

#145 – WILSON-MICHIGAN route history

- 05-01-1917 Began CHICAGO MOTOR BUS CO motor bus service from Clark "Y" via Wilson-Sheridan-Lake Shore Local Dr-Sheridan-Lakeview-Fullerton-Lincoln Park West-Clark-Schiller-State-Rush-Michigan to Michigan-Adams-State-Randolph loop
- 12-21-1920 Rerouted buses via Rush-Ohio-Michigan
- 09-15-1922 Route passes to CHICAGO MOTOR COACH CO
- 05-12-1923 Extended buses from Clark via Wilson to Hermitage-Leland-Ravenswood-Wilson loop
- 10-12-1923 Rerouted buses via Wilson-Clarendon-Irving Park-Pine Grove-Sheridan
- 06-18-1924 Rerouted buses via Sheridan-Cannon-Lake Shore Local Dr-Michigan to Michigan-Jackson-State-Washington loop
- 04-28-1927 Began Mon-Sat rush limited-stops service
- 09-29-1928 Rerouted buses via Michigan to Michigan-Jackson-State-Randolph loop
- 03-28-1932 Rerouted express buses via Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore West-Cannon
- 05-14-1935 Rerouted some local buses via Sheridan-Stockton-LaSalle-Lake Shore Local Dr-Michigan, also began Outer Drive express service via Wilson-Lake Shore Outer Drive (to Grace)-Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore West-Cannon
- 01-28-1937 Rerouted all local buses via Sheridan-Stockton-LaSalle-Lake Shore Local Dr-Michigan
- 08-06-1938 Rerouted Outer Drive express buses via Wilson-Lake Shore Outer Drive (to Melrose)-Lake Shore West-Cannon
- 05-10-1941 Rerouted express and Outer Drive express buses southbound via Cannon-Fullerton-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Michigan, northbound via Michigan-Lake Shore Local Dr-LaSalle-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Fullerton-Cannon
- 09-11-1941 Rerouted Outer Drive express buses southbound via Wilson-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Michigan, northbound via Lake Shore Local Dr-LaSalle-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Wilson, express buses via Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Michigan (Outer Drive completed)
- 01-12-1942 Rerouted local buses via Sheridan-Lakeview-Fullerton-Stockton
- 01-13-1942 Rerouted local buses southbound via Sheridan-Stockton
- 01-15-1942 Rerouted local buses northbound via Stockton-Sheridan
- 12-06-1942 Cut back Sunday buses to shuttle Wilson/Ravenswood to Wilson/Sheridan
- 12-07-1942 Rerouted northbound Outer Drive express buses via Michigan-Lake Shore Outer Dr
- 03-21-1943 Resumed Sunday service to Jackson/State
- 09-23-1946 Discontinued Mon-Sat midday service
- 09-30-1946 Resumed Mon-Sat midday service
- 07-00-1950 Rerouted buses via Wilson to Wilson-West Ravenswood-Leland-East Ravenswood loop
- 11-10-1951 Rerouted buses via Michigan to Michigan-Jackson-State-Lake loop
- 10-01-1952 Routes pass to CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY

01-26-1953 Rerouted buses via Michigan to Michigan-VanBuren-State-Lake loop

01-29-1953 Rerouted buses via Michigan to Michigan-Congress-State-Lake loop

06-19-1955 Transferred work from Ravenswood station to Limits station

06-16-1956 Discontinued Sat AM rush SB express service

11-09-1958 Rerouted buses via Irving Park-Lake Shore Local Drive

02-01-1970 Began Mon-Fri PM rush express service from Wacker via Michigan-Lake Shore Outer Drive-Belmont-Sheridan-Lake Shore Local Drive-Irving Park-Clarendon-Wilson to Ravenswood, began operating route partially from North Park station in AM and PM rush and Keeler station in PM rush

03-03-1970 Rerouted Outer Drive express buses via Wilson-Marine Dr-Irving Park-Lake Shore Outer Drive

03-25-1973 Transferred Keeler station work to North Park and North Ave stations

06-12-1977 Extended local and express buses via Wilson to Wilson-Damen-Lawrence-West Ravenswood-Leland-East Ravenswood loop

06-22-1980 Discontinued Outer Drive express service, rerouted all Mon-Sat daytime buses southbound via Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Michigan, northbound via Michigan-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Belmont-Sheridan-Lake Shore Local Dr, also rerouted evening and Sunday buses northbound via State-Washington-Michigan, discontinued work from North Ave station

09-13-1981 Discontinued evening service

07-03-1994 Transferred all Limits station work to North Park station

03-09-1997 Extended buses via Michigan-Harrison-State

05-06-1998 Rerouted buses via Michigan-Congress-Wells-Harrison-State

08-20-2000 Rerouted Sunday buses NB via State-Lake-Michigan-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Belmont-Sheridan, SB via Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore Outer Dr-Michigan, eliminating all local service

08-31-2003 Rerouted buses via Irving Park-Lake Shore Outer Drive, also rerouted northbound buses via Harrison-Michigan

12-07-2003 Rerouted buses northbound via Harrison-State-Lake-Michigan

04-25-2004 Rerouted buses southbound via Irving Park-Lake Shore Local Dr-Lake Shore Dr, northbound via Lake Shore Dr-Belmont-Sheridan-Lake Shore Local Dr-Irving Park, discontinued service west of Clarendon/Wilson Mon-Fri AM rush SB, PM rush NB

06-20-2004 Rerouted buses southbound via Michigan-Van Buren-Wells

03-23-2008 Transferred work from North Park station to Kedzie station