

The STEM, located in Arena Green East between SR-87 and Guadalupe River Park, has four elements: Wall, Water, Roots, and STEM.

Wall, delineates the interface between the park and SR-87.

Water represents San Francisco Bay and the California coast.

Roots are support buildings, landscaping, and hardscape.

STEM is a 200-foot stainless steel icon that evokes the historic San Jose Light Tower. The original culminated in a point, with a single light at the top, the peak of its technology. Ours, turned on its head, symbolizes new ideas...rooted in our community, widening as it soars upward, opening itself to unknowable possibilities.