

#47 – 47TH – Bus Route History

- Su 04-15-1951 Began #47-47TH bus service, replacing #47-47TH streetcars, from 47th-Archer-Drake loop via 47th-Lake Park to Dorchester-47th Place terminal-Lake Park loop (Archer garage)
- Mo 07-02-1951 Extended Mon-Fri rush buses via 47th-Lake Park to Lake Park-Hyde Park-Harper loop
- Fr 09-28-1951 Discontinued service to Lake Park/Hyde Park
- We 03-12-1952 Replaced buses with trolley buses
- Su 06-20-1965 Replaced trolley buses with motor buses
- Su 07-26-1966 Rerouted buses via 47th to 47th-Lake Park terminal-Lake Park loop
- Su 09-11-1966 Extended buses via 47th to 47th-Cicero-46th-Knox loop
- Su 09-05-1976 Extended buses via 47th-Cicero to Archer terminal, extended some Mon-Fri rush trips via 47th-Central-Archer-Austin to 63rd-Meade-Austin loop, replacing #47A-WEST 47TH
- Su 09-13-1981 Cut back buses via 47th to Indiana-43rd-King Dr-47th loop
- Su 10-18-1981 Rerouted buses via 47th to 47th-King Dr-43rd-Michigan loop
- Mo 12-07-1981 Rerouted buses via 47th to Indiana-43rd-King Dr-47th loop
- Fr 05-07-1982 Rerouted buses via 47th to Calumet-46th-King Dr-47th loop
- Mo 07-02-1984 Rerouted some Mon-Fri midday buses via 47th-Laramie to 46th terminal
- Mo 01-27-1986 Cut back Mon-Fri rush buses from Austin/65th to 47th/Laramie
- Su 04-02-1989 Rerouted all day & early evening buses via 47th-Laramie to 46th terminal
- Su 06-21-1992 Rerouted all buses via 47th-Cicero to Archer terminal, discontinued service to Laramie/46th
- Su 11-07-1993 Rerouted day & early evening buses via 47th-Kedzie-Kedzie/49th station terminal-Kedzie-47th, also extended late evening and owl buses via Cicero-59th to Midway station terminal
- Su 12-04-1994 Rerouted late evening buses via Kedzie/49th station, also extended Sunday early evening buses to Midway station
- Sa 04-25-1998 Discontinued owl service
- Su 08-31-2003 Extended buses via 47th to Lake Park terminal
- Su 03-23-2008 Transferred work from Archer garage to 74th garage
- Su 03-31-2019 Extended buses via Cicero-59th to Midway Station terminal