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The RTA System

The Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) provides financial oversight, funding and planning for the six-county transit system that includes the Chicago Transit Authority (CTA), Metra and Pace service throughout Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will counties. The RTA System Map features the most current route information available at the time of publication. Transit routes and schedules are subject to change due to seasonal service and road construction.

Plan your travel by phone: The Travel Information Center is a free service that provides the most up-to-date travel times, directions and connections for transit services within the region. Plan your travel by calling 312-836-7000 or TTY 312-836-4949.

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Service Overview

The CTA runs bus and elevated/subway trains in Chicago and nearby suburbs. Most routes run daily, early morning through late evening, every 7 to 15 minutes. CTA fares differ depending on how you pay. The fare is \$2.00 for bus and \$2.25 for rail when using the Chicago Card, Chicago Card Plus or Transit Cards. The cash fare on buses is \$2.25, 1-Day, 3-Day, 7-Day and 30-Day passes are also available. For more information, visit www.transitchicago.com.

Metra makes traveling to and from Chicago and its suburbs easy and convenient by providing commuter rail service to more than 240 stations throughout the region. Operating on a fixed schedule, 11 rail lines radiate from five downtown Chicago stations providing frequent weekday rush-hour service, and on most lines, hourly non-rush-hour service. On weekends, Metra's 57 Weekend Pass is good for unlimited rides on both Saturday and Sunday. Plus, weekend Family Fares allow up to three children ages 11 and under to ride free with a fare paying adult. For complete fare and schedule information, visit www.metra.com.

Pace suburban bus provides services throughout the region's suburbs connecting to Metra and CTA service. Most routes run every 30 to 60 minutes through mid evening. Major routes run seven days per week. Use cash or CTA/Pace passes to ride. Basic full fare: \$1.75. For more information, visit www.pacebus.com.

*All fare prices are as of January 1, 2011.

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South Shore Line runs trains on the Metra Electric line in, serving the downtown Chicago (Randolph/Van Buren) to South Bend, IN, serving the southeast portion of Chicago and Northwest Indiana. Single-ride ticket prices range from \$3 to \$10.75, depending on the distance traveled. For more information, visit www.nictd.com.

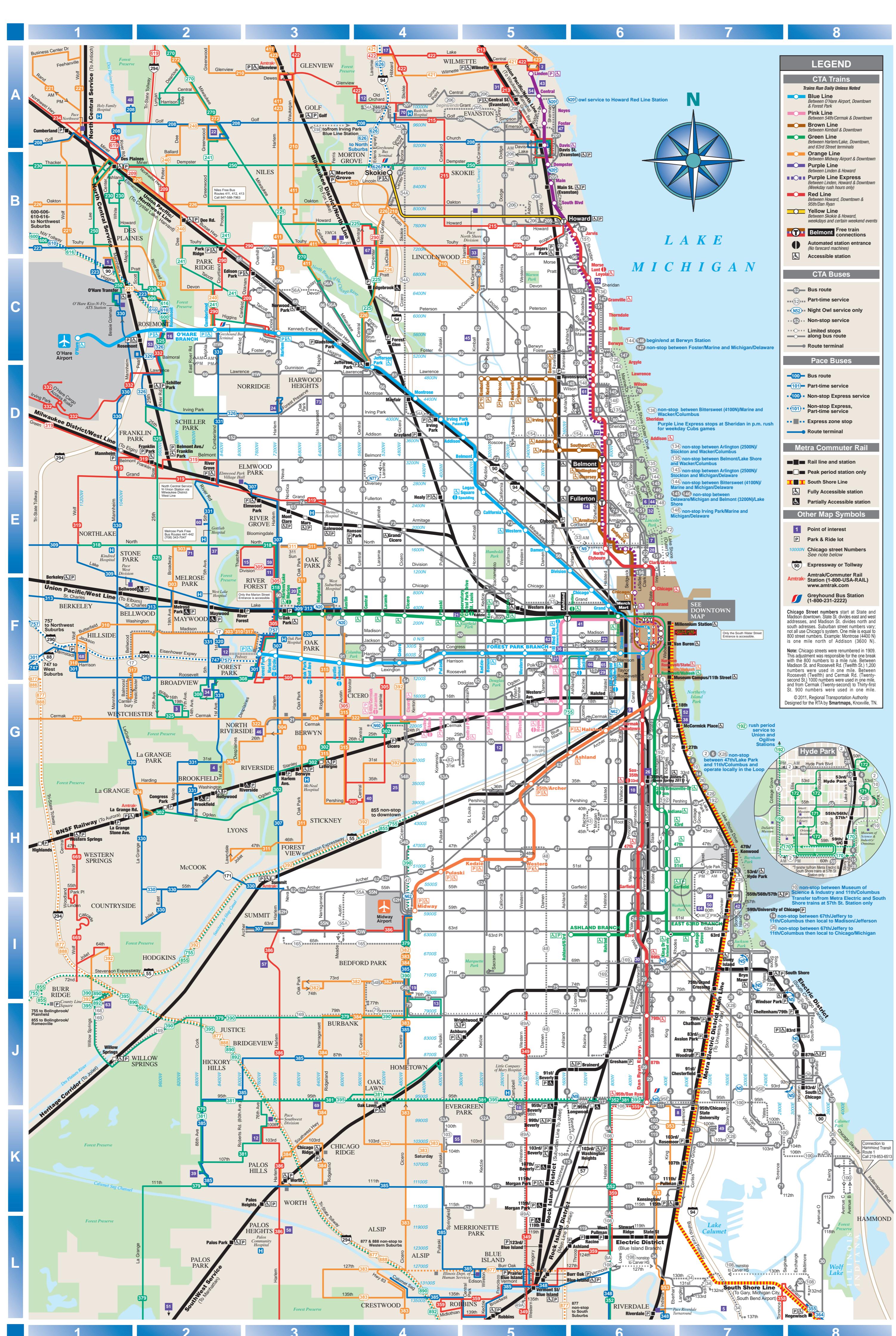
Amtrak provides rail services from Chicago's Union Station to cities throughout and outside of Illinois. Amtrak's routes from Chicago to St. Louis, Milwaukee, Carbondale, and Quincy, combined with thruway buses, connect 35 Illinois cities. For more information, visit www.amtrak.com or call 1-800-USA-RAIL.

The Chicago Water Taxi offers a direct link from the Metra and Amtrak train stations at Madison Street to Michigan Avenue, Chicago's Magnificent Mile, The River North Arts District at LaSalle/Clark Street and Chinatown. The scheduled service operates seven days a week, with fares starting at \$2.00. For more information, visit www.chicagowatertaxi.com or call 312-337-1446.

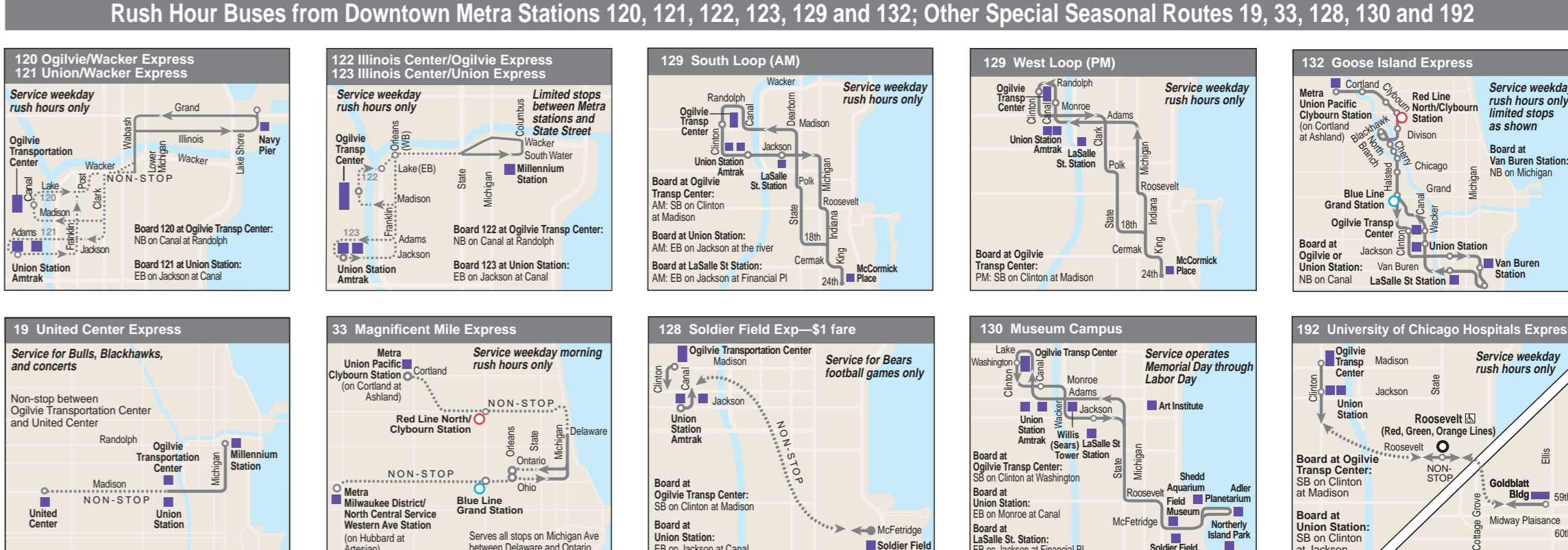
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Points of Interest - Outlying

- Airports:** Midway Airport, I-4; O'Hare Airport, C-1
- 1 Allstate Arena, C-1
- 2 Bahai Temple, A-5
- 3 Broadview Village
- 4 Square Mall, G-2
- 5 Brookfield Zoo, G-2
- 6 Calumet Industrial District, L-7
- 7 Chicago Academy of Sciences, E-6
- 8 Chicago History Museum, E-6
- 9 Chicago State University, K-6
- 10 Chinatown, G-6
- 11 US Cellular Field (White Sox), H-6
- 12 Concordia University, F-3
- Cook County Courts:** Bridgeview, K-3; Chicago at 26th, California, G-5; Maywood, F-2; Skokie, A-4
- 13 Daley College, J-4
- 14 DePaul University, Lincoln Park, E-6
- 15 Dominican University, E-3
- 16 Donald E. Stephens Convention Center/Rosemont, C-2
- 17 Edens Plaza, A-4
- 18 The Plaza, K-5
- 19 Ford City Mall, I-4
- 20 Frank Lloyd Wright Home & Studio, F-3
- 21 Garfield Park Conservatory, F-5
- 22 Golf Mill Mall, A-2
- 23 Greentown, F-6
- 24 Harlem/Trinity Plaza, D-3
- 25 Hawthorne Race Course, G-4
- 26 Illinois Institute of Technology, G-6
- 27 Illinois Medical District, F-5
- 28 International Museum of Surgical Science, E-6
- 29 Jane Addams Hull House Museum, F-6
- 30 Kennedy-King College, I-6
- 31 Kohi Children's Museum, A-5
- 32 Lincoln Park Zoo & Conservatory, E-6
- 33 Lincolnwood Town Center Mall, B-5
- 34 Loyola/Hines VA Medical Ctr., G-2
- 35 Loyola University, Lake Shore, C-6
- 36 Malcolm X College, F-5
- 37 Maywood Park Race Track, E-2
- 38 McCormick Place, G-7
- 39 Moraine Valley College, K-2
- 40 Morton College, H-4
- 41 Museum of Holography, F-6
- 42 Museum of Science & Industry, E-6
- 43 National-Louis University, A-5
- 44 Nature Museum, E-6
- 45 Northeastern Illinois University, C-5
- 46 North Riverside Park Mall, G-3
- 47 Northwestern University, Evanston, A-5
- 48 Oakton Community College, A-1
- 49 Olive-Harvey College, K-7
- 50 Oriental Institute, I-7
- 51 Orland Square Mall, L-2
- 52 Prairie Avenue Historic District, G-7
- 53 Rosemont Theater, C-2
- 54 Ryan Field (Northwestern Univ. Wildcats), A-5
- 55 St. Xavier University, K-4
- 56 Smart Museum, I-7
- 57 Toyota Park, I-3
- 58 Trinity Christian College, L-3
- 59 Trinity High School, E-3
- 60 Triton College, E-2
- 61 Truman College, D-6
- 62 United Center (Bulls, Blackhawks), F-5
- 63 United Parcel Service/Hodgkins, J-1
- 64 University of Chicago & Medical Center, I-7
- 65 University of Illinois at Chicago, F-6
- 66 UIC Pavilion, F-6
- 67 Village Crossing Shopping Center, B-4
- 68 West Point Plaza, F-1
- 69 Westfield Chicago Ridge Mall, K-3
- 70 Westfield Shoppingtown Orchard, A-2
- 71 Winston Plaza, E-2
- 72 Wingfield (Cubs), D-6
- 73 Wright College, D-3



- Railroad Terminals:** LaSalle St. Station (Metra), F-10; Millennium Station (Metra/South Shore Line), D-12; Ogilvie Transportation Center UP (Metra), E-9; Union Station (Amtrak), E-9
- Points of Interest:** Adler Planetarium, H-13; Apparel Center, C-10; ArchCenter, E-11; Art Institute of Chicago, E-12; Beaches: Oak St., A-12; Ohio St., C-13; 12th St., H-13; Buckingham Fountain, F-12; Charter One Pavilion, H-13; Chicago Board of Trade, F-10; Chicago Board Options Exchange, F-10; Chicago Children's Museum, C-13; Chicago Cultural Center, D-11; Chicago Mercantile Exchange, E-10; Chicago Stock Exchange, F-10; City Hall/County Building, D-10; Civic Opera House, E-10; Columbia College, F-11; Cook County Courthouse (Clinton/Harrison), F-9; DePaul University, downtown, F-11; East-West University, G-12; Federal Buildings and Courts, E-11; Field Museum, H-13; Gallery 37 Center for the Arts, D-11; Grant Park, F-12; Greektown Restaurant District, E-9; Greyhound Bus Terminal, F-9; Harold Washington College, D-11; Harold Washington Library, F-11; Harris Theatre, D-12; H-I-Chicago Hotel, F-11; Illinois Institute of Technology, downtown, E-9; Jane Addams Hull House, G-9; John Hancock Observatory, A-12; The John Marshall School of Law, F-11; Loyola University, Water Tower, B-11; Maxwell Street Sunday Market, H-9; Merchandise Mart, C-10; Mid-America Commodity Exchange, F-10; Millennium Park, E-12; Museum of Contemporary Art, B-12; Navy Pier, C-13; Newberry Research Library, A-11; North Michigan Ave. shopping area, B-12; Northwestern Memorial Hospital, B-12; Northwestern University, downtown, B-12; Petrie Music Shell, E-12; Pritzer Pavilion, C-10; River North Entertainment Area, B-11; Riverside Plaza, (Lake street D-10 South to Jackson Street E-10); Robert Morris University, F-11; Roosevelt University, F-11; Rush Street Nightlife Area, A-11; Shedd Aquarium/Oceanarium, H-13; Soldier Field, H-13; Spertus Museum of Judaica, F-11; State of Illinois (Thompson Center), D-10; State Street Shopping, D-11; Symphony Center, E-11; Traffic Court (In the District), D-11; University of Chicago, Gleacher Center, C-12; University of Illinois at Chicago, G-9; Northwestern University, downtown, B-12; Visitor Information Centers, B-12, D-11; Water Tower Place, A-12; Willis (Sears) Tower Skydeck, E-10



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