



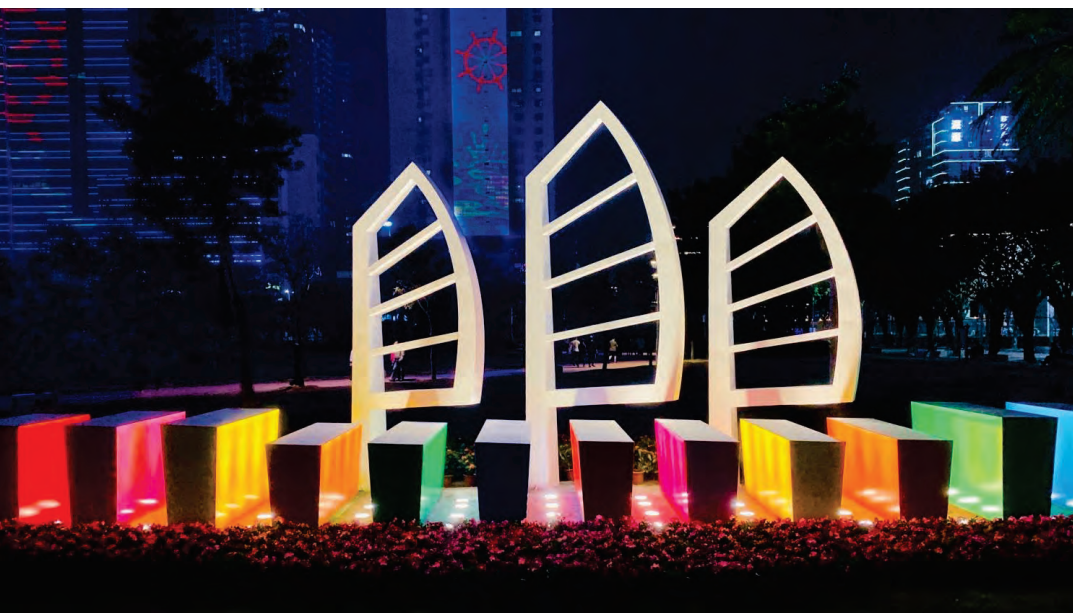
**CITY OF SUNNYVALE  
COMMUNITY CENTER GROUNDS  
SCULPTURE PROPOSAL**

**SIJIA CHEN STUDIO**

# RECENT PROJECTS







## OUR TEAM



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## **CREATIVE PRINCIPLES**

- **Bold color and form as a civic focal point**
- **Narrative through form, light, and shadow**
- **Community-rooted, site-responsive design**
- **A collective identity for Sunnyvale**







## SPECIFICATIONS



**12 feet height, 4 feet diameter**

**Materials:**

**Stainless steel, fluorocarbon paint, anti-graffiti coating, LED lighting fixtures**

# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROCESS

## Part One: Town Hall Meetings, Talks and Site Visits

Gather community responses to curated questions, then translate insights into visual cutout designs.



## CUTOUT DESIGNS

- All images presented in the perforations of the conceptual renderings for are placeholders and not the final design
- Perforation designs will be finalized through a community engagement program



**Flattened view**

## EXAMPLE FROM PRIOR PROJECT

Prompt: What insects do you think are the most important to a healthy ecosystem?

Reponses: Bees & Butterflies



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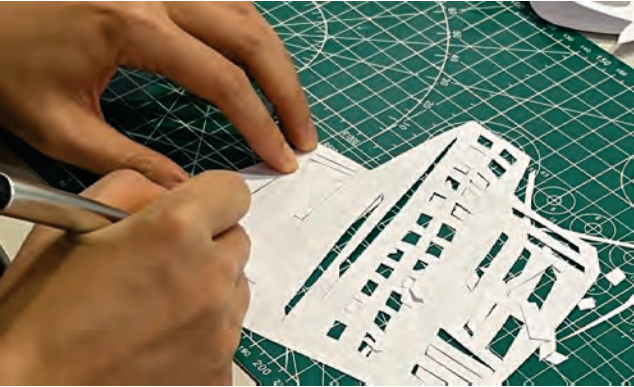
## Part Two: Papercut Workshops

Public can create their own cutout designs for potential inclusion in the final artwork.



## PUBLIC SUBMISSION FROM PRIOR PROJECT





# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT WEBSITE

To supplement in-person meetings and workshops

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Please share your perspectives!

What specific aspects of Wichita's aviation industry would you like to see represented in the artwork? Are there any iconic aircraft, or milestones in Wichita's aviation history that comes to mind?

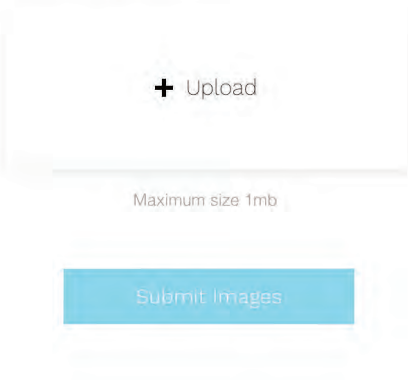
Can you suggest any symbols or visual elements that represent the spirit of Wichita?

Beyond aviation, what other historical events or industries have played a crucial role in shaping Wichita?

What local landmarks, natural elements, colors, patterns, or materials do you think represent Wichita's community, environment, and cultural history?

Do you have any personal experiences or memories of Wichita that you would like to share?

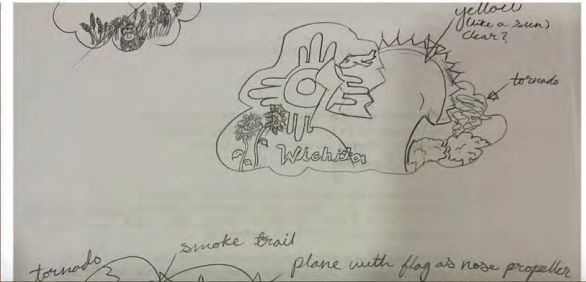
Would you like to contribute any images or paper-cut designs that related to the questions above?



The image shows a user interface for uploading images. It features a large, light gray rectangular area with a thin border. Inside this area, centered, is a plus sign followed by the text "Upload". Below this area, the text "Maximum size 1mb" is displayed. At the bottom of the interface is a solid blue rectangular button with the text "Submit Images" in white.

**\*Example: community engagement questions and photos upload page from previous project**

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**\* Submissions for previous projects**

## Materials

- **Stainless steel structural members and panels**
- **Automotive fluorocarbon paint**
- **UV resistant and anti-graffiti coating**



## Fabrication

- Designed and fabricated by Sijia Chen Studio's in-house team of designers, engineers, and fabricators

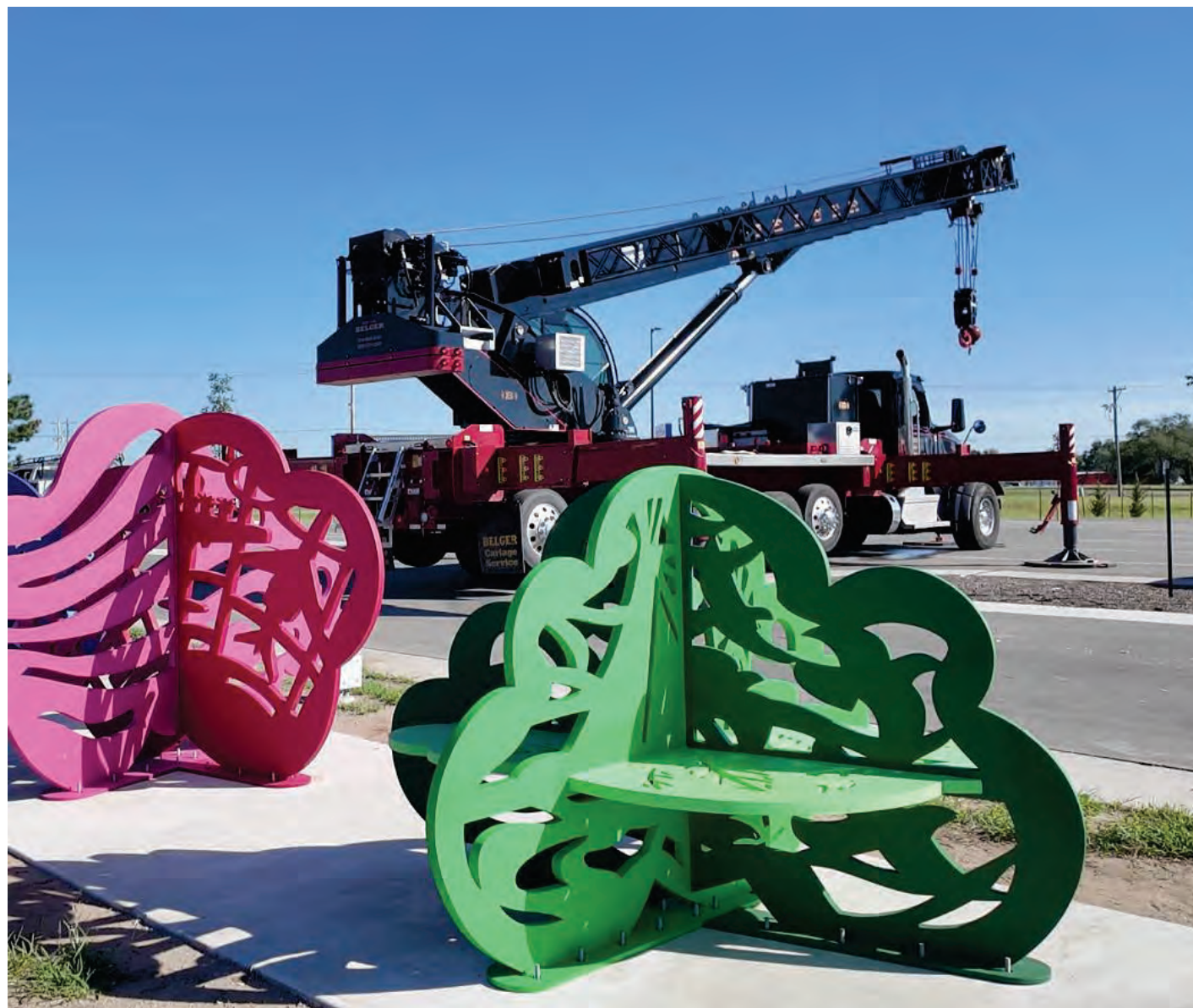


## Installation

- Anchor bolts will secure the artwork to concrete foundations
- 1 day installation

## Maintenance

- Annual mild detergent and water rinses
- Easy access for service



**THANK YOU**  
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