New York City has always had the “Bright Lights, Big City” theme going on. They’ve just added one more attraction to the list. Artist Rafael Lozano-Hemmer created an exhibition of lights for the famed Park Avenue tunnel called “Voice Tunnel”.

The 1,400 foot long tunnel is currently closed to traffic and is decorated with about 300 theater spotlights. The lights create a shimmering archway along the tunnel’s walls & ceilings. The lights are activated by the participants voices when they speak into a special intercom located at the middle of the tunnel. The intercom records and loops the voices. The louder the pitch and volume of the voice, the more intense the light beam becomes. This “Light Tunnel” is a special Summer Streets event and will be running for three Saturdays in August, the 3rd, 10th, and 17th at 7am and 1 pm only. It is definitely worth checking out.