Location Composition

Category	0-3 MI	3-7 MI	7-10 MI
2010 Population	11,514	7,547	6,495
2010 Households	4,908	3,127	2,934
2010 Group Quarters	1,388	0	9

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Cultural Bridge	#HHIds	%HHlds
Home Personal Computer-HH Own	3,448	70%
McDonald's	2,744	56%
HH Uses Computer For Internet/E-mail	2,673	54%
Reading Books	2,662	54%
Watching Diet (Health/Weight)-Presently	2,551	52%
Controlling Diet		
Heartburn/Indigestion Aids/Anti-Nausea-Use	2,471	50%
Non-Presc-For Regular Headaches	2,222	45%

Getting Involved

This mission site is located in the Southeastern Region of the Alabama State Board of Mission. 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 3 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.

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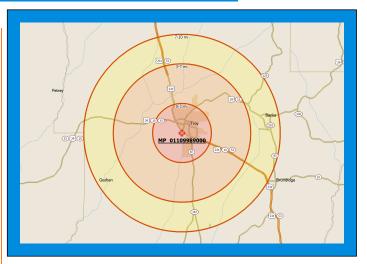


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Notes

During the night a appeared to vision Paul: a Macedonian man was standing and pleading with 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.





This location has been identified as one of the top areas in Alabama in need of 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 201-299 Mike St

Zip Code 36079

State Region Southeastern Region

GIS Latitude 31.773110

GIS Longitude -85.971090

Sitescape Category Townscape

Sitescape Group Medium Towns



Top Community Types



Households: 2,059 Percent: 41.94%

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.

Country Communities



Households: 1,215 Percent: 24.75% Land, family and community are central to the day-to-day lives of the people. They work hard to provide a steady, peaceful family life through farming, agriculture, education, mining and service industries. With low levels of education, these primarily white family households earn wages in the lower middle income bracket. Residents live in single-family homes, mobile homes or trailers in rural tracts and neighborhoods. Pickup trucks, sedans and compact cars are the most common vehicles of choice. More than two-thirds are middle-aged households who do not have children living at home.

Mainstay Communities



Households: 523 Percent: 10.65% The backbone of small towns and second cities, Mainstay Communities are established neighborhoods where residents enjoy strong relational ties. These moderately educated wage earners are employed in well-paying blue collar and professional service jobs. The aging adult population consists of retired American singles and couples. A sense of belonging within the community is a key identity factor for those who live there. Outside the nation's larger metro areas, residents can savor the familiarity of the small town cafÃ⊚, or venture into the city to frequent comedy clubs, nightclubs and malls.

Evangelscape: Spiritual Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	BAND HHLDS	BAND %
Unreached	3,329	67.83%
Religious but NOT Evangelical	932	18.99%
Spiritual but NOT Evangelical	454	9.24%
Non-Evangelical but NOT Interested	2,010	40.96%

Top Lifestyle Segments

Struggling City Centers

Struggling City Centers consists of very low-income households living in city neighborhoods. Home to the highest concentration of African-Americans in the nation-nearly 90 percent of all households-the cluster faces hard economic challenges. One-third of households haven't finished high school, with a similar percentage containing single-parent families. One in five adults are under 35 years old and the median household income is only half the national average.



Households: 1,199 Percent: 24.42%

Small-town Connections

In Small-town Connections, relatively young couples, single and divorced households enjoy an old-fashioned, conservative way of life that's changed little in decades. Predominantly white and high-school educated residents live in older houses and mobile homes. Many work a mix of blue- and white-collar jobs in manufacturing, retail, education and health services. Their lower-middle-class incomes support even lower housing values.



Households: 822 Percent: 16.74%

College Town Communities

Students are the center of community life in College Town Communities. About one in nine residents lives in a dormitory. In this cluster of towns dominated by college campuses residents are primarily young, single and college educated. Because of their youth, many of these recent graduates still report entry-level jobs and low-end incomes which are less than the national average.



Households: 369 Percent: 7.52%

Churchscape: Religious Indicators

SPIRITUALITY INDICATOR	MI RING	RING %
Active Evangelical HHlds	1,139	23.21%
Inactive Evangelical HHlds	441	8.98%