Project Summary

The original San Jose light tower was a monument to progress – a delicate structure providing light to benefit all citizens, in the spirit of American progress and democracy. This new proposal aims to revive that spirit, creating a monument to the unrivalled ingenuity of Silicon Valley.

The structure of this new ethereal form recalls the daring of the original tower, but it is now combined with a powerful overlay – the interplay and choreography of scores of dancing drones, greatly expanding the monument in form, idea and spirit, allowing the expression of multiple voices that transform the monument continually.