SAN JOSE WATERFALL BRIDGE











PROJECT GOALS:

ICONIC LANDMARK

QUITE AND SERENE ESCAPE FROM A CITY BUZZ

GREAT VIEWS OVER THE RIVER AND PARK

SPECIAL CONNECTION WITH NATURE

SYMBOLISM:

- 1. CIRCLE REPRESENTS A LIFE CYCLE. CIRCLE HAS A STRONG MEANING IN NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURES SYMBOLIZING CONTINUOUS PATTERN OF LIFE AND DEATH, THE PATH OF THE SUN AND MOON, THE SHAPE OF A FAMILY HOME
- 2. WATERFALL MEANS PURIFICATION AND CONNECTION WITH NATURE AND ROOTS BACK TO TIMES OF SAN JOSE AS A FARMING COMMUNITY
- 3. **BRIDGE** IS STRONG SYMBOL FOR SAN JOSE AS A PLACE FOR A CROSS-CULTURAL EXCHANGE AND A GLOBAL CAPITAL OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY

NET ZERO energy:

1. **PV film** can be applied on the glass to generate energy to supply the water pump and lighting features. There are a variety of semi-transparent or translucent films.







