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## Brocade Celebrates New Headquarters in San Jose

*World class facilities will accommodate nearly 2,500 employees,  
provide boost to city and state economy*

**Event:** Brocade Communications Systems, together with the San Jose Redevelopment Agency and the City of San Jose, will be celebrating Brocade's Campus Dedication & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony.

**When:** **Thursday, September 9, 2010**  
**9:00 a.m. – 10 a.m. (Campus Dedication & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony)**  
**10:00 a.m. – 11 a.m. (Campus Data Center Tours)**

**Where:** 130 Holger Way, San Jose, CA 95134

**Who:** Mayor Chuck Reed  
Michael Klayko, Chief Executive Officer, Brocade  
Tom Werner, CEO, SunPower  
Carl Guardino, President and CEO of Silicon Valley Leadership Group  
Harry S. Mavrogenes, Executive Director, San Jose Redevelopment Agency

**Background:** Founded in 1995, Brocade® Communication Systems (NASDAQ: BRCD) provides data center networking solutions and services to manage information assets. Brocade solutions are used in over 90 percent of Global 1000 data centers as well as in enterprise LANs and the largest service provider networks. The company currently employs approximately 2,500 people in San Jose and 4,400 worldwide.

The new Brocade corporate headquarters is located at the intersection of North First Street and Highway 237, and enables Brocade to consolidate five local facilities while accommodating an additional 600 employees. The recent completion of the project includes two new office buildings and a data center, totaling 562,000 square feet, and a 1,821 stall parking garage. Brocade also has

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an option for a fourth tower, entitled up to 320,000 square feet. The new campus is a showcase for clean technology, both in design and operations. The facility includes green innovations like the 550-kilowatt photovoltaic system on its parking garage rooftop that is one of the largest solar-power deployments in San Jose.

Additionally, Brocade's campus is part of the @First mixed-used development that includes a 138,000 square feet Target Superstore, a 162-room Hotel Sierra and a 73,000 square feet retail village. [www.brocade.com](http://www.brocade.com)

The estimated cost of the project is \$278 million, with the Redevelopment Agency investing \$2.5 million for new capital equipment acquisitions. Over the course of the five-year agreement with the Redevelopment Agency, the project is anticipated to generate an estimated \$10 million to the City's General Fund and the Redevelopment Agency's tax increment.

Since 1977, the San Jose Redevelopment Agency has invested \$174 million in infrastructure in the Innovation Triangle area, including Route 87 improvements; flood control upgrades; the Brokaw Road – U.S. 101 undercrossing, and new Tasman bridges. The Innovation Triangle (also known as Rincon de los Esteros) consists of more than 4,600 acres and is home to 1,400 national and international companies employing 60,000 people. For more information about the San Jose Redevelopment Agency, visit [www.sjredevelopment.org](http://www.sjredevelopment.org).

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