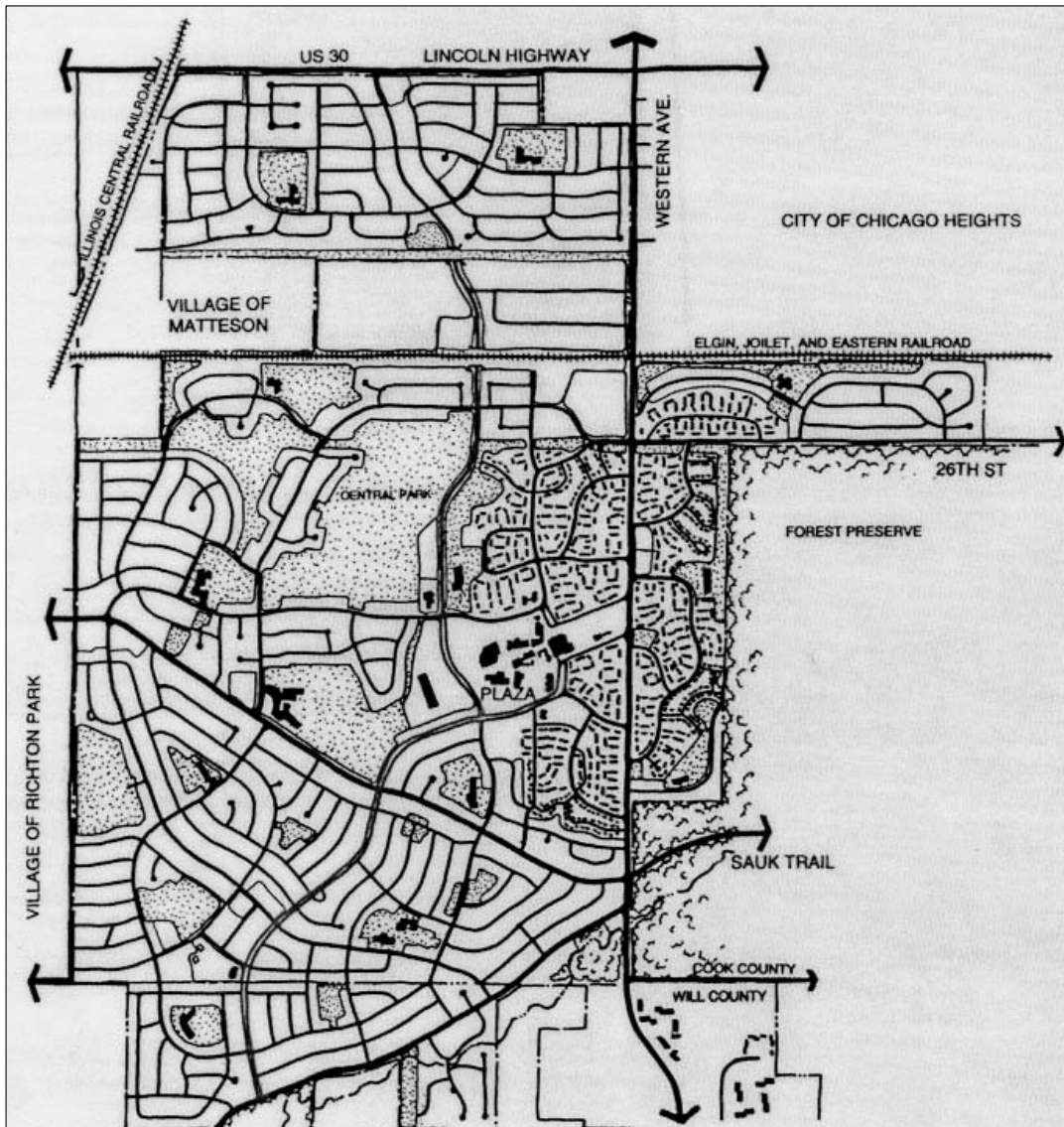


# Mapping the Big Idea

You are a city planner for Park Forest. Look at the town map. Notice the buildings (black shapes). Assign a building for each of the following:



Fire department  
 Police department  
 Grocery store  
 Bank  
 Elementary school  
 High school  
 Gas station  
 Post office  
 Train station

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**Look at the village plan and answer these questions.**

What is the difference in purpose between the curving and straight roads in the village plan? (Which roads rush people out to the cities? Which roads slow drivers down?)

How will the traffic, and people's daily living patterns, be affected by the placement of the buildings?