

**CITY OF EAST LANSING
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES
March 6, 2012**

Present: Beard, Loomis, Power, Triplett, Goddeeris
Absent: None

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Goddeeris. The meeting was held in Council Chambers of the 54-B District Court, 101 Linden Street, East Lansing.

Item 1 **Approval of the Agenda**

It was moved by Beard and seconded by Triplett to approve the agenda.

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Item 2 **Special Presentation**

Mayor Goddeeris moved to the lectern and highlighted the City Manager form of government. Goddeeris said after a national search, George Lahanas was selected from 55 applicants to be the fifth City Manager for the City of East Lansing.

Marie McKenna, City Clerk, administered the oath of office of City Manager to George Lahanas.

Lahanas thanked Council for their support and confidence in him, and thanked his family and City staff. He said the City can become even better than it is now due to the assets of Michigan State University, strong neighborhoods, excellent public services, public schools, and City government.

Item 3 **Communication from Audience**

None

Item 4 **Adjournment**

It was moved by Triplett and seconded by Beard to adjourn.

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There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:41 p.m.

Diane Goddeeris
Mayor

Nancy O. Wagner
Administrative Secretary