

This project creates iconicity between the social and ecological conditions surrounding Arena Green. The park program and improvements are informed by San Jose residents and by social theory. The park addresses social and urban challenges to act as a cultural confluence. How? By addressing concerns of citizens and ensuring proposed solutions follow social design theory, diversity will follow. On one hand, addressing stakeholder concerns provides a sense of ownership to the park. On the other hand, social design creates a park that is inclusive. Like the confluence brings together different bodies of water, Arena green will bring together different communities.