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#### October

3rd: Some general meet and greets in different cities in Cook County, as it's the county he's coming from and could use a bit of get around knowledge to try and increase his popularity in those that are on the edge about him, and possibly win over some people who were against him. Over all Cook county is a place that has near always voted democrat as well as the county Ameya's from. So not much campaigning would have to be done, but Oak Park would be the central city in Cook County to visit.

**7th**: From there we could go into Will county, which has been proven to be a swing county multiple times having very close percentages on the ways of either Democrat or Republican. Being home to Joliet would also be a large plus as, aside from Chicago, is one of the larger cities in the entire state. And we can use the population to our advantage to hold a larger rally kind of gathering. Most likely in the Bicentennial Park.

**12th**: Going from Joliet the next stop would be the DuPage Township area, as that also has one of the largest populations of Will County. For here perhaps not a larger rally like situation would be ideal, but a large scale Q&A of sorts, where many people can come and ask questions and concerns about what his goals are. As well as stances on other topics besides his main goals of education and jobs. Or perhaps to even let him further iterate on those subjects.

**16th**: We could even attempt to schedule a speech for him to give in the Grundy County area Grundy County Democratic Committee. While we are a rather red county in the area I'm sure it wouldn't hurt to have him give a speech or two in the area to try and convince some of the Democrats of his views or possibly persuade some less stubborn Republicans to come out and

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vote democratic if he's able to give a good enough speech that could appeal to some of their views.

**20th**: From here we could make way down to Fulton County. Who's been on the edge in the 2006 and 2010 election Democrat one year and Republican the other. Campaigning there could cause a few good points and more inclination to vote for us. Maybe spend a day or two there for another kind of smaller Q&A or meet and greet. So as he can answer any questions people might have about him or his stances on certain things.

**26th**: At this point we should move further down to Calhoun, which is another teetering county. Although not as extreme as Will or Jackson has been, it is still very much worth giving our time to. We could probably hold another kind of speech here, again, not a large rally but a speech would be good to a more swing kind of county to get those on your side more so willing to go out and vote and also to convince those on the edge further towards the democratic voting box.

#### November

1st: Near the final push of November it would be very wise to make our way towards Jackson, in both the 2006 and 2010 elections the percentages were extremely close in percentages being only one point off, and in 2006 had a 25% to the independant runner. This is a county that is the most on the edge of near any county. This would be most optimal to have a bigger speech rally kind of deal to push and persuade the few indecisive and convince the democrats there. It is a very big event that should be well prepared and thought through.

**2nd:** On our way down we focused on either majority democratically inclined counties or counties that were on our route down the state, on the way up it couldn't hurt to visit some of the more Republican inclined counties. Granted not the ones that are strictly Republican but counties

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like Marion who have had a 51% democratic win in 06 and a 35% Democratic vote in 10, it's safe to say it might be worth our while to do a Q&A or coffee shop meet and greet kinda deal to show we're there and looking for votes. If anything this will gain us in good favors as Democrats don't normally spend too much time in the southern parts of Illinois.

**4th:** Macon could be a viable option to visit on or travel back up north. As it has also enough of a democratic pull to possibly be an option for us to win over as well as close enough that a strong presence there for the day if setup correctly could be a viable option for us to win over people. A good strong speech would be ideal for this area somewhere in the county seat of Decatur. Being the county seat would give a strong push for the rest of the county.

8th: The very last day we should probably bring it back up to the north. Lake county may be the best as it is both a more democratic leaning county and rather close to Cook county. We could finish off the campaigning with a large Q&A in the county seat as well, or perhaps in Rosewood park. If we finish this off strongly this could certainly be the strong push needed to get us through. If anything we should look through and see questions that have been most answered and asked so as to address them first and foremost so as to get fresh questions going about.