



WALK SAN JOSE

## DOWNTOWN SAN JOSE INNOVATION, ARTS & EDUCATION

Explore the intersection of visual and performing arts, education, innovation, and local history in the heart of San Jose.

**DISTANCE** 2.30 MILES

**DIFFICULTY** ●●●●●

From the **SAN JOSE MCENERY CONVENTION CENTER**, cross W. San Carlos Street between S. Almaden Boulevard & S. Market Street. Head east, past **CITY NATIONAL CIVIC**, and turn left onto S. Market Street, where **THE TECH MUSEUM OF INNOVATION** is on the left. Cross S. Market Street into **1 PLAZA DE CESAR CHAVEZ**, the site of California's First State Capitol Marker (1849–1851) and San Jose's city hall from 1889 to 1958. Continue north through the Plaza and cross S. Market Street toward the **2 SAN JOSE MUSEUM OF ART**. Turn around and head south on S. Market Street before turning left onto **PASEO DE SAN ANTONIO**. Walk east on the Paseo past S. 2nd Street, where the **HAMMER THEATRE CENTER** is on the left. Continue on the Paseo onto the **SAN JOSÉ STATE UNIVERSITY** campus, California's oldest public university. Travel through campus to **3 TOWER HALL**. Stop at **THE STAND** [Rigo 23], a tribute to SJSU students and 1968 Olympians Tommie Smith and John Carlos. Continue east and turn right at the Student Union to pass the **ARCH OF DIGNITY, EQUALITY & JUSTICE** [Judith F. Baca], a monument to Cesar Chavez and other Civil Rights Movement leaders. At **PASEO DE SAN CARLOS**, turn right toward downtown, continuing as the Paseo turns into E. San Carlos Street. Bear left on S. 1st Street and enter the South First Area, or **SOFA DISTRICT**, to explore galleries, museums, live music venues, and dining. On the first Friday evening of each month, stop by for the free, self-guided **SOUTH FIRST FRIDAYS ART WALKS**. Do not miss the historic **4 CALIFORNIA THEATRE**, home to Opera San Jose & Symphony Silicon Valley. Continue south on S. 1st Street to **5 PARQUE DE LOS POBLADORES**. From here, turn back to walk north up S. 1st Street, then turn left at W. San Salvador Street, right on S. Market Street, and left on W. San Carlos Street to return to the San Jose McEnergy Convention Center.



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TRANSIT

22	323	81
23	522	82
60s	72	168
304	73	181

MST 55  
MST 86  
HWY 17

LRT  
DASH

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SAN JOSE  
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PLAZA DE  
CESAR CHAVEZ

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PARQUE DE  
LOS POBLADORES

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GUADALUPE  
RIVER PARK

