TRANSIT TUNNEL University Street Station



University Street Station — A Touch of High-tech

This station serves the downtown financial district. Under Third Avenue between Union and Seneca streets, University Street Station has entrances in the Cobb Building garage, Washington Mutual Tower and Benaroya Hall, home of the Seattle Symphony. You can make convenient transfers on nearby streets to bus routes serving First Hill.

High-tech is the motif for University Street Station.

- On a south mezzanine wall, 14 screens display more than 100 animated words, faces and symbols, including industrial, animal, transportation, ancient and state-of-the art images.
- Twenty-three wall-mounted light-sticks flash on and off, suggesting patterns of movement across a north mezzanine wall. The light-sticks flash in an order not obvious to the eye, creating unexpected, intriguing images.
- Silhouettes and quotations of humanitarian and black activist Flo Ware and Seattle Tower architect A.H. Albertson are in entrance sidewalks and stairway risers.
- 4 On Third Avenue near University Street is a 14-foot-high "Hickory-Dickory-Dock" clock created for the tunnel project. Running up one side is a small brass mouse.
- Station floors and walls feature white, black and red granite applied in patterns that highlight platform benches and information signs. The granite patterns serve as a background support for the innovative light-work sculptures on the mezzanines.
- 6 Sandblasted into stainless-steel benches and doors are dot-matrix computer-generated etchings.



