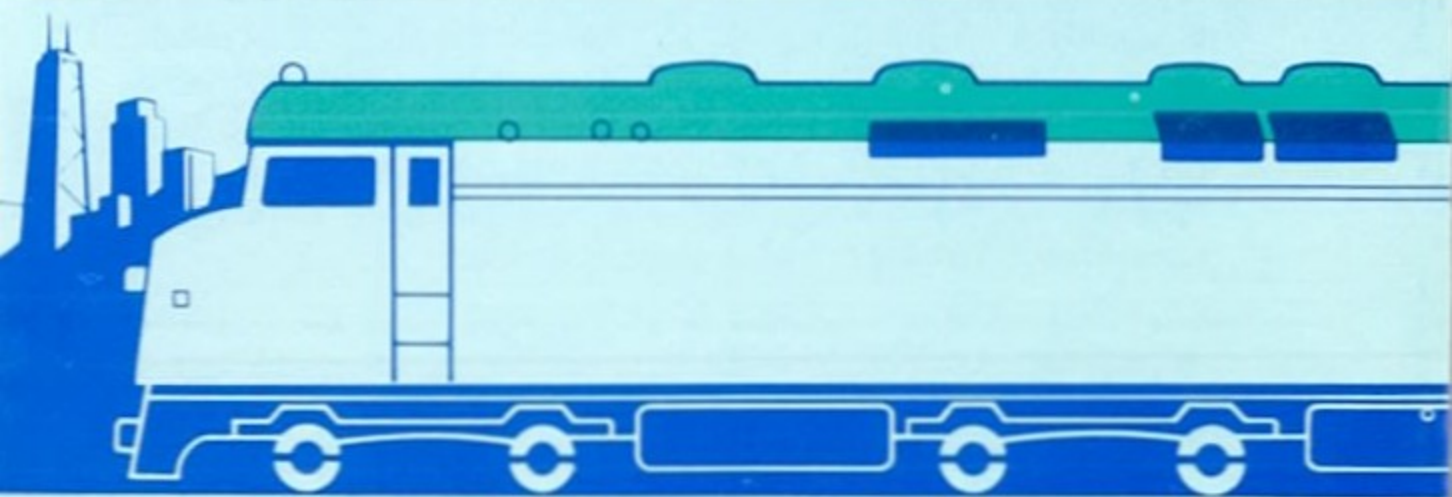
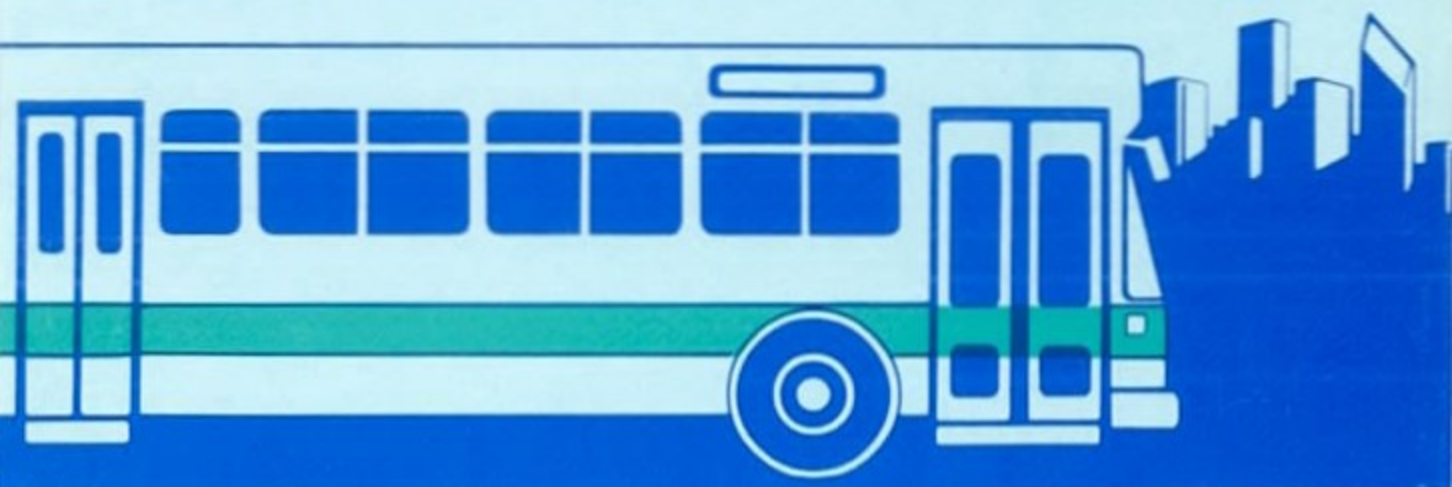
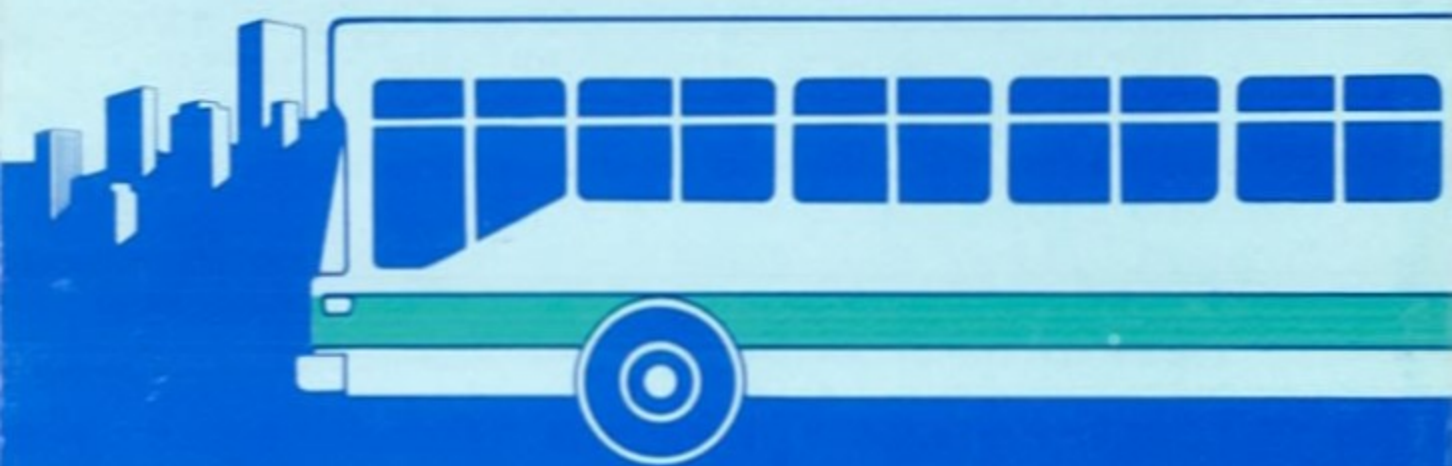
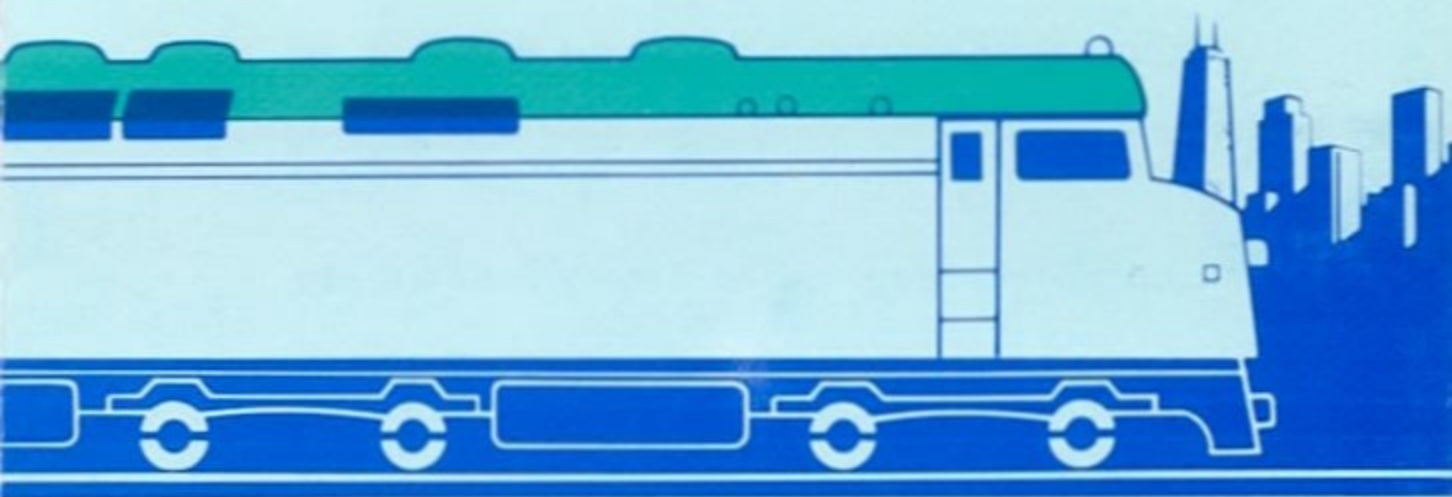


YOU HAVE CONNECTIONS IN CHICAGO.

(Union 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.

UNION STATION

#1 INDIANA/HYDE PARK

Monday-Saturday: Eastbound 6:15 a.m. to 11:55 p.m.
Westbound 6:00 a.m. to 11:35 p.m. (from Michigan Avenue)

Sunday/Holiday: Eastbound 7:20 a.m. to 11:50 p.m.
Westbound 7:10 a.m. to 11:35 p.m. (from Michigan Avenue)

Operates east to S. Michigan Avenue and continues to south side via Canal, Jackson and Michigan. Returns westbound via Michigan, Adams and Canal.

#7 HARRISON OR #126 JACKSON

Monday-Saturday: Eastbound 5:10 a.m. to 1:10 a.m.

Sunday/Holiday: Eastbound 5:35 a.m. to 1:10 a.m.

These routes operate eastbound to Michigan Avenue via Jackson and Michigan to Congress. No direct return service (use #1, #60 or #151).

#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 northbound to Merchandise Mart/Apparel Center, River North area and Montgomery Wards Headquarters via Canal, Lake, Wacker, Orleans, Chicago, Larrabee and continues to northwest side. Returns via Larrabee, Chicago, Orleans, Wacker, Lake and Clinton.

#60 BLUE ISLAND/26TH 24-hours, 7-days-a-week

Operates eastbound via Jackson to Michigan (continues to Randolph and Harbor Point during day and evening hours). Returns via Michigan and Adams.

Also operates southbound to University of Illinois-Chicago (Harrison/Morgan), Cook County Court House (26th/California) and west side via Adams, Clinton, Harrison, Racine, Blue Island, 21st, Ashland, Blue Island and 26th to Cicero Avenue. Returns via 26th, Blue Island, Cermak, Laflin, Blue Island, Racine, Harrison and Canal.

#61 ARCHER/FRANKLIN weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 6:25 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.
and 2:50 p.m. to 4:35 p.m.
Southbound 3:05 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. only
(from Merchandise Mart)

Operates northbound to Merchandise Mart/Apparel Center via Jackson, Franklin and Orleans. No direct return service (Use #41, #125 or #156).

#121 UNION/WACKER EXPRESS; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 7:20 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and 4:35 p.m. to 5:15 p.m.
Southbound 7:55 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. and 3:55 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (from Grand/Columbus)

Operates northbound to Columbus/Grand via southbound Canal, Jackson, Wacker (lower level), South Water (lower level), Michigan (lower level), Illinois and Columbus. Returns via Grand, Michigan (lower level), South Water (lower level), Wacker (lower level), Adams and Canal. NO STOPS BETWEEN UNION STATION AND WACKER/STATE.

#123 ILLINOIS CENTER/UNION EXPRESS; weekdays only. No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 7:25 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. only
Southbound 7:40 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. and 3:35 p.m. to 5:25 p.m. (from Columbus/South Water)

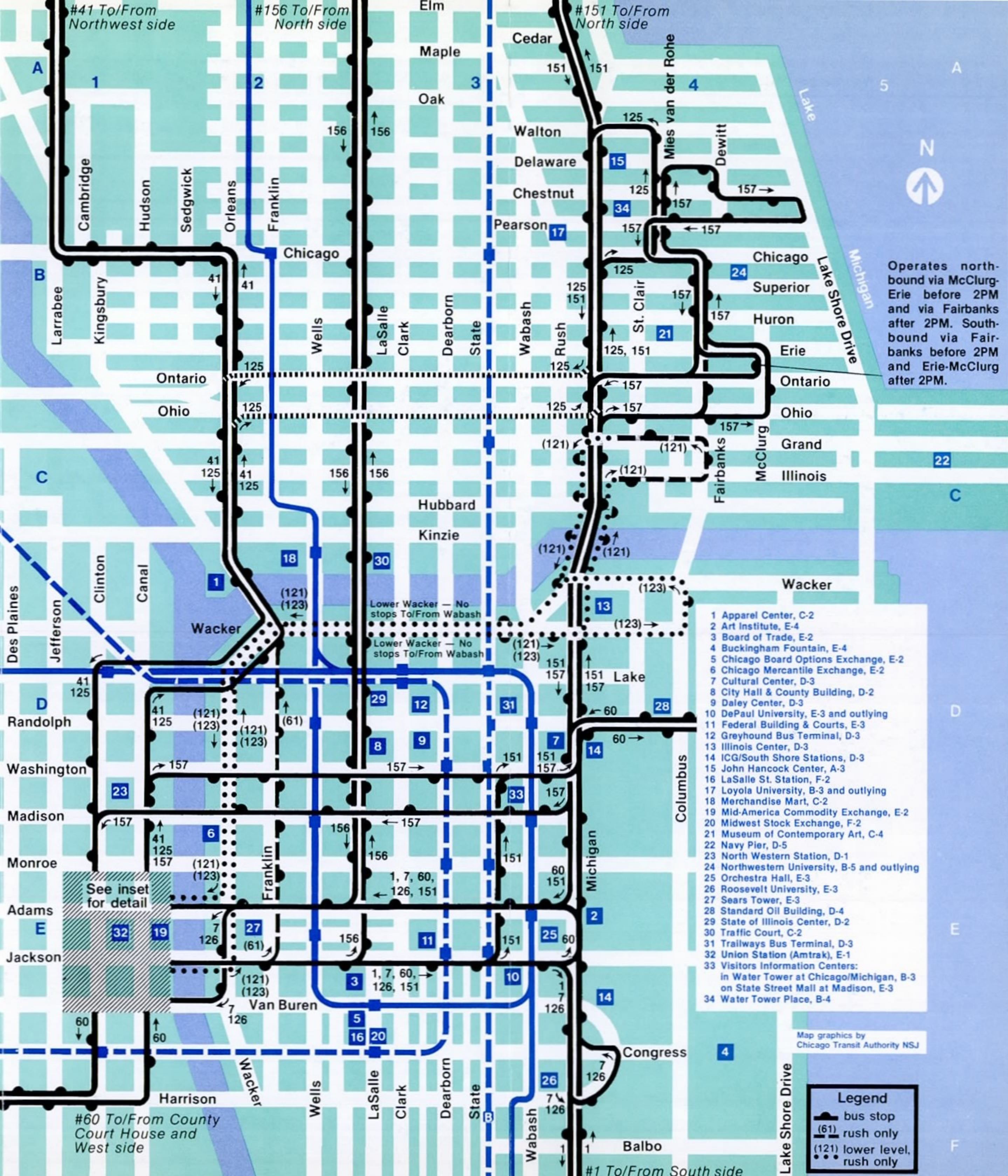
Operates northbound to Illinois Center via southbound Canal, Jackson, Wacker (lower level), South Water (lower level), and Columbus (lower level). Returns via Columbus (lower level), Wacker (lower level), Adams and Canal. NO STOPS BETWEEN UNION STATION AND WACKER/STATE.

#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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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

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Legend

- bus stop
- (61) rush only
- (121) lower level, rush only

#60 To/From County Court House and West side

#1 To/From South side

UNION STATION

#151 SHERIDAN; 24-hours, 7-days-a-week

Operates to Michigan Avenue and North Lake Shore Corridor via Canal, Jackson, State, Washington, Michigan and Lake Shore (local) to north side. Returns via Lake Shore (local), Michigan, Adams and Canal.

#156 LA SALLE; weekdays only.

No Saturday, Sunday/Holiday service.

Northbound 6:55 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Southbound 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
(from LaSalle/North)

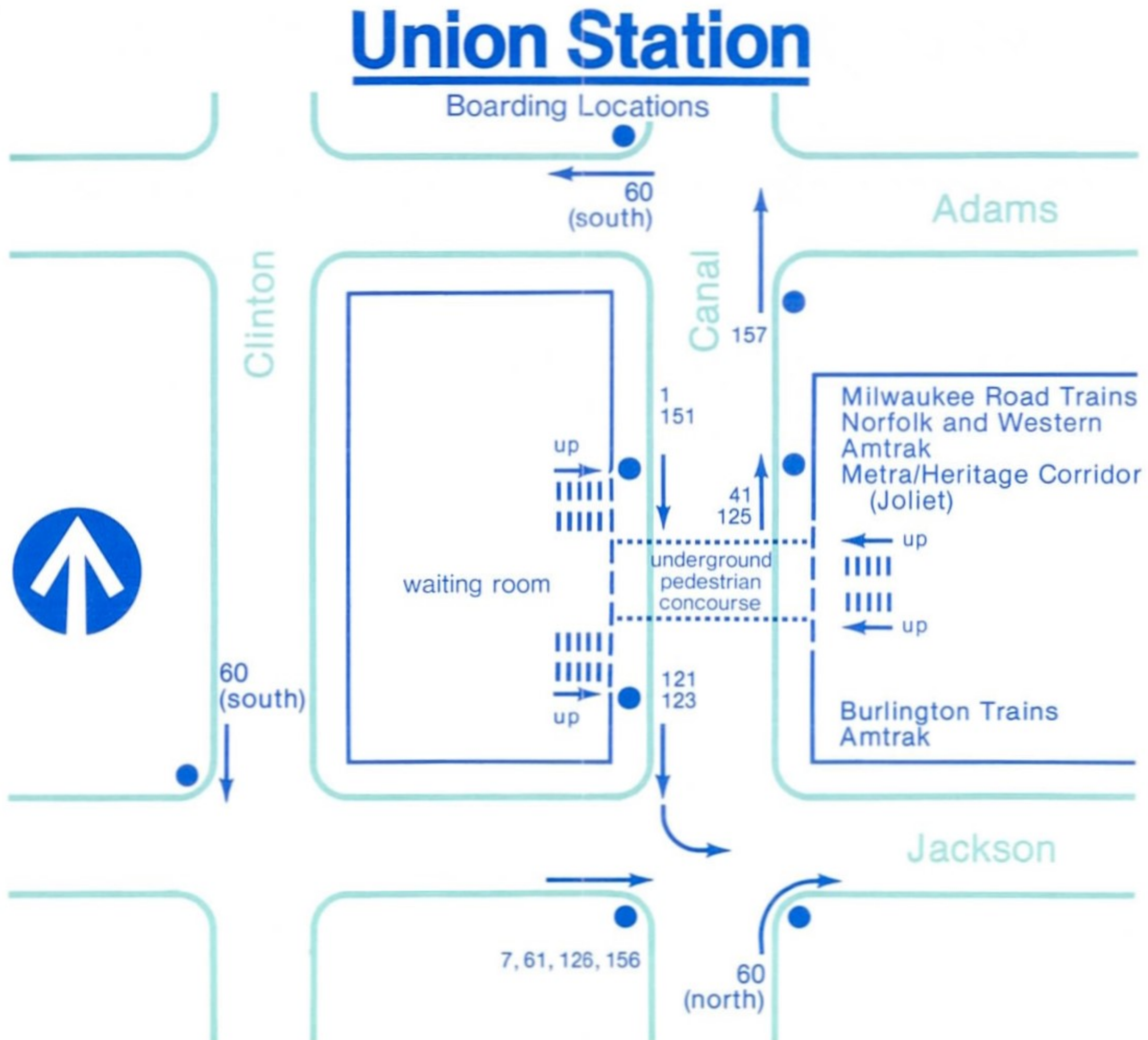
Operates to LaSalle Street, Lincoln Park and north side via Jackson and LaSalle. Returns via LaSalle, and Adams.

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

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 northbound to North Loop, Michigan Avenue and Streeterville area via Canal, Washington, Michigan, Ohio, McClurg, Erie, Fairbanks, Chicago, Seneca, Delaware, DeWitt and Chestnut. Returns via Lake Shore (local) Pearson, Seneca, Chicago, Fairbanks, Erie, McClurg, Ontario, Michigan, Madison and Clinton. See map for explanation of routing on McClurg.



METRA'S UNION STATION IS ALSO AMTRAK'S NATIONAL RAIL HUB

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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