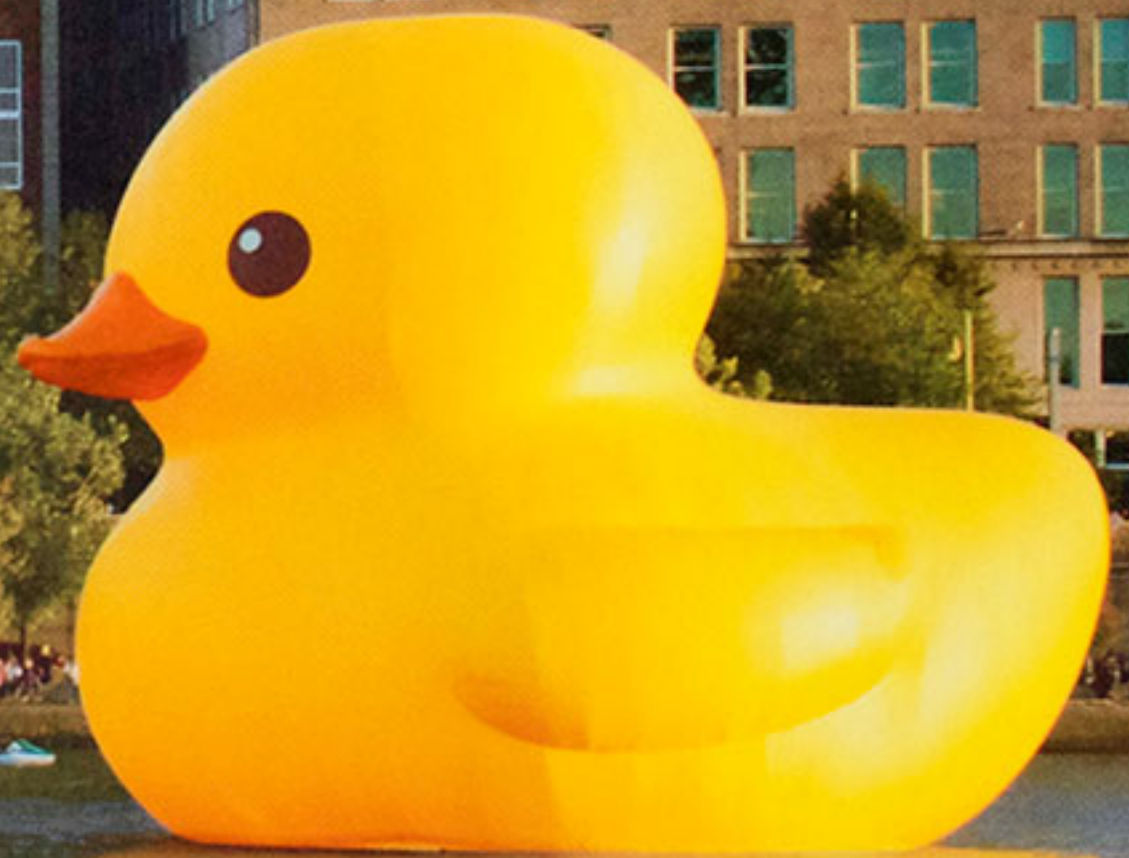


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Manifest Destiny! is about our God-given imperative, as modern explorers, to seek out parcels of unclaimed territory and boldly establish a new home front in the forgotten urban voids of San Francisco. *Manifest Destiny!* is a rustic cabin occupying one of the last remaining unclaimed spaces of San Francisco—above and between other properties. The structure can be seen affixed to the side of the Hotel des Arts, floating above the restaurant Le Central like an anomalous outgrowth of the contemporary streetscape. Using a nineteenth-century architectural style and vintage building materials, the structure is both homage to the romantic spirit of the Western Myth and a commentary on the arrogance of the Westward expansion.

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