wadi Hanifah Conservation Center will be a sanctuary for wildlife and learning within the newly developed Diriyah Gate cultural complex. The Center will house diverse desert animals and a veterinary center. Interactive exhibits will engage visitors young and old with the sensitive ecology of the wadi, or seasonal riverbed, and the area's conservation efforts.

APA is working with the Diriyah Gate Development Authority to create immersive representations of each distinct habitat of the wadi, and showcase the animals that live there. Visitors will interact with hands-on exhibits to gain a deeper understanding of the conservation efforts they can witness outside. Visitors will leave with an appreciation for how species and cultures have adapted to this ecosystem, and for how people, plants, and animals flourish when they live in harmony.

