# **Location Composition**

Category	0-1.5 MI	1.5-3 MI	3-7 MI
2010 Population	20,317	47,207	178,868
2010 Households	8,873	20,104	68,373
2010 Group Quarters	12	1,893	6,419

Missionscape:	Cultural	Bridges
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Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	6,206	70%
McDonald's	4,820	54%
Reading Books	4,767	54%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	4,692	53%
Controlling Diet		
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	4,644	52%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	4,261	48%
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	4,044	46%

# Getting Involved

This mission site is located in the Gulf Coast Region of the Alabama State Board of Missions. For more information about this need, contact the regional Church Planting Strategist: Otis Corbitt (ocorbitt@alsbom.org)

### NOTES:

The Location Summary identifies the center of the smallest ring in the map above. The location data provides various types of identification to better describe the location. The GIS data can be used to map the location in Google maps or Google Earth.

The numbers in the Evangelscape communicate the most compelling reasons why this community needs churches and believers to intercede in missional prayer and activity. This community needs eternal transformation that only comes by way of the gospel and the working of the Holy Spirit.

Churchscape indicators reveal a snapshot of the extent of evangelical presence in the focus community.

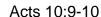
Location Composition: Listed are the total number of people and the total number of households corresponding to each of the three bands indicated on the map on page one.

Cultural bridges are those characteristics that could be used to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group. Various activities, interests, or opinions represented among the consumer behavior characteristics of the lifestyle group offer ways for believers to build relationships with people in the lifestyle group and through that relationship impact them for Christ.

# Reaching Mobile, Alabama

# **MISSION SITE DIGEST**

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During the night a vision appeared to Paul: a Macedonian man was standing and with pleading him. "Cross over to Macedonia and help us!" After he had seen the vision, we immediately made efforts to set out for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to evangelize them.

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This location has been identified as one of the areas in Alabama in need of new ministries or new churches. This report has been written to assist you in gaining an understanding of where God has gathered concentrations of people in need of Him in order that your church can focus your efforts and resources where He is at work and the need is greatest. May this report assist your church in hearing God's invitation to join Him where He is calling.

# **Location Summary**

Central Street Address 615-699 Skyline Dr E

Zip Code 36609

State Region Gulf Coast Region

GIS Latitude 30.655600

GIS Longitude -88.150390

Sitescape Category Suburbscape

Sitescape Group Medium Suburbs



# Top Community Types



Households: 3,201 Percent: 36.08%

## **Urban Communities**

The people are poor, struggling and largely single. Some are single parents with large families. Unemployment is double the national average. For the minority families in Urban Communities, struggling to balance priorities and budgets in a climate of institutional prejudice creates a lack of stability and control. Residing within major metropolitan cities and towns, most households live in apartments. Those who drive choose economy, import, and domestic cars or small trucks. This group finds employment within food and health services, education, retail, and the entertainment industry.

# Top Lifestyle Segments

## **Steadfast Conservatives**

(69% Unreached)

A quietly aging cluster, Steadfast Conservatives is home to mature singles and couples living in midscale urban neighborhoods. Households tend to be white, high school-educated and middle class. Many have begun to empty-nest or are already filled with couples and singles aged 65 years or older. The seniority of many residents does have benefits in the workplace. They earn middle class incomes from skilled jobs in manufacturing, retail and health.



Households: 1,522 Percent: 17.15%



Households: 2,321 Percent: 26.16%

# Working Communities

Most residents are high school educated; some have even been to college. Their education affords them lower middle incomes through blue collar jobs in manufacturing, construction, health services, retail, wholesale and food service that provide a stable household economy supporting personal and family pursuits in everyday life. This ethnically diverse mix of single and married homeowners dwells in densely populated areas and small-town suburbs. Adherence to traditional family values and resistance to authority are key aspects of their psychological nature.

## African-American Neighborhoods (70% Unreached)

Young, working-class city dwellers make up African-American Neighborhoods. About three-quarters of the households are African-American and one in four adults is under 35 years old. This is an economically challenged area characterized by relatively high unemployment, low educational levels and single-parent families. A majority of residents have completed high school or some college, and most are earning their paychecks through jobs in health, education and food service.



Households: 1,130 Percent: 12.74%



Households: 1,513 Percent: 17.05%

# **Upscale Communities**

As the wealthiest households in the nation, upscale communities boast high household incomes, significant home values and top educational achievements. Households in these exclusive suburban neighborhoods are headed by predominantly white, college educated, Baby Boomer parents. Most work as executives and white collar professionals. They are active members of the community in business clubs, environmental groups and the arts. For upscale community households, disposable income is at a peak. These families enjoy large homes, comfortable lifestyles and shopping for the latest high-tech electronics.

# Minority Metro Communities (74% Unreached)

Minority Metro Communities reflects the nation's growing African-American middle class. With nearly three-quarters of the residents African-American and half the households earning more than \$50,000, this cluster is a testament to high educational achievement and professional employment among African-Americans. Concentrated in inner-ring suburbs, these households earn above-average incomes from a mix of service industry and white-collar jobs.



Households: 858 Percent: 9.67%

# **Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators**

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	BAND HHLDS	BAND %
Unreached	6,240	70.33%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	1,850	20.85%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	815	9.18%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	3,593	40.49%

# Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	MI RING	RING %
Active Evangelical HHlds	1,486	16.74%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	1,147	12.93%