

“Reaching for the Stars” Project Summary

Emulating both a hand reaching for knowledge and a rocket launching into space, the park’s focal monument is a chrome obelisk that contains an internal elevator to a viewing deck 140’ above. The tessellated domes below house a variety of activities including educational exhibitions. Tourists are attracted to a must-see landmark with a one-of-a-kind perspective on San Jose, while local residents are invited to regularly patronize the park with dynamic, rotating attractions, including a performance light show, and various recreational zones. In total, the imaginative environment tips a hat to Silicon Valley innovation with an emphasis on community and sustainability.