



Information Packet

East Lansing
&
Michigan State
University

Places to Eat Close to the Hotel

Beggars Banquet – American Cuisine

218 Abbott Rd, East Lansing (517) 351-4540

<http://www.beggarsbanquet.com/>

A two-minute walk from the Marriott. Located at the corner of Abbott and Grand River Ave. Beggars has a diverse beer and wine selection. They are open late and serve food until 11:30pm on Thursday and 12:00am on Friday and Saturday.

Buffalo Wild Wings – Tavern

360 Albert Ave, East Lansing (517) 333-2999

<http://www.buffalowildwings.com/>

Located across the street from the Marriott. Open until 2am.

Georgio's Pizza – Pizza

120 Charles St, East Lansing (517) 333-9990

Located across the street from Buffalo Wild Wings. Open until 3am.

El Azteco – Mexican

225 Ann St., East Lansing (517) 351-9111

Located across the street from the Marriott. Open until 12am.

Omi Sushi – Japanese/Sushi

210 MAC Ave., East Lansing (517) 337-2222

A quick walk from the Marriott. Located on MAC and Grand River. Open until 9:30pm.

Peanut Barrel – Tavern

521 E. Grand River, East Lansing (517) 351-0608

<http://www.peanutbarrel.com/>

A five-minute walk down Grand River from the Marriott. Open until 2am.

Cosi – Sandwiches

301 E. Grand River, East Lansing (517) 332-6500

<http://www.getcosi.com/>

A three-minute walk from the Marriott. Open Thursday until 9pm and Friday and Saturday until 10pm.

Dublin Square – Irish Pub

327 Abbott Rd., East Lansing (517) 351-2222

<http://www.dublinsquare.net/>

A five-minute walk from the Marriott. Open until 2am.

Delivery

Jimmy Johns – Sandwiches

<http://www.jimmyjohns.com/> (517) 664-2900

Delivery available until 3am.

Menna's Joint– Sandwiches

<http://mennasjoint.com/> (517) 324-3827

They serve Dubs, which are grilled and rolled in a tortilla. Delivery available until 3am on Thursday and 4am on Friday and Saturday.

Rice Kitchen – Chinese

(517) 336-5810

Delivery available until 3am.

Morning Coffee

There is a Starbucks located next to Georgio's Pizza. Cosi also serves bagels and breakfast sandwiches.

Nightlife

East Lansing provides a lot of places that you can go unwind after a long day of competition. Within a few blocks of your hotel, you will find the following bars:

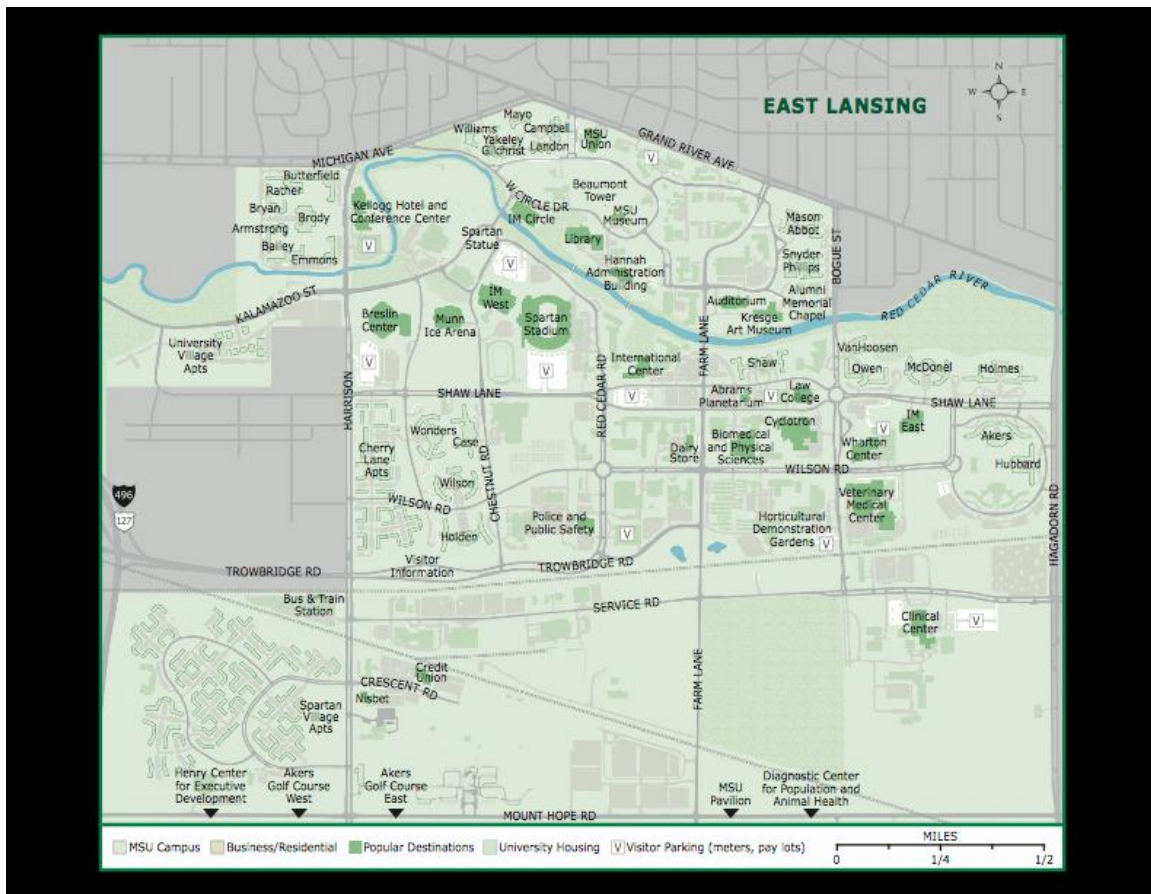
- Dublin Square
327 Abbott Rd., East Lansing
<http://www.dublinsquare.net/>
- Rick's American Café
224 Abbott Rd., East Lansing
<http://www.ricksamericancafe.com/>
- The Landshark
101 E. Grand River, East Lansing
- P.T. O'Malley's
210 Abbott Rd, East Lansing
<http://www.ptomalleys.com/>
- The Riv
231 MAC Ave., East Lansing
<http://www.theriv.net/>
- Buffalo Wild Wings
360 Albert Ave, East Lansing
<http://www.buffalowildwings.com/>
- Harper's
131 Albert Ave., East Lansing
www.harpersbrewpub.com

Taxi Service

East Lansing has several taxi services for your convenience. Most taxis charge less than \$5 a person per trip for travel anywhere within the city.

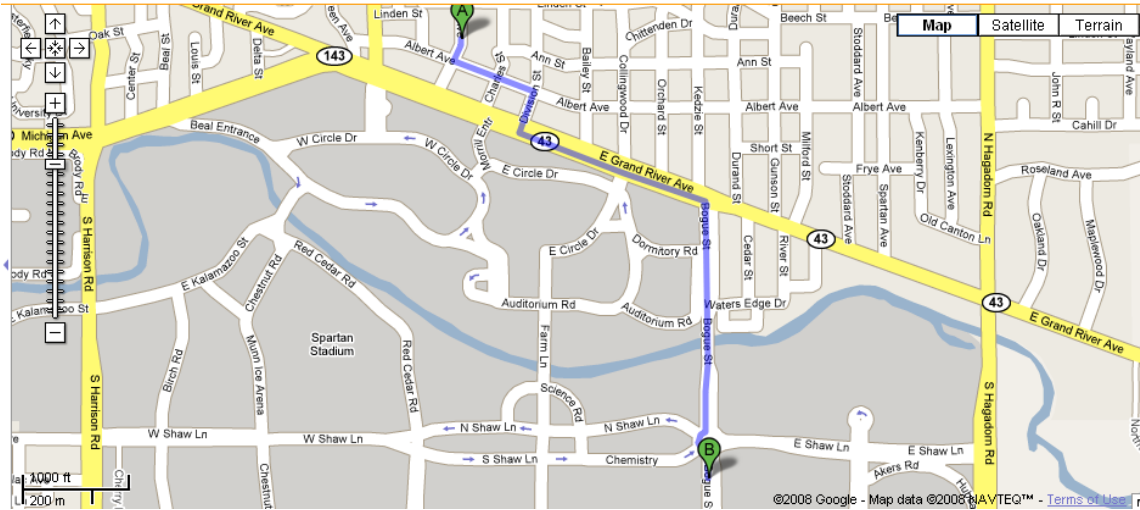
- **Big Daddy Taxi** (517) 367-7474
- **S-Cabs** (517) 374-5500
- **Country Club Taxi** (517) 323-9070
- **Yellow Cab** (517) 482-1444

Campus Map



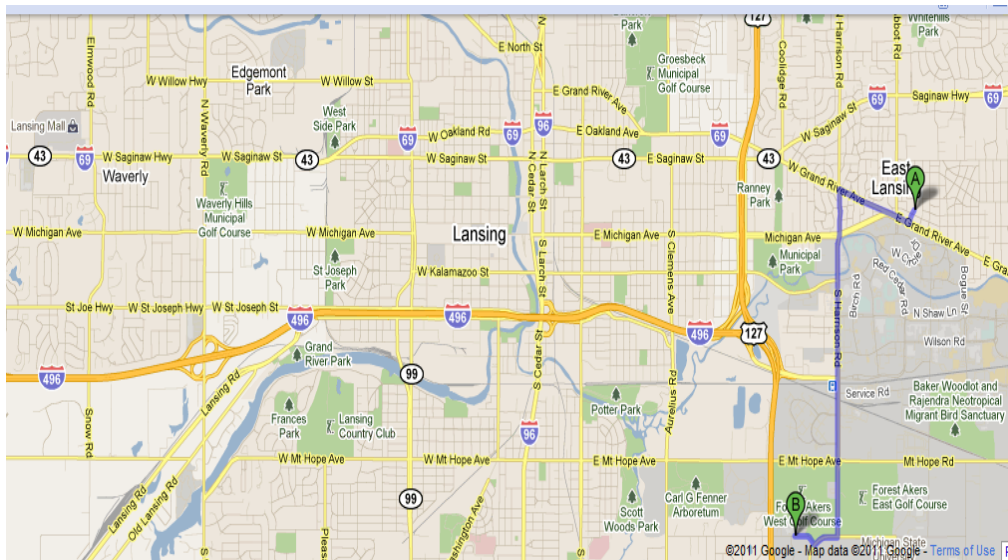
**Directions to MSU College of Law (368 Law College Building, East Lansing, MI)
from the Marriott Hotel (300 M.A.C. Avenue, East Lansing, MI):**

1. Head South on M.A.C. Ave. toward Albert Ave. – 226 feet
2. Turn Left at Albert Ave. – 0.2 mi
3. Turn Right at Division St. – 410 feet
4. Turn Left at E. Grand River Ave. – 0.4 mi
5. Turn Right at Bogue St. – 0.4 mi
6. At the traffic circle, take 1st exit onto Shaw Ln.



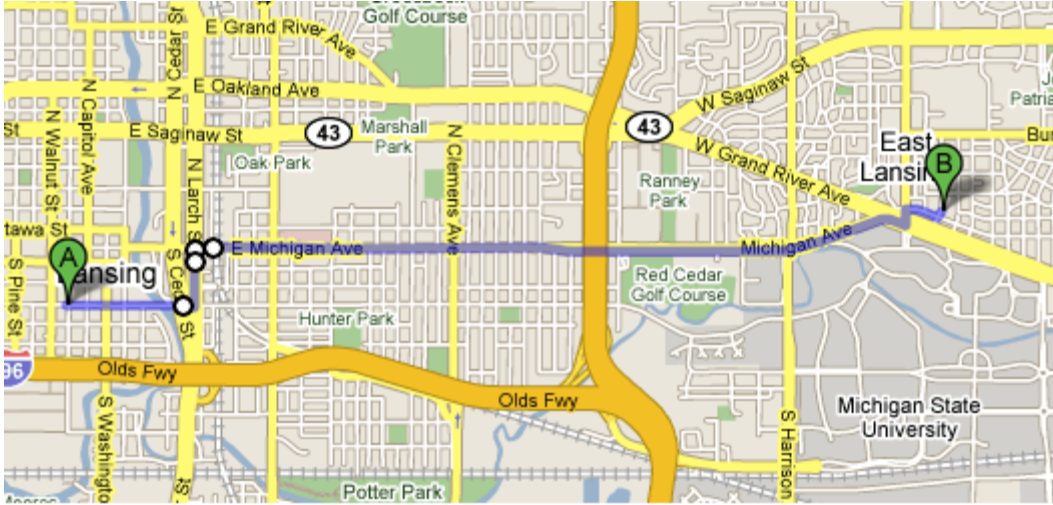
Directions to the Henry Center (3535 Forest Road, Lansing, MI) from the Marriott Hotel:

1. Head southwest on M.A.C. Ave. toward Albert Ave.
 2. Turn right on E. Grand River Ave. –0.7 mi
 3. Turn left onto N. Harrison Rd. –2.3 mi
 4. Turn right onto Forest Rd. –0.2 mi
 5. Take the 1st right to stay on Forest Rd. –0.2 mi
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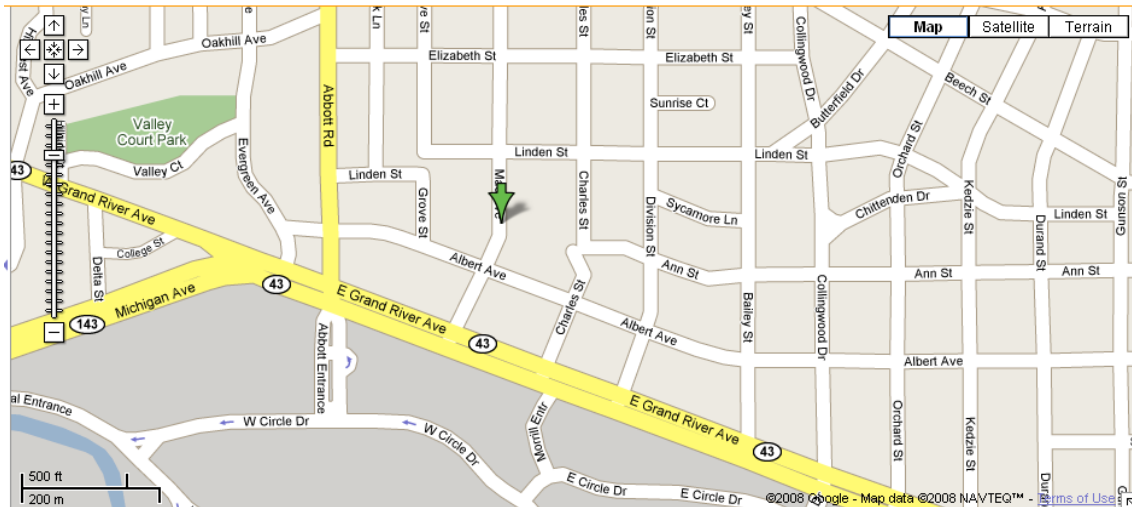
**Directions to Veteran's Memorial Courthouse
(313 W. Kalamazoo, Lansing, MI) from the Marriott Hotel:**

1. Head South on M.A.C. Ave. toward Albert Ave. – 0.1 mi
2. Turn Right on E. Grand River – 0.2 mi
3. Turn slight Left onto Michigan Ave – 3.2 mi
4. Turn Left at S. Cedar Street – 0.3 mi
5. Turn Right at E. Kalamazoo St. – 0.5 mi



Map of Downtown East Lansing

The green arrow indicates the Marriott Hotel, 300 M.A.C. Ave.



Notable Sights at MSU

“Sparty” Statue

Standing at the entrance way to Michigan State's athletic establishment is "The Spartan," a huge statue which symbolizes the university's athletic teams.

"The Spartan" was designed and produced by Leonard D. Jungwirth of the art department, and dedicated in June of 1945. It stands ten feet-six inches, and is mounted on a brick-and-concrete base five feet-four inches high. The statue weighs three tons and is one of the largest free standing ceramic figures in the world.

Figures representing the 12 sports then included in the varsity program are incised on the base of the statue.

Popularly known as "Sparty," the statue is one of the favorite photo subjects of visitors to the campus.

Enjoy the Magic, Magic Johnson at the Breslin Center

The 15,000-seat Breslin Center is the home of the Spartan Basketball program as well as numerous concerts and special events. Students will be awed by the “Wall of Fame,” where past performers have left their autographs and a piece of history. The most notable sight is the 12-ft. bronze replica of Earvin “Magic” Johnson. The statue, depicting Johnson as he looked when playing basketball for the Spartans in 1979, cost \$250,000 and is titled "Always a Champion."

Beal Garden

Visit the beautiful W. J. Beal Botanical Gardens, an outdoor laboratory display garden located on MSU's campus near the Main Library. This garden is the oldest, continuously operated, university botanical garden of its kind in the United States, with more than 5,000 different kinds of plants. The Garden is open to the general public at all times throughout the year. Admission is free.

Beaumont Tower Carillon

If you love the sound of bells, Beaumont Tower is the place to visit. Beaumont Tower is located on campus, one block south of Grand River Avenue and one block north of the Red Cedar bicycle trail in the center of "old campus." The tower has a carillon, a musical instrument consisting of at least two octaves of bells arranged in a chromatic series and played from a keyboard that permits control of expression through variation of touch. There are only 170 carillons in the United States, 12 of them in Michigan. The MSU carillon has 49 bells and is capable of playing the full range of literature composed for the instrument. The tower is open for tours on Tuesdays at noon during the school year, and by appointment only during the summer. At 6 pm every Wednesday during the month of

July, there is a recital for your listening enjoyment. Bring blankets and picnic baskets, and enjoy the music.

MSU Dairy Store

The MSU Dairy Foods Complex offers an integrated food experience. Not only can you visit our famous Dairy Store for some of the best ice cream and cheese in existence, but while you are satisfying your hunger, you can take a self-guided tour of our dairy plant observation deck and learn the basics of milk, cheese and ice cream processing. The self-guided tour includes a new multimedia presentation for all ages.

For a fun place to grab a quick bite on your way to class or camp, visit the Dairy Store at MSU. The Dairy Store now has two locations: Anthony Hall and the MSU Union Building.

Spartan Stadium

Spartan Stadium was opened in 1923 on the campus of Michigan State University. Over the years, the stadium has expanded seating from the initial 14,000 to the current 75,005. The last renovation added a new press box, twenty-four luxury suites, and 800 club seats. The stadium also holds the distinction of having hosted the world's largest hockey game in which over 74,000 people watched "The Cold War" between Michigan State and the University of Michigan.

MSU Museum

As Michigan's largest public natural and cultural history museum, the wonders of the natural world and world cultures are yours to discover. Three floors of exciting permanent exhibitions and changing special exhibits make for Michigan's most popular natural and cultural history museum. Spectacular fully mounted dinosaur skeletons, delicate butterflies, a complete fur trader's cabin and more are yours to explore.

Red Cedar River

So loved is the Red Cedar River, that it kicks off the Spartan's fight song. Visitors are welcome to walk on the banks, enjoy the company of the Red Cedar ducks and possibly rent canoes to experience the river that started it all! The student body commonly celebrates the Red Cedar River by "rowing the Red Cedar" after each touchdown scored during game day.

"On the banks of the Red Cedar, there's a school that's known to all. . . "

For Locations, please refer to the campus map or visit www.msu.edu/maps/