



# MIDWEST AQUATIC PLANT MANAGEMENT SOCIETY

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MAPMS Membership,

We are less than 1 month away from kicking off our 39<sup>th</sup> annual conference! This year as you have heard, the conference is being held in Downtown Chicago, Illinois at the Palmer House Hotel. To help with planning travel arrangements, the links below are to a couple train transportation options as well as a website to pay and book parking space ahead of time (at a savings to the normal daily rate!) for those who plan to drive.

If you are planning on traveling by train or are interested in the option the links below will allow you to plan your trip and purchase tickets

**South Shore Line:** The South Shore Line can be used for travel within the local area (Chicago).

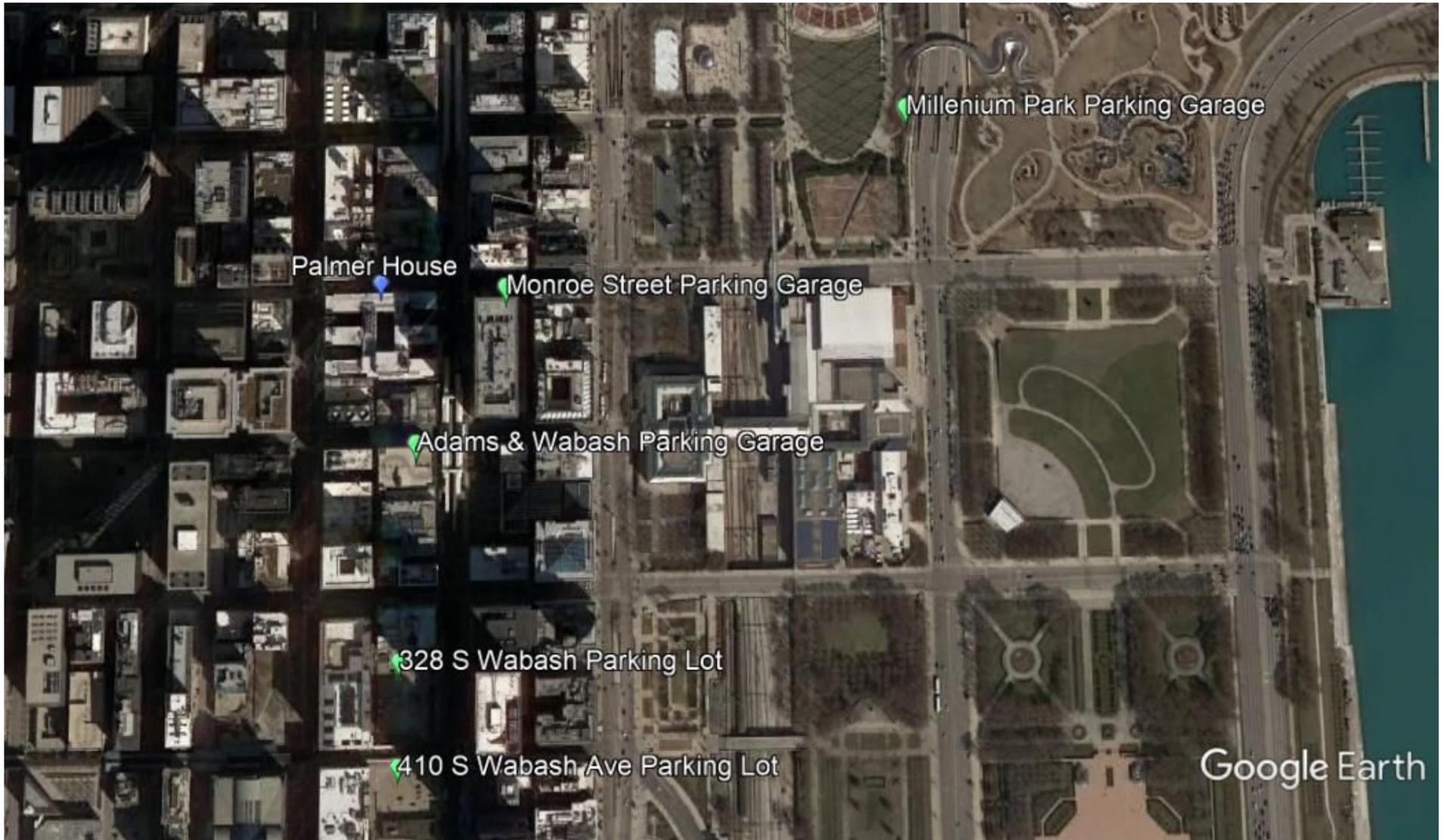
<https://www.mysouthshoreline.com/>

**Amtrak:** Amtrak can be used to travel to Chicago from your nearest Amtrak station.

<https://www.amtrak.com/home>

If you are planning on providing your own transportation to the hotel or renting a vehicle from an airport, you will need to pay for parking. Finding parking in downtown Chicago can be challenging and expensive. To simplify the process and guarantee a parking location, Spot Hero allows you to reserve and prepay for your parking location

**SpotHero Parking:** Reserve and pay for parking in advance and save money when compared to standard parking rates. <https://spothero.com/chicago/palmer-house-hilton-parking>



**PALMER HOUSE PARKING OPTIONS:**

Valet: \$82.00/day

Self-Park Attached Garage: \$55.00/night (7'2" clearance)

Self-Park Garage at 55 E Monroe across the street: \$47.00/night (6'7" clearance).

<https://www.palmerhousehiltonhotel.com/about-our-hotel/parking/>

**FROM THE SPOT HERO APP & WEBSITE:**

**Adams & Wabash Garage**

17-21 E Adams Street, Chicago, IL 60601 (0.07 mile from Palmer House)  
6'10" clearance  
3 days: \$90.00 (\$30.00/day)

**Parking Lot**

328 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago, IL 60601 (0.18 mile from Palmer House)  
\$40.00/day for standard sized vehicles, additional \$4.00/day for SUVs and Minivans, additional \$15.00/day for Trucks.  
The lot cannot accommodate passenger vans oversized SUVs (Suburban, Escalade, etc.)

**Parking Lot**

410 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago, IL 60601 (0.24 mile from Palmer House)  
\$40.00/day for standard vehicles, additional \$6.00 for all oversized vehicles (SUVs, minivans, trucks, etc.).  
The lot cannot accommodate passenger vans oversized SUVs (Suburban, Escalade, etc.)

<https://spothero.com/chicago/palmer-house-hilton-parking>

**Millenium Park Parking Garage**

5 South Columbus Drive, Chicago, IL 60601 (0.8 mile from Palmer House)  
6'8" Clearance  
2 days: \$42.00 (\$24.00/day), 3 days: \$60.00 (\$20.00/day), 4 days: \$76.00 (\$19.00/day)

<https://www.millenniumgarages.com/millennium-park-garage/>