The Orlando History Center presents a civic urban square located in the heart of downtown Orlando. It offers a nicely shaded ringed semi-circle of trees forming a plaza in front of the History Center building. A small amphitheater also available for the public to gather. It is decorated by sculptures of alligators which delight both children and adults. The Orlando History Center civic urban square offers a public focal point along East Central Boulevard.

Central forms a main throughway within downtown Orlando. It anchors many civic structures including the Orlando Public Library and nearby restaurants and bars. This area is easily one of the most accessible within Orlando. That is because a Lynx bus depot between the civic square and the library. Other easily walkable sites include beautiful Lake Eola, the nighttime entertainment of Church St, and City Hall.