

“ I take my commitment seriously to improve and enhance the quality of life for the residents of Chicago's South Side and the south suburbs. In Congress, I am fighting to deliver much needed resources for job training, healthcare, education, transportation and homeland security.”

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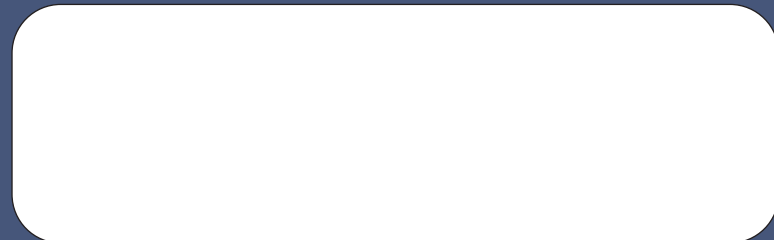
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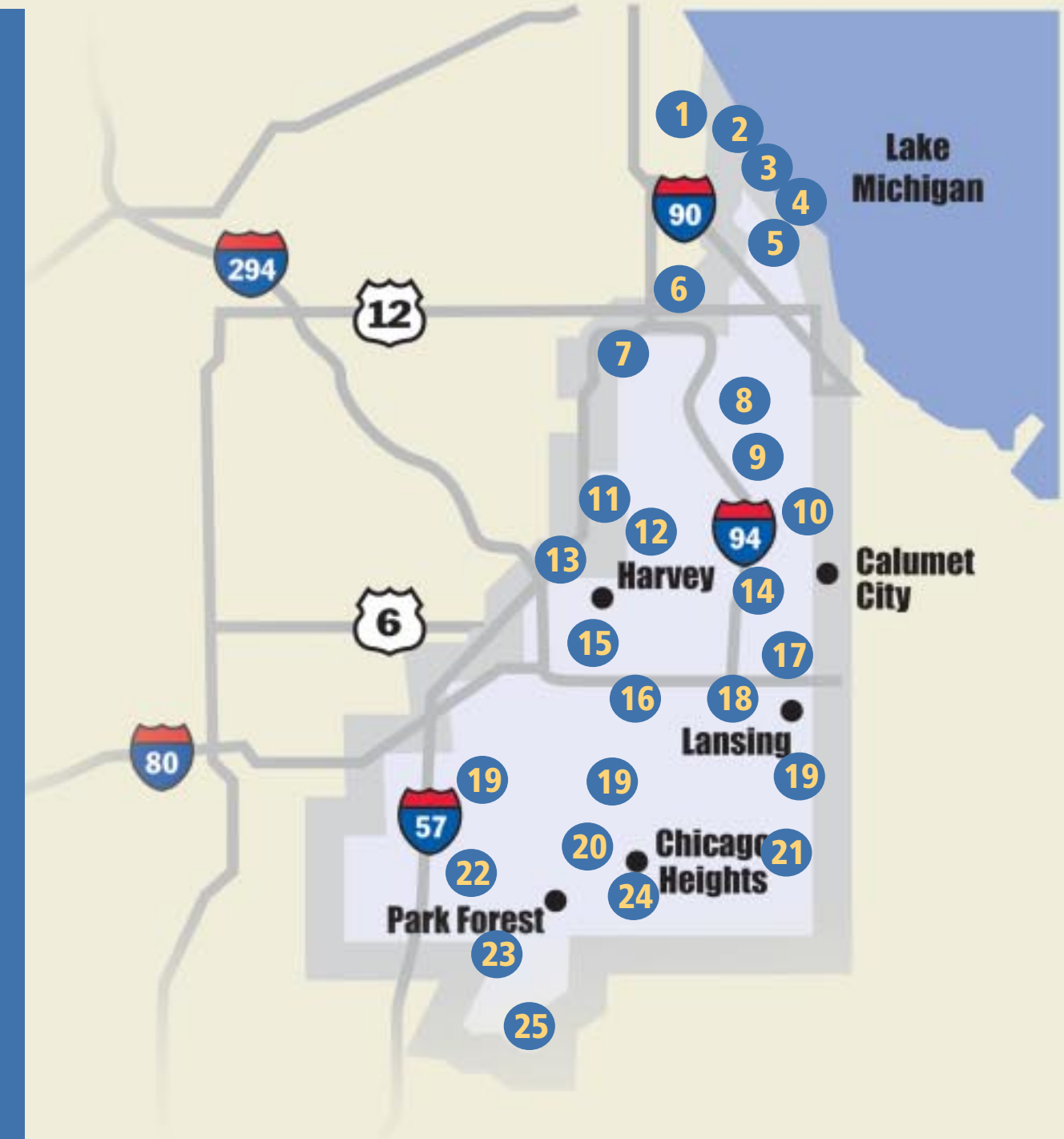
## Congressman Jesse L. Jackson, Jr. Is Bringing It Home For Our Community

As a member of the powerful Appropriations Committee, Congressman Jesse Jackson, Jr. has delivered millions of dollars in federal funds to strengthen our community and boost our economy. He is working hard with local officials and organizations to make critical investments in the South Side and south suburbs. In the last year, Congressman Jackson has provided funds for many important projects, including the following:

- 1 University of Chicago Hospital** \$550,000 to construct a new pediatric emergency room.
- 2 LaRabida Children's Hospital** \$150,000 to expand patient services at its Diabetes Center.
- 3 67th Street & South Lake Shore Drive** \$1 million to construct a pedestrian underpass to access the lakefront park
- 4 Chicago Shoreline Protection** \$21.5 million to protect the Lake Michigan shoreline from storm damage.
- 5 Chicago Public Schools** \$225,000 to support and expand after-school programs for thousands of students.
- 6 Chicago State University** \$225,000 to develop and establish a new school of Pharmacy.
- 7 Access Community Health Network** \$500,000 to address health disparities and provide comprehensive care for devastating diseases, such as cancer and diabetes.
- 8 Chicago Transit Authority** Multi-million, multi-year commitment to extend the Red Line from 95th Street to 130th Street.
- 9 130th Street, Brainard & Torrence Avenues** \$7.2 million to construct new intersections and railroad overpasses near the Ford Assembly plant.
- 10 Calumet Area Redevelopment Initiative** \$175,000 to acquire land, clean and restore the Lake Calumet area.
- 11 Calumet Public School District 132** \$100,000 to help provide summer school and bilingual education.
- 12 Village of Riverdale** \$100,000 to create a youth summer employment program.
- 13 Interstates 57 and 294** \$2.4 million to design and engineer a new interchange.
- 14 PACE Rapid Transit Initiative** \$418,000 to improve services and travel time along the busy corridors of 159th and Halsted Streets.
- 15 Village of East Hazel Crest** \$700,000 to complete reconstruction of 171st Street and make water and sewer repairs.
- 16 McCook and Thornton Reservoirs** \$29.15 million for Cook County's "Deep Tunnel" flood control project to construct retention basins for rainwater and sewage overflow.
- 17 Thornton Fractional Township District 215** \$100,000 to develop an alternative school-within-a-school.

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- 18 Grand Illinois Bicycle Trail** \$1 million to continue constructing bicycle paths in Chicago and the south suburbs.
- 19 Joint Dispatch Centers** \$750,000 to create or expand three integrated networks to provide efficient police, fire and emergency services in Lynwood, Thornton, East Hazel Crest, Homewood, Flossmoor, Glenwood, Hazel Crest, Richton Park, Olympia Fields, Matteson and Park Forest.
- 20 Aunt Martha's Youth Service Center** \$175,000 to convert an aging warehouse into a Women's Health Center in Chicago Heights.
- 21 Village of Ford Heights** \$8 million to construct a new reservoir along Deer Creek to prevent frequent flooding in the village.
- 22 Village of Richton Park** \$100,000 to provide after-school education and recreational programs within the Parks and Recreation Department.
- 23 Governors State University** \$150,000 to provide equipment and programming for the Family Development Center.
- 24 Metra** Multi-million, multi-year commitment to construct a new SouthEast Service commuter rail transit line from Chicago to Crete.
- 25 Metra** Multi-million, multi-year commitment to extend Metra Electric Line from University Park to the Abraham Lincoln National Airport site.



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