

environment and an excellent producer. Lahontan Cutthroat Trout once occupied a vast range of water in Nevada. From wild mountain streams to desert lakes, today this beautiful creature has been listed as a threatened species by the U.S.A.

Since 1970 Lahontan Cutthroat Trout has been listed as endangered. Its numbers have been reduced drastically due to human activity. Pollution is now a huge issue since the Industrial Revolution. For example, the Conchaque River (this old lake) in 1970 created various bars in the river. Many other organisms like the Lahontan Cutthroat Trout found populations shrinking due to city development, mining, railroad building, dams, wastewater leaks, toxic chemical leaks, invasive species, and commercial harvest. There are so many issues that threaten Lahontan Cutthroat Trout and other organisms's life.

The government and many conservation groups have since undertaken conservation efforts to protect and restore the Lahontan cutthroat trout population. These efforts include habitat restoration, stream remediation and fish stocking programs. As a result, there has been a marked recovery of the Lahontan cutthroat trout and some populations are now considered stable or even increasing. However, the species remains vulnerable to a range of threats, including climate change, and water pollution. I believe the ongoing conservation