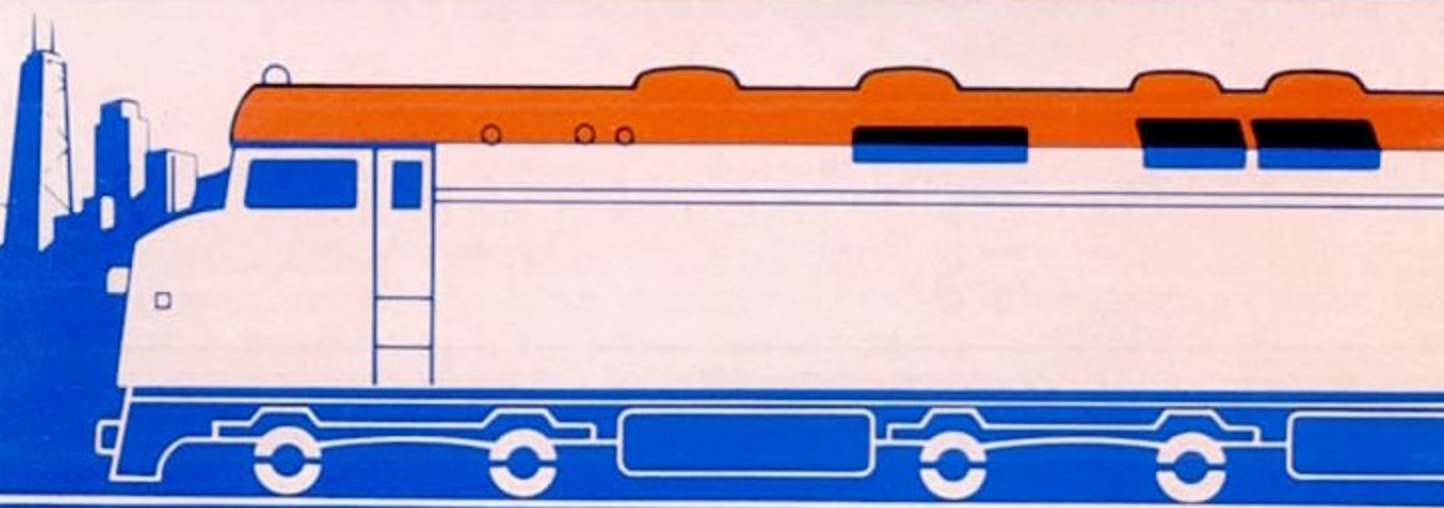
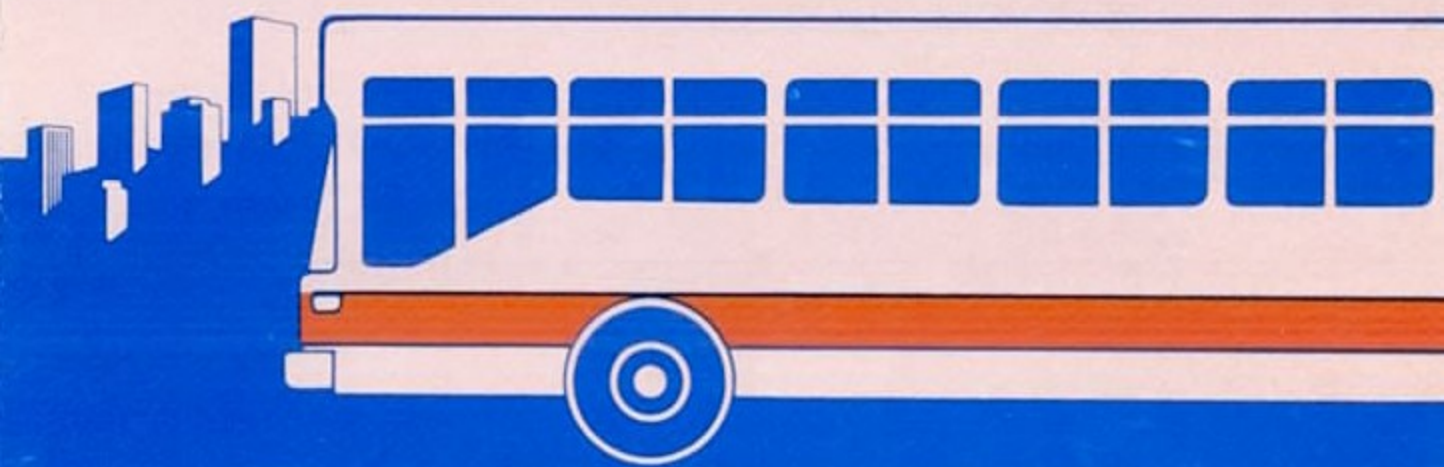
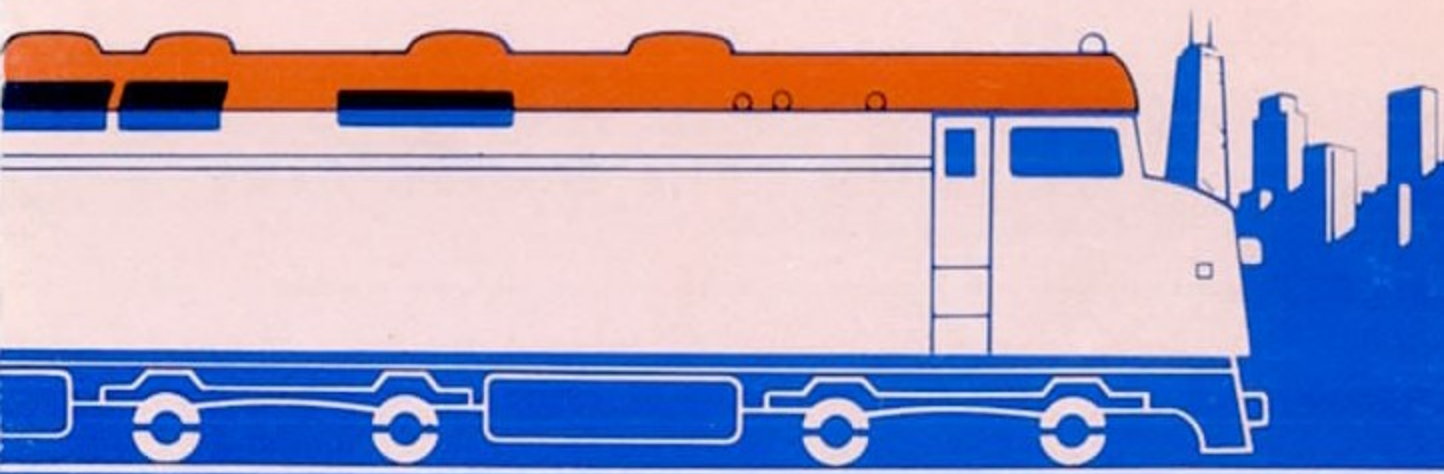


# ***YOU HAVE CONNECTIONS IN CHICAGO.***

*(Chicago and North Western Station)*



This brochure tells you about the connecting CTA bus or rapid transit services that are available from your downtown Metra station. Written descriptions of each route appear below as well as a downtown map and individual station diagram. While the routes are not the only CTA services available downtown, they are the ones that should be most useful to Metra passengers.

## CHICAGO AND NORTH WESTERN STATION

- #20 MADISON; 24-hours, 7-days-a-week
- #56 MILWAUKEE; 24-hours, 7-days-a-week
- #131 WASHINGTON; weekdays only

These buses operate eastbound on Washington to Michigan (#56 continues to Illinois Center) and return westbound via Madison. Board on Washington at Canal.

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- #41 ELSTON/CLYBOURN; weekdays only.  
No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 5:30 a.m. to 6:40 p.m.  
Southbound 5:15 a.m. to 6:20 p.m.  
(from Chicago/Orleans)

Operates to the Merchandise Mart/Apparel Center, River North area and Montgomery Wards headquarters northbound via Canal, Lake, Wacker, Orleans, Chicago and Larrabee (continuing to Northwest side). Returns southbound via Larrabee, Chicago, Orleans, Wacker, Lake and Clinton.

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- #56 MILWAUKEE; 24-hours, 7-days-a-week

Operates to Illinois Center eastbound via Washington, Michigan, Wacker and Columbus (upper level). Returns westbound via South Water, Michigan and Madison.

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- #120 NORTH WESTERN/WACKER EXPRESS; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Eastbound 7:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.  
and 4:10 p.m. to 5:25 p.m.  
Westbound 7:30 a.m. to 9:50 a.m.  
and 4:00 p.m. to 5:45 p.m.  
(from Grand/Columbus)

Operates to Illinois/Columbus eastbound via Washington, Wacker (lower level), South Water (lower level), Michigan (lower level), Illinois, Columbus and Grand. Returns westbound via Grand, Michigan (lower level), Wacker (lower level), Lake and Canal. NO STOPS BETWEEN NORTH WESTERN STATION AND WACKER/STATE.

- #122 ILLINOIS CENTER/NORTH WESTERN EXPRESS; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Eastbound 7:20 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and  
4:00 p.m. to 5:50 p.m.  
Westbound 8:00 a.m. to 9:20 a.m. and  
3:35 p.m. to 5:40 p.m. (from Columbus/South Water)

Operates east to Illinois Center via Washington, Wacker (lower level), South Water (lower level), and Columbus (lower level). Returns westbound via Wacker (lower level), Lake and Canal. NO STOPS BETWEEN NORTH WESTERN STATION AND WACKER/STATE.

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- #125 WATER TOWER EXPRESS; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 7:00 a.m. to 6:45 p.m.  
Southbound 7:20 a.m. to 6:20 p.m. (from Seneca/Walton)

Operates to the Merchandise Mart and North Michigan Avenue via Canal, Lake, Wacker, Orleans, Ohio, Michigan, Chicago and Seneca. Returns via Walton, Michigan, Ontario, Orleans, Wacker, Lake and Clinton. NO STOPS BETWEEN ORLEANS/OHIO AND MICHIGAN/ERIE.

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- #127 NORTH WESTERN/MADISON; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Southbound 6:45 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  
Northbound 4:10 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
(from Michigan/Balbo)

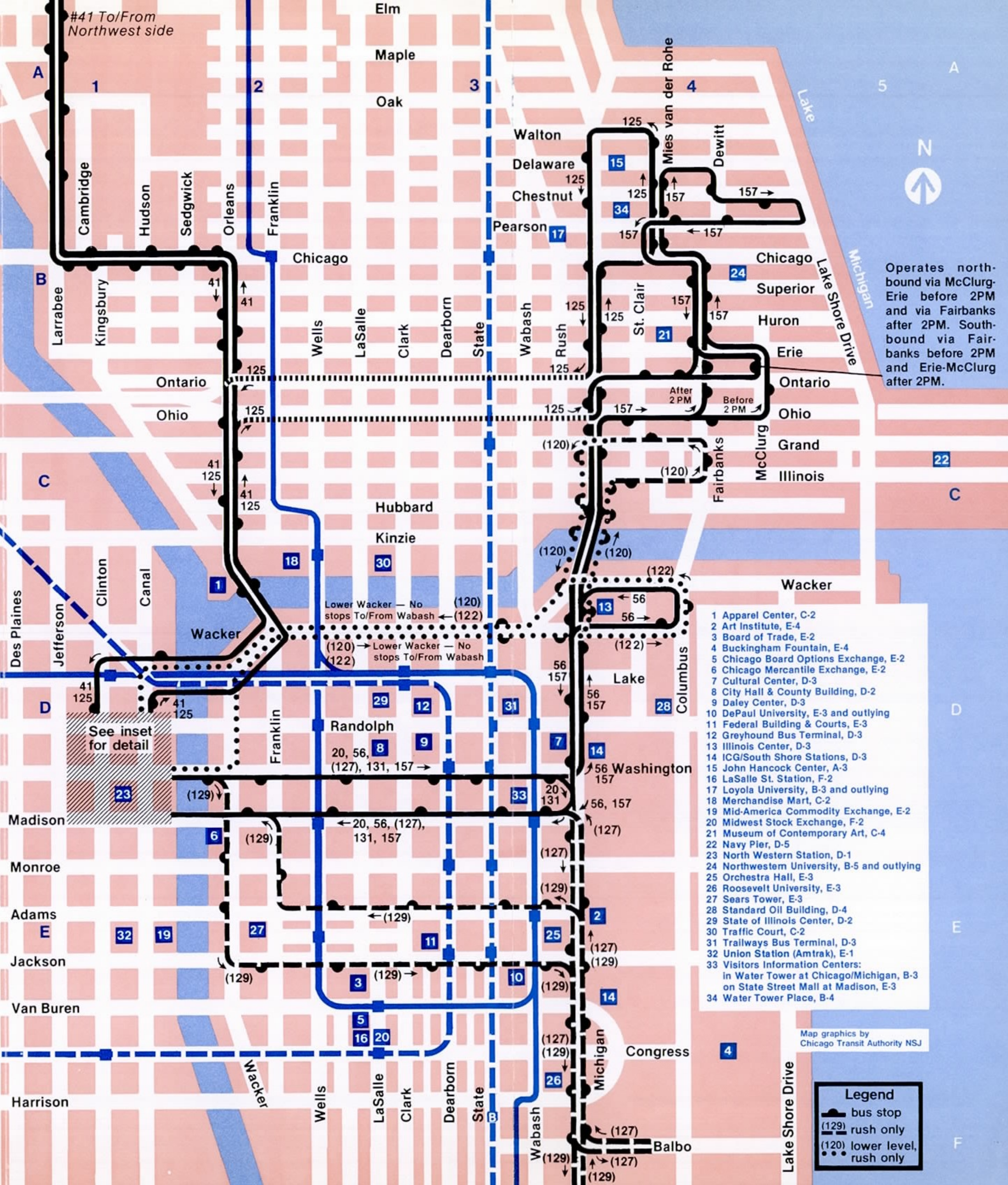
Operates south to Michigan/Balbo via Washington and Michigan. Returns northbound via Michigan and Madison.

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- #129 NORTH WESTERN/FRANKLIN; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Southbound 6:55 a.m. to 9:50 a.m.  
Northbound 3:25 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. (from Pershing/Wood)

Operates south to Michigan/Cermak and continues to Board of Education Building via Canal, Washington, Wacker, Jackson, Michigan, Cermak, Archer, Ashland, and Pershing to the Board of Education Building at Pershing/Wood. Returns northbound from Pershing/Wood via Pershing, Ashland, Cermak, Michigan, Adams, Franklin, Madison and Canal.

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Operates north-bound via McClurg-Erie before 2PM and via Fairbanks after 2PM. South-bound via Fairbanks before 2PM and Erie-McClurg after 2PM.

- 1 Apparel Center, C-2
- 2 Art Institute, E-4
- 3 Board of Trade, E-2
- 4 Buckingham Fountain, E-4
- 5 Chicago Board Options Exchange, E-2
- 6 Chicago Mercantile Exchange, E-2
- 7 Cultural Center, D-3
- 8 City Hall & County Building, D-2
- 9 Daley Center, D-3
- 10 DePaul University, E-3 and outlying
- 11 Federal Building & Courts, E-3
- 12 Greyhound Bus Terminal, D-3
- 13 Illinois Center, D-3
- 14 ICG/South Shore Stations, D-3
- 15 John Hancock Center, A-3
- 16 LaSalle St. Station, F-2
- 17 Loyola University, B-3 and outlying
- 18 Merchandise Mart, C-2
- 19 Mid-America Commodity Exchange, E-2
- 20 Midwest Stock Exchange, F-2
- 21 Museum of Contemporary Art, C-4
- 22 Navy Pier, D-5
- 23 North Western Station, D-1
- 24 Northwestern University, B-5 and outlying
- 25 Orchestra Hall, E-3
- 26 Roosevelt University, E-3
- 27 Sears Tower, E-3
- 28 Standard Oil Building, D-4
- 29 State of Illinois Center, D-2
- 30 Traffic Court, C-2
- 31 Trailways Bus Terminal, D-3
- 32 Union Station (Amtrak), E-1
- 33 Visitors Information Centers:  
in Water Tower at Chicago/Michigan, B-3  
on State Street Mall at Madison, E-3
- 34 Water Tower Place, B-4

Map graphics by Chicago Transit Authority NSJ

**Legend**

- bus stop
- rush only
- lower level, rush only

#41 To/From Northwest side

See inset for detail

Lower Wacker — No stops To/From Wabash (120) (122)

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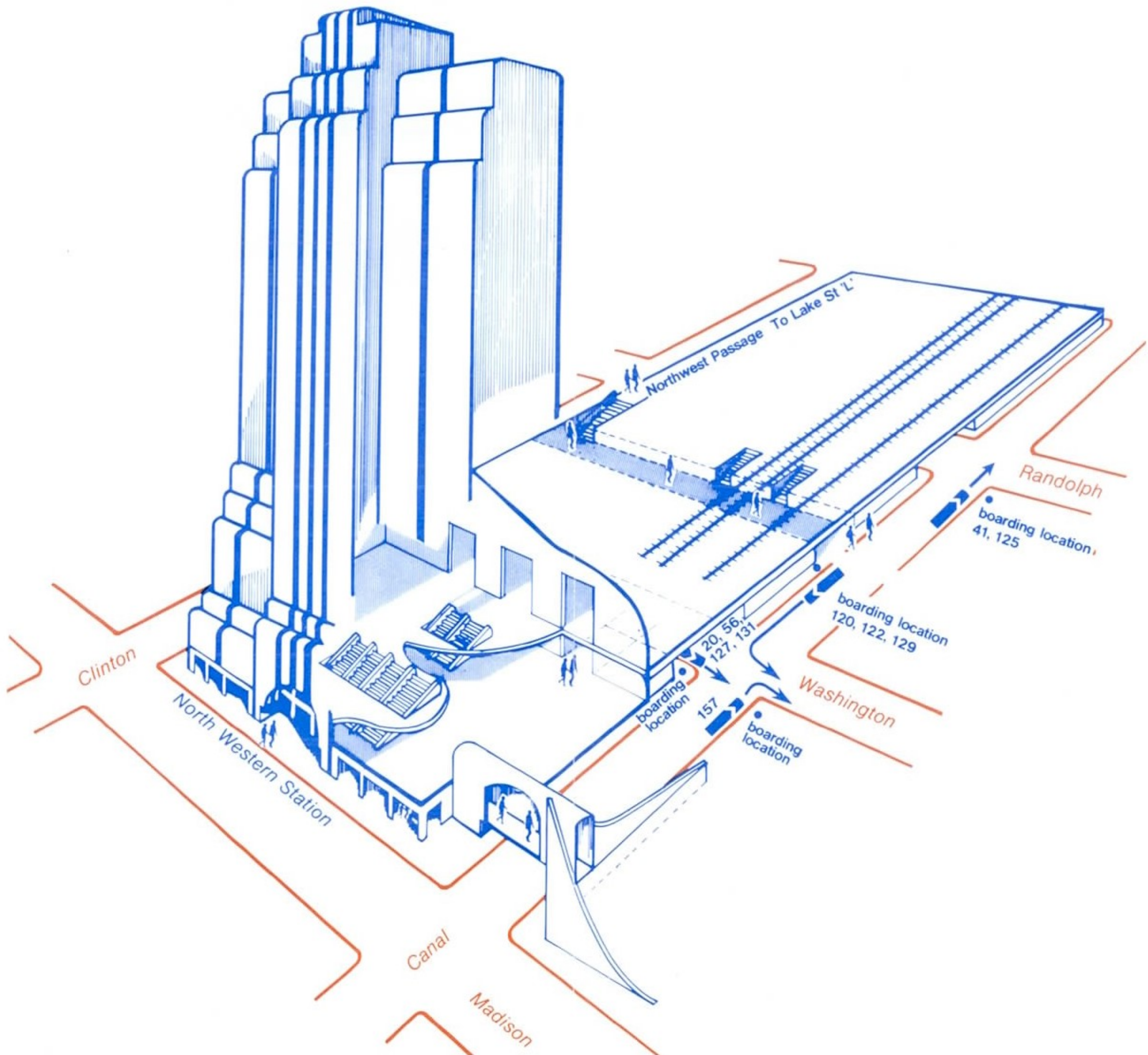
**#157 STREETERVILLE; Monday-Saturday only.**  
No Sunday/Holiday services.

Monday-Friday: Northbound 6:35 a.m. to 8:40 p.m.  
Southbound 7:00 a.m. to 9:05 p.m.  
(from Chestnut/Lake Shore)  
Saturday: Northbound 7:10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.  
Southbound 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
(from Chestnut/Lake Shore)

Operates north to Michigan Avenue and Streeter-ville via Canal, Washington, Michigan, Ohio, Mc-Clurg, Erie, Fairbanks, Chicago, Seneca, Delaware, DeWitt and Chestnut. Returns south-bound via Lake Shore, Pearson, Seneca, Chicago, Fairbanks, Erie, McClurg, Ontario, Michigan and Madison. See map for explanation of routing on McClurg.

**LAKE/DAN RYAN 'L'; 24-hours, 7-days-a-week**

Operates to and from the Loop 'L' over Lake Street and Wabash Avenue. Board at the Clinton station by entering the "Northwest Passage" at west end of commuter concourse.



## **LINK-UP TICKET**

For only \$36 a month, monthly ticket holders get unlimited use of all CTA buses and rapid transit trains. Also good for free riding on Pace suburban bus service (except downtown express service on routes #210, #355 and #835). It's convenient! Avoids need for exact change. Buy your Link-up ticket when you purchase your next Metra monthly ticket. Sold at downtown and some suburban Metra stations and through the Metra ticket-by-mail program. It is good seven days a week.

## **USE METRA AND CTA FOR FUN IN CHICAGO, TOO!**

Brochures describing connecting CTA services to recreational and cultural locations in Chicago are available at Metra stations or by calling 322-6777. Metra also offers family fares on weekends and holidays that make these trips a bargain. Children under 12 ride free with a full-fare paying adult (limit 3 children for each adult full fare). Young people 12-17 ride at half fare. Metra commuter tickets can be used for matching full fare. Children of all ages love a train ride!

## **GROUP TRAVEL**

Discounted fares are available on Metra to groups of 25 or more during off-peak hours and weekends. Contact Metra 322-6777 for arrangements.

## **HELPFUL HINTS TO BUS RIDERS**

- (1) If you are not sure the bus you are about to board goes to your destination, don't hesitate to ask the driver.
- (2) Regular CTA bus fares are only 90 cents for adults and 40 cents for children (7-11 years of age) or senior citizens (with proper user ID). Exact fare is required.
- (3) If you need a transfer please add 25 cents and ask the driver for one when you board.
- (4) Refer to map for city orientation.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** call RTA Travel Information 836-7000; in the suburbs call (toll free) 1-800-972-7000. Free CTA system maps, which include complete hours of service information, are available at downtown commuter rail information windows and CTA 'L' and subway stations. Metra train schedules may be obtained from rail stations or contact Metra, 547 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, 60606 — 322-6777. RTA system maps, which cover the entire six-county area, are sold at most newsstands.

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