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The Barack Obama Foundation announces plans to locate the future Barack Obama Presidential Center, which includes a museum, library, and office space for Foundation activities and events , on the South Side of Chicago. Within Chicago, the Obama Foundation will additionally explore possible collaboration with the University of Illinois–Chicago.





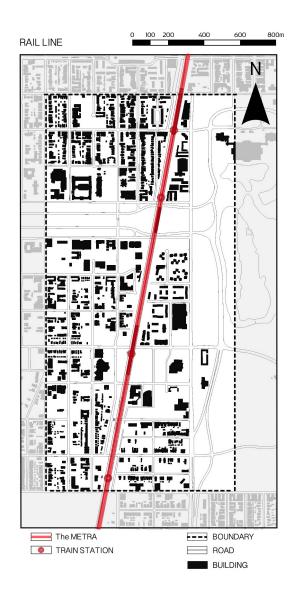
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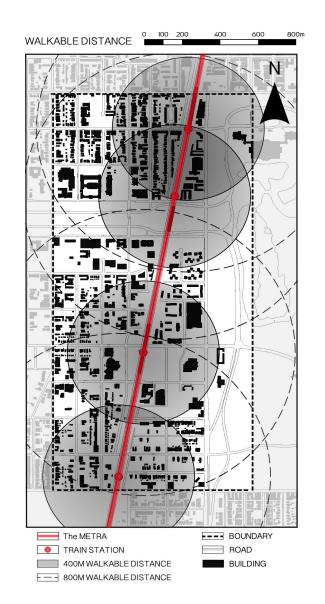
The Barack Obama Foundation... will both plan and development a Presidential Centre for future activities, including the Presidential Library, a museum and broader campus, and engage in activities reflecting President's Obama's and the First Lady's values and priorities throughout his career in public service: expanding economic opportunity, inspiring and ethic of American citizenship, and promoting peace, justice and dignity throughout the world.

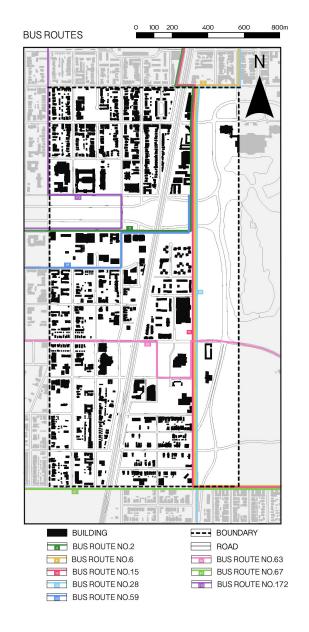
The Foundation envisions a Presidential Centre that, through its mission, initiatives and physical and virtual presence, advances and interprets the themes of civic engagement, global perspective, health and wellness, environmental stewardship, public education, a spirit of innovation, and will become an anchor for economic development and cultivate a strong relationship with the library's surrounding community.

(Obama Foundation)

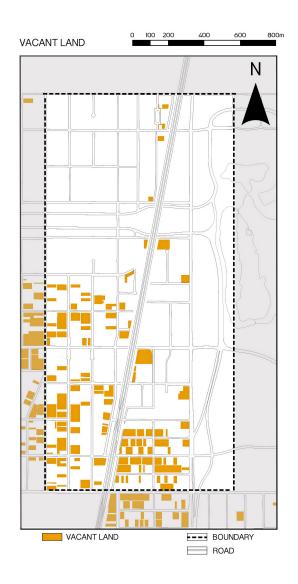
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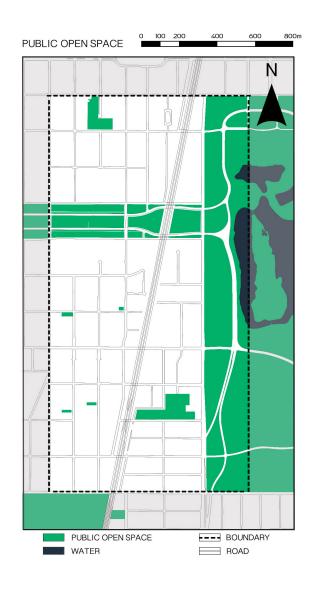


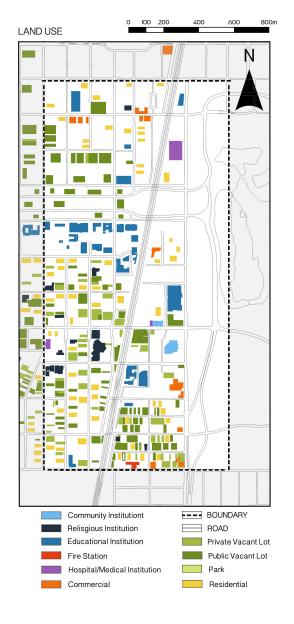




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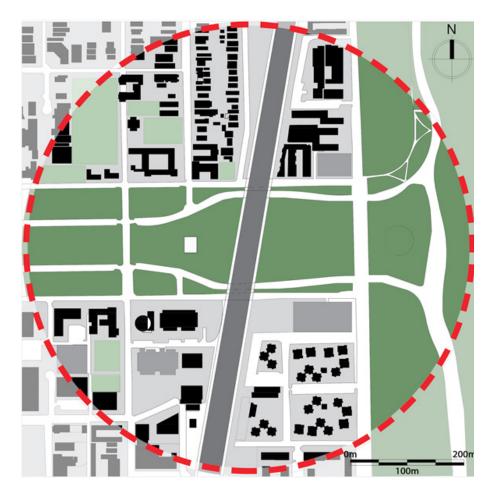






Midway Plaisance Site







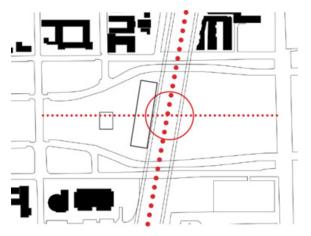
The site is at the end of the Midway Plaisance, surrounded by the University of Chicago, Jackson Park and Woodlawn Community. Near the site, there are a 17-storey apartment in the north as well as a 15-storey apartment in the south.

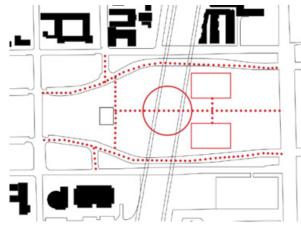


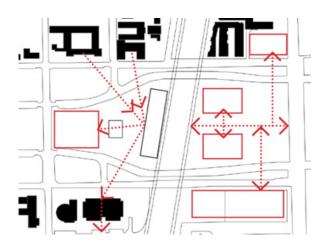
RAIL CONNECTIVITY

PEDESTRIAN & SURROUNDING USE

INTERACTION & ACTIVATION













Close up existing station entrance in 59th Street
Create new station that connects to the proposed center

Close up Midway to become pedestrian only road
Create access & orientation that reflects the changes

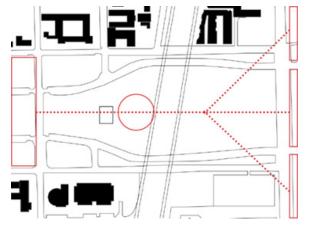
The center should interact with the new program surrounding the site and activate unused space

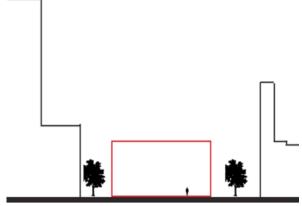


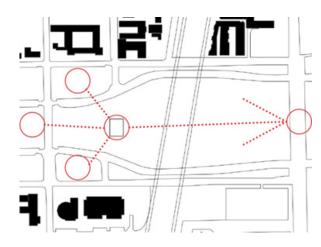
OPEN SPACE RELATIONSIP

SCALE

KEY VIEWS













Design should respect existing open space and should be able to interact with it.

Building height control to not impose the existing height of neighboring building.

The center should conserve the prominent view of the Masaryk memorial and the principal vistas in respect with the Olmsted design



URBAN DESIGN FRAMEWORK



SOCIAL & ECONOMIC ENGINE



PRECEDENTS



WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION



OLMSTEAD PLAN

OBJECTIVES

CONNECTING OPC WITH THE COMMUNITY BECOMING AN INTERNATIONAL DESTINATION PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY FOR REGIONAL GROWTH

ACTIVATION OF STREET AND SURROUNDING USES

STATISTICS

- 1. PRESIDENTIAL CENTER: 20.000m2
- 2. TRAIN STATION: 5200m2
- 3. RETAIL: 4500m2
- 4. HOTEL: 900m2: 10 STOREY
- 5. CREATIVE HUB: 4500m2 + 4000m2
- 6. MIXED USE PEDESTRIAN MAL: 5800m2
- 7. MARKET PLACE: 10.000m2:4 STOREY
- 8. AIRPORT DISTANCE: 39.7km
- 9. CBD DISTANCE: 12.5km

SECTION A-A





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OBAMA PRESIDENTIAL CENTER



TRAIN STATION



CREATIVE HUB DISTRICT



EAST ELEVATION



WEST ELEVATION

