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McClellan PROPELS into the FUTURE



HISTORY

When the federal government announced McClellan Air Force Base would close, many were concerned about the future of this area. Not only was this a loss for the community because of McClellan's rich military history and community partnership, but McClellan's 15,000 jobs were a vital part of the economic landscape in the Sacramento Community.

Today McClellan Park is a nationwide model of how a closed military installation can become a thriving, vibrant and successful part of a community. Thanks to the teamwork, collaboration and vision shared by the U.S. Air Force, Sacramento County, McClellan Business Park, state and federal regulatory agencies, as well as the local community, much has been accomplished in only a few short years since the base closed in 2001.



More than 220 businesses and 15,000 jobs have been brought back to McClellan

850 acres of land has been transferred from the Air Force back to community ownership



Many complex environmental cleanup decisions have been made to ensure the continued protection of human health and the environment

Millions of dollars have been invested at McClellan for much-needed infrastructure upgrades, such as new sanitary sewer system, roadways, sidewalks, and bike lanes



A new world-class Aerospace Museum was built