

GGE Selected for “Bill Nye’s Climate Laboratory” at Chabot Space & Science Center

After a nationwide competition, General Graphics Exhibits (GGE) was selected to fabricate and install “Bill Nye’s Climate Laboratory” at the Chabot Space & Science Center, Oakland CA. The goal of the exhibition, geared toward school children and their families as well as teachers, is to increase climate change science literacy. In promoting small changes that will add up to a collective impact on the way we live in the world, the 4100 sq. ft. exhibit will teach visitors about clean energy sources, encourage thinking about how we design the built landscape we live in, and focus on solutions and innovations that will change the status quo. The exhibit will be permanent at the Chabot. Incorporating RFID and an interactive website to go along with the exhibit, visitors will be able to extend their experience beyond time spent at the physical museum. GGE is partnering on this project with Amaze, a Boston design firm. The project, funded in part by The Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation of Palo Alto, “allows Chabot to continue its rich tradition of science education through hands-on, fun, interactive exhibits,” according to Tamara Schwarz, exhibits manager at Chabot.

GGE (www.gge.com) is a mid-size, value oriented company employing artisans and craftsmen, as well as designers and project managers. For over 40 years, GGE has served the convention, museum, and creative markets with unprecedented attention to detail and to customers’ needs.

Chabot Space & Science Center, a Smithsonian affiliate, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit interactive science center whose mission is to inspire and educate students of all ages about our Planet Earth and the Universe. The Center is located at 10000 Skyline Blvd. just off Highway 13 in the Oakland hills.

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