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# THE HIGH LINE

New York, NY

The High Line transformed an abandoned, elevated railroad structure into a unique public park. Stretching 1.5 miles on Manhattan's west side, the High Line helped spur residential and commercial development in the West Chelsea neighborhood and has become a popular tourist attraction.

Team

Diller Scofidio + Renfro  
Field Operations





# FDR FOUR FREEDOMS PARK

## Roosevelt Island, NY

In 1972, the renowned architect Louis Kahn was asked to design Four Freedoms Park. Sadly, he died two years later. The project languished for decades, but opened in 2012. Langan was a long-standing, core member of the design team dedicated to realizing Kahn's vision for Four Freedoms Park. Today the 4.5-acre park in the East River features a landscaped open garden, promenade, sculpture court, and plaza overlooking Manhattan and Queens on Roosevelt Island's southern point.

## Team

Louis Kahn  
Mitchell | Giurgola Architects  
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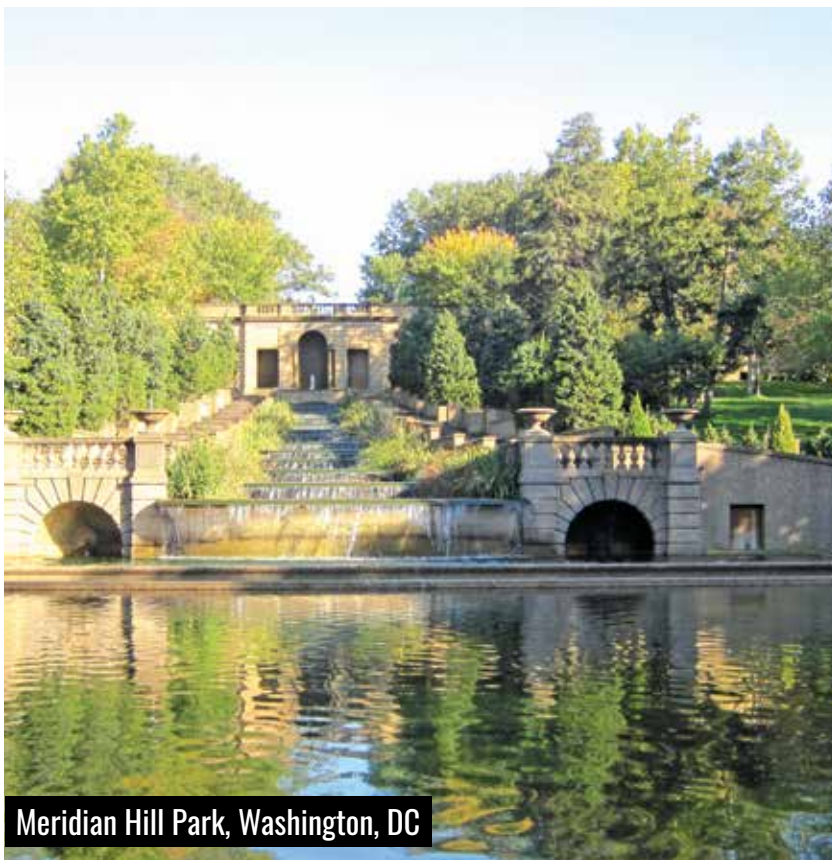
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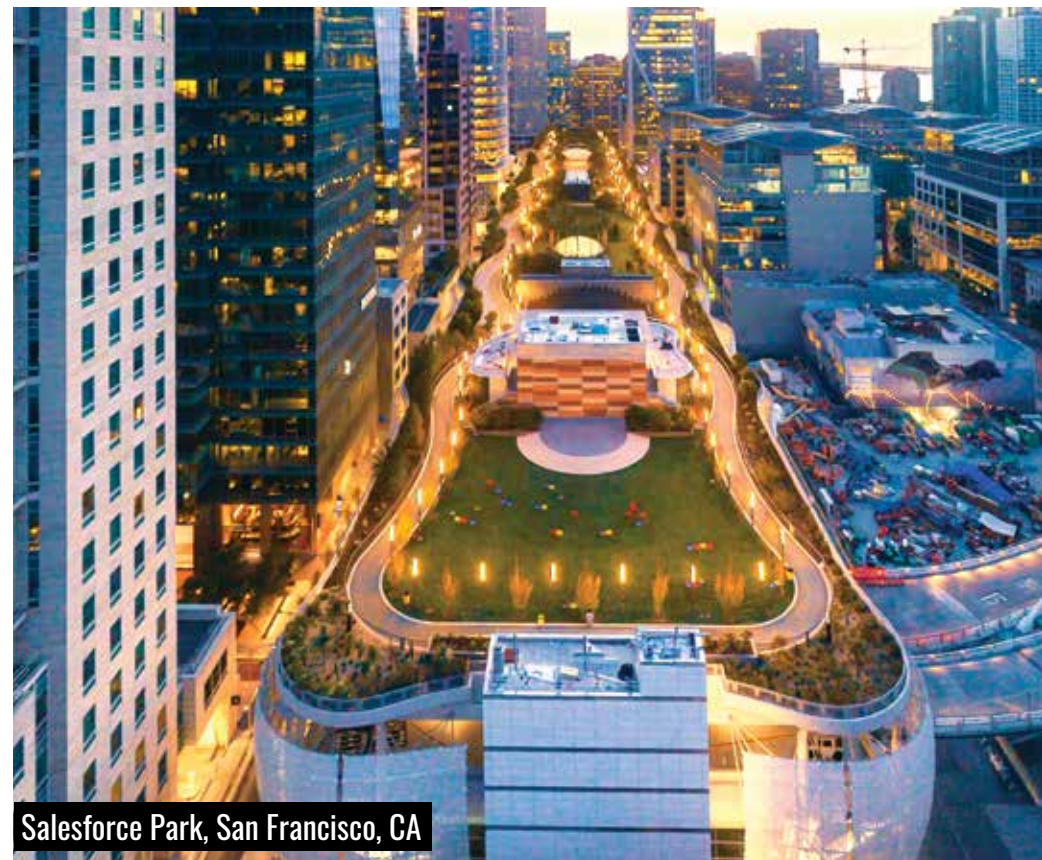
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