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MERGING LIBRARIES

THE IMPACT ON GOVERNMENT
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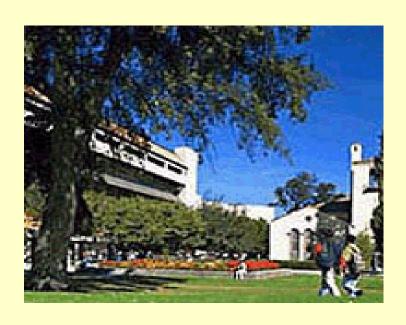
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Clark Library



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4TH and San Fernando

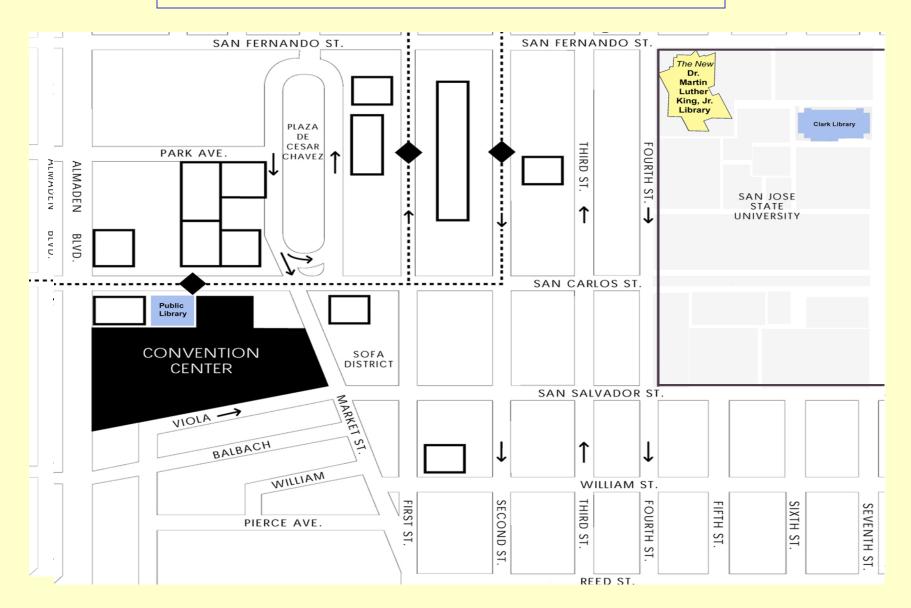


Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Library San Jose, California





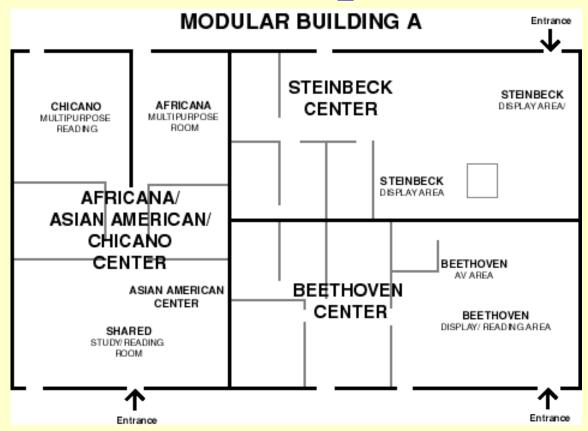
Location of libraries



Senter Road Storage Facility



SJSU Special Libraries on campus



These collections were originally located in the Wahlquist Library.

Reorganization at SJSU

1. Public services of Government Publications located with Reference.

Training of Reference staff

Shelving went to Reference student workers

2. Technical Processing moved to Cataloging.

Collection Decisions

- 1. Weeding the Collection
- 2. Retrospective Conversion
- 3. Classification System Decision
- 4. Collection Development Policies

Site as of 9/21/02



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The new Martin Luther King, Jr. Library



About the building:

Size: 475,000 sq. ft

8 floors, plus mezzanine & lower level

2 million volume capacity

Materials in 58 languages

Carrier Johnson, Executive Architect

Documentation

- Web Site:
 - http://www.newkinglibrary.org/progress/two-2.html
- Operating Agreements
- Memorandum of understanding (MOU)
- Summary of Public Hearings
- Public Forums
- Technical Team Findings

Thank you!

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