

## OLD TOWN

### 1 Jazz and Blues Fest Mural (pictured on front cover)

**ARTIST** Various  
**LOCATION** 1208 Turner St., Lansing

The mural was a 2016 Community Art Project in partnership with 24 teens in REACH Studio Art Center's Teen Open Studio, the MICA Gallery, Message Makers, Habitat for Humanity, and local muralists Samskee (Sam deBourbon), Lebaron Rodgers II, Steven Allen, Kaitlyn Granger and Julie Smith. The mural is a collage of two dozen years of both Jazz Fest and Blues Fest poster artwork.

### 2 Robert Busby Memorial Sculpture

**ARTIST** Maureen Bergquist Gray  
**LOCATION** Burchard Park along the Lansing River Trail, across from Brenke Fish Ladder

This sculpture was installed in 2013 in memory of Robert Busby, affectionately referred to as "The Mayor of Old Town." Created by Maureen Bergquist Gray, this sculpture is a simple composition of a mirror-like aluminum sphere nestled between a cream-colored slab of limestone and a darker slab of stainless steel. The slabs, knit together by three metal ridges, speak of the divides Robert bridged.

### 3 Building Community

**ARTIST** Dace Koenigsknecht  
**LOCATION** At the entrance of City Lot 56/ Cesar Chavez Plaza on Grand River Ave.

Created for Old Town Scrapfest, this tall, colorful piece is a visual depiction of the complex, layered process of community building. The piece was created by the Iron in the Blood Team, led by artist Dace Koenigsknecht, and installed in 2013.

## DOWNTOWN

### 4 Lansing Art Gallery

**LOCATION** 119 N. Washington Sq., Lansing

Since 1965, Lansing Art Gallery has provided public awareness, education and enjoyment of the visual arts by promoting the works of Michigan artists. Featuring a diverse gallery shop and bi-monthly exhibitions, Lansing Art Gallery offers a free, cultural facility showcasing artwork, pop-up art shows, public art initiatives and education outreach programs for the community.

### 5 Inspiration

**ARTIST** James Russell  
**LOCATION** Just north of the Lansing City Market on the riverfront

This 20-foot, 2,000-pound gleaming ribbon of stainless steel was created by California sculptor James T. Russell. The \$225,000 work was funded almost entirely by private donors, proving for-profit companies can engage in creative placemaking and make a difference in our community's artistic and cultural landscape.

### 6 LCC Sculpture Walk (pictured on right panel)

**ARTIST** Various  
**LOCATION** Throughout the Lansing Community College campus

More than a dozen art installations and sculptures by faculty, alumni and students are featured throughout LCC's downtown campus. Installations range from the whimsical (Delight features a young girl's silhouette being lifted by balloons) to the dramatic (Reflections is an 18-foot mirrored sculpture crying out to be used for artistic selfies).

### 7 The Worker

**ARTIST** Rick Luke  
**LOCATION** Shiawassee and Cedar intersection

A structural tribute to the blue-collar history of Lansing, Rick Luke's The Worker represents the passion of the men and women who built Michigan's capital city. At more than 22 feet high, The Worker stands extremely tall to invoke a sense of community pride and celebrate the rich history of the region. It even has its own Twitter account, @TheWorker517.



## EAST LANSING

### 8 Saper Galleries (pictured on right panel)

**LOCATION** 433 Albert Ave., East Lansing

Established in 1979, award-winning Saper Galleries and Custom Framing provides the widest variety of original artworks of every medium and for every budget in its 6,000-square-foot, skylight-lit gallery. More than 1,500 original works by 150 artists from more than a dozen countries are on display. The gallery also has hosted touring exhibits featuring works by Dali, Rembrandt, Peter Max and Dr. Seuss.

### 9 Peace Tree (pictured on right panel)

**ARTIST** Randolph Dunn/Dunn Hill Iron Works  
**LOCATION** 300 E. Grand River Ave., East Lansing adjacent to Curious Book Store

Peace Tree is one of six artistic bike racks/functional public art pieces installed throughout downtown East Lansing. Created by Randolph Dunn of Dunn Hill Iron Works, the two small, round trees are made of stainless steel to resemble the city of East Lansing's logo and create a sense of peace and calm.

### 10 Rainbow Stairs

**ARTIST** Terry Scharf  
**LOCATION** Between Valley Court Park and Oakhill Avenue

The stairs feature a vibrant rainbow of colors, providing a cheerful and unique welcome to the neighborhood and a colorful backdrop for the East Lansing Farmer's Market. The project was part of the city's Urban Mural Project, which encourages small-scale art installations in unexpected locations.

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## MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

### 11 The Eli and Edythe Broad Art Museum

**ARTIST** Zaha Hadid  
**LOCATION** 547 E. Circle Drive, East Lansing

The Broad Art Museum's structure is itself a work of art. Designed by Zaha Hadid, the museum is dedicated to exploring groundbreaking international contemporary art across all media. Fun fact about the building: There are no right angles to be found.

### 12 Charles Pollack murals (pictured on right panel)

**ARTIST** Charles Pollack  
**LOCATION** MSU Auditorium foyer

Three mural panels in the entrance foyer of the MSU Auditorium depict themes typical of government-sponsored art of the 1930s and '40s. Charles Pollock's three pieces—We Assure Freedom to the Free, Proclamation of Emancipation and The Modern Man I Sing—emphasize the importance of freedom. Depictions of political and economic struggles are combined with symbols of technological advances.

### 13 The Spartan

**ARTIST** Leonard Jungwirt  
**LOCATION** Inside the west entrance of Spartan Stadium

The Spartan—a muscular warrior in a stylized Greek costume—serves as the official mascot of Michigan State University. However, the current "Sparty" standing outside the stadium is not the original. Due to years of exposure, the original warrior eventually needed intensive repair. To preserve him, new molds were designed to cast an identical bronze replica that should withstand future elements. The 9' 7" and 3,000-pound original ceramic statue was relocated to the ground floor of the west entrance of Spartan Stadium in 2005.



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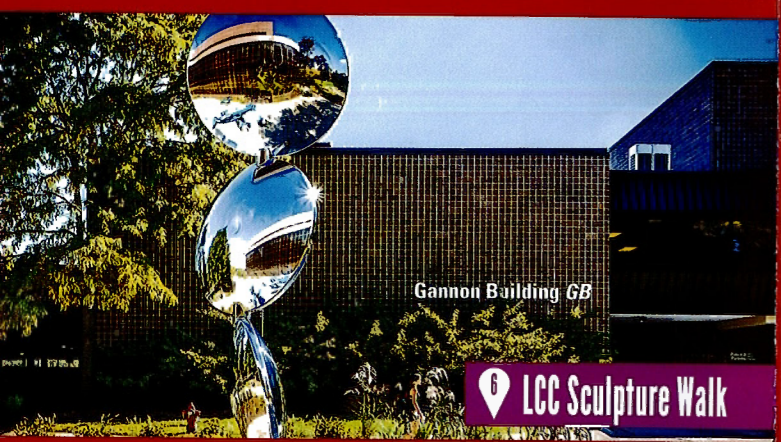
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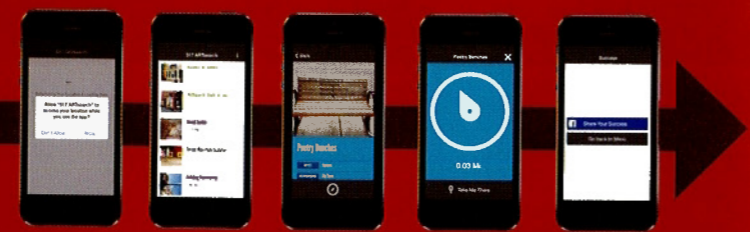
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