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FOR SALE

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Near Irondale Middle & Shades Valley High School

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## PRICING

\$650,000



## LOCATION

OLD LEEDS ROAD & GRANTSWOOD ROAD

Ideally located adjacent to Shades Valley High School (1,100+ students) and Irondale Middle School (470+ students)



## SIZE

LOT SIZE: ±6.78 ACRES



## ZONING

C-1 COMMERCIAL

JEFFERSON COUNTY

TAX ID #: 24-00-20-1-000-001.000



## TRAFFIC COUNTS

4,652 AADT ON OLD LEEDS RD

57,900 AADT ON I-20



## IDEAL USE

COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT

## Property Highlights

- **Excellent Connectivity:** Quick and easy access to major thoroughfares, including Interstate 20 and I-459, ensuring a swift commute to downtown Birmingham and surrounding employment hubs. The average commute time in Irondale is a favorable 23.6 minutes.
- **Prime Development Site:** The site is ideally positioned near Shades Valley High School and Irondale Middle School near a large potential client base.
- **High Demand Suburb:** Irondale is ranked as one of the “Best Suburbs for Young Professionals in Alabama” by Niche.com, indicating a robust target demographic for new commercial uses.
- **Strong Home Values:** The areas housing market shows strength, with a median property home value of \$321,328 within one mile of the site, which is 31.2% higher than the Alabama median home value.





## DEMOGRAPHIC OVERVIEW AND NEARBY RETAIL



| POPULATION                | 1 MILE | 2 MILES | 3 MILES |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| 2025 Estimated Population | 2,039  | 12,093  | 68,274  |
| 2030 Projected Population | 1,928  | 11,901  | 66,422  |
| 2025 Median Age           | 37.9   | 39.6    | 38.4    |

| HOUSEHOLDS                           | 1 MILE | 2 MILES | 3 MILES |
|--------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| 2025 Estimated Households            | 898    | 5,012   | 26,963  |
| 2030 Projected Households            | 795    | 4,931   | 26,247  |
| Projected Annual Growth 2025 to 2030 | 0.6%   | -0.3%   | -0.5%   |

| INCOME                           | 1 MILE    | 2 MILES   | 3 MILES   |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 2025 Estimated Average HH Income | \$102,422 | \$106,628 | \$115,284 |
| 2025 Estimated Median HH Income  | \$85,750  | \$82,629  | \$82,318  |
| 2025 Estimated Per Capita Income | \$41,752  | \$44,382  | \$45,885  |



## DOMINANT TAPESTRY SEGMENT



377 households are *Rural Versatility*

42.0% of households are in this segment

**Rural Versatility:** *Community Connections* LifeMode

This segment is characterized by rural areas with car-dependent homeowners.

[Learn more about this segment...](#)

## ABOUT THIS SEGMENT



Residents frequently shop at hardware and hobby stores, and they purchase groceries from both convenience stores and large department stores.



They tend to spend time working on their vehicles and homes, and they invest in automotive tools and maintenance essentials.



Radio, especially country music, is popular.



Most households have at least one pet.

## ABOUT THIS AREA

### Household Type:

Single Family

### Employment:

Industrial, Sales/Admin, Svcs

### Median Age:

42.4

### Median Household Income:

\$86,591

### Education:

56.4% College degree (2+ years)

## KEY FACTS

2,039

Population



Average Household Size

42.4

Median Age

\$86,591

Median Household Income

## BUSINESS



64

Total Businesses



1,165

Total Employees

## INCOME



\$86,591

Median Household Income



\$43,237

Per Capita Income

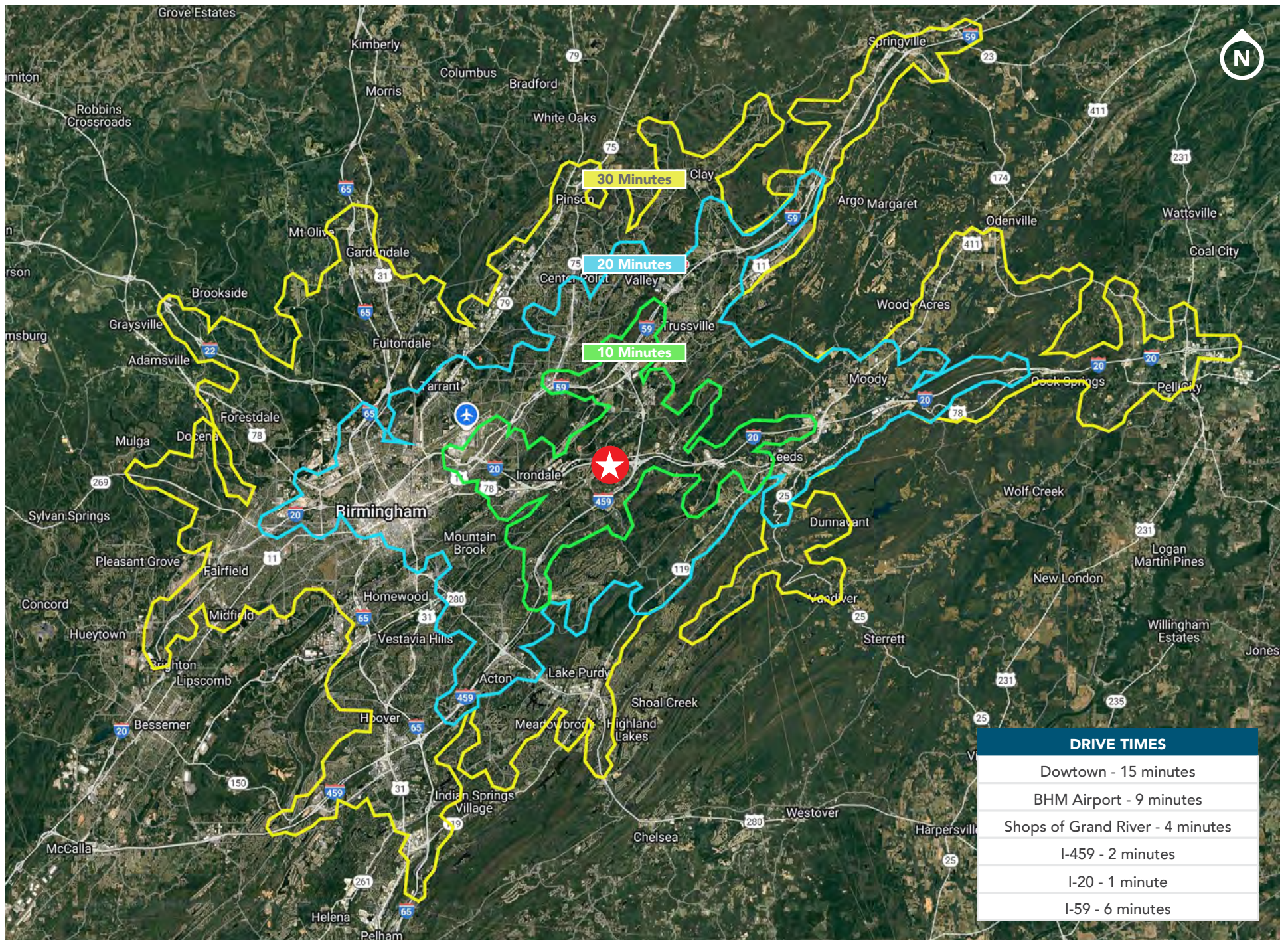


\$297,993

Median Net Worth



## DRIVE TIMES



### DRIVE TIMES

Downtown - 15 minutes

BHM Airport - 9 minutes

Shops of Grand River - 4 minutes

I-459 - 2 minutes

I-20 - 1 minute

I-59 - 6 minutes



## BIRMINGHAM, AL OVERVIEW

Birmingham remains the largest city in Alabama and one of the top 50 metropolitan areas in the United States. As of 2025, the **Birmingham-Hoover MSA has a population of 1,184,290**, with Jefferson and Shelby counties accounting for over 75% of the total.

A major financial center in the Southeast, Birmingham is home to the **headquarters of Regions Financial and Protective Life Corporation**, with PNC Bank also maintaining a significant presence. The financial activities sector employs approximately 44,000 people in the metro area.

The city is a regional healthcare powerhouse. **The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) remains the largest employer in the region, with 28,000 employees and 1,207 hospital beds.** UAB has acquired St. Vincent's Health System, a move expected to further consolidate Birmingham's healthcare leadership. The education and health services sector **employs over 80,600 people as of May 2025.**

UAB also plays a critical role in education, with an enrollment of approximately **21,000 students**. Its annual economic impact in Alabama was reported at **\$12.1 billion in 2022**, and its influence continues to grow.

In terms of economic development, Birmingham saw **1,800 new multifamily housing units delivered in the past year, with 1,422 units currently under construction**, reflecting strong investor confidence. The business confidence index for the metro rose sharply to 60.6 in Q1 2025, the highest since 2021, signaling optimism in future economic conditions.

The unemployment rate in the Birmingham MSA stood at 2.6% as of May 2025, indicating a healthy labor market.

With its affordable tax climate, low cost of living, and charming Southern appeal, Birmingham continues to attract both residents and businesses. Expanding capital investment and job creation reflect growing confidence in the metro's economic future.

### 5 INTERSTATES

PROVIDE ACCESS TO OVER 80% OF THE  
U.S. POPULATION IN A TWO-DAY DRIVE

### BIRMINGHAM RECOGNIZED AS A TOP MID-SIZED METROS FOR BUSINESS CLIMATE

ACCORDING TO BUSINESS FACILITIES

±10,000

PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES GRADUATE  
ANNUALLY FROM THE BIRMINGHAM  
MSA'S COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

\$2.5 BILLION

INVESTED IN DOWNTOWN  
REVITALIZATION SINCE 2010

BIRMINGHAM-SHUTTLESWORTH  
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT SAW

3.24 M TOTAL  
PASSENGERS

IN 2024

ALABAMA IS HOME TO THE

2ND LOWEST

PROPERTY TAX BURDEN  
IN THE NATION

OVERALL COST OF LIVING IS

2.2% LOWER

THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE,  
ONE OF THE LOWEST AMONG  
SOUTHEAST METROS

## LOW COST OF LIVING

Living in the Greater Birmingham Region offers a lifestyle where more is less – literally. The cost of living in the Birmingham-Hoover MSA is notably lower than the national average, making it an attractive place to live and do business. Here's a breakdown of how it compares:

### Cost of Living in Birmingham MSA (2025)

**Overall Cost of Living:** 2.2% lower than the national average.

**Housing:** 17.2% lower than the national average

**Healthcare:** 21.3% lower

**Transportation:** 13.7% lower

**Food:** 9.6% lower

**Energy:** 7.0% lower

**Statewide Index:** Alabama's overall cost of living index is 88.0 (with 100 being the national average), placing it among the top 5 most affordable states in the U.S.



## VIBRANT ECONOMY

The Birmingham region's legacy is built on iron and steel. Founded on a culture of entrepreneurship and resiliency, Birmingham is home to a diverse and dynamic range of companies and communities. From multi-national corporations manufacturing next-generation vehicles to start-ups developing ground-breaking technologies, today's Birmingham continues to boast a diverse community of innovators. Since 2011, the Birmingham region has announced **over 19,400 new jobs and \$3.9 billion in capital investment.**

**2.2%**

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NEW JOBS  
SINCE 2011

**\$3.9B**

CAPITAL INVESTMENTS  
SINCE 2011



# HEALTHCARE EPICENTER

Anchored by UAB, the healthcare industry in the **Birmingham metro drives the area economy and employs over 59,000 people**. Birmingham currently has the highest concentration of health care and technical jobs in any of the top 50 MSAs in the country. From groundbreaking research at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) and Southern Research to the Lakeshore Foundation's commitment to developing novel approaches and technologies for people with chronic health conditions and physical disabilities, there's no doubt that Birmingham's commitment to health care is strong. Health Care in Birmingham includes the largest health care cluster in Alabama. Birmingham houses a world class research base, highly skilled workforce and strengths in emerging fields including gene editing and gamma delta t cell immunotherapy.



## Grandview Medical Center:

\$280M, 372 bed facility  
completed in the of fall 2015



## UAB St. Vincent's:

5,100 employees / 409 beds /  
\$266M in community benefit  
and care of persons living in  
poverty in 2016



## Children's of Alabama:

5,000 Employees / \$400M –  
760K SF facility / 3rd largest  
pediatric facility in the country



## Baptist Health Systems:

Largest healthcare network in  
AL / 77 outpatient offices / 1,300  
doctors / 5,000 employees

# 1600+

ACTIVE CLINICAL  
RESEARCH TRIALS

# 75+

HEALTH CARE  
COMPANIES

# 59,000

HEALTH CARE  
WORKERS EMPLOYED  
IN BIRMINGHAM



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West has 30+ years of experience as a commercial real estate professional in the areas of investment, development, brokerage, leasing and asset management. He has completed lease and brokerage transactions totaling over \$750 Million for office, retail and industrial properties. He has also been effective for his clients in transacting large land acquisitions for development and disposition of residential land. West is recognized as one of Birmingham's "Top Producer in Sales and Leasing" by the Commercial Million Dollar Sales Achievement Club. He is further recognized by the Birmingham Business Journal as "Who's Who in Commercial Real Estate" highlighting leaders in the Commercial Real Estate industry and a "Top 40 Under 40" business leader in Birmingham.

**PRIOR EXPERIENCE**

One of West's career highlights is co-founding, operating and growing Harris Tynes Realty Group from 2006 to 2013, prior to merging his company with Harbert Realty Services in November 2013. In a truly full circle moment, West Harris and Norman Tynes have acquired Harbert Realty Services, bringing back their former brand as Harris Tynes Commercial Real Estate.

West's primary focuses are investment, brokerage and leasing services for high net worth and institutional clients. Prior to joining Harris Tynes, West had the distinct pleasure of running the Birmingham offices for Atlanta based Taylor & Mathis and Carter & Associates where he gained invaluable experience working with exceptional people. Areas of Expertise Include: Lease Negotiation, General Brokerage, Asset Management, Investment Sales, Land Acquisition/Disposition and Development.

**EDUCATION**

West earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in English and History from the University of Alabama in 1996. He holds an Alabama Brokers License and is a Certified Commercial Investment Member (CCIM).

**PROFESSIONAL AND CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS**

Mr. Harris is Past President of the National Association of Industrial and Office Properties (NAIOP), Metropolitan Development Board Member and Horizon 280 Board Member. He is an active member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church and the Monday Morning Quarterback Club benefiting the Crippled Children Foundation. Mr. Harris has also served the American Heart Association and Muscular Dystrophy Association in their fundraising initiatives.



## ABOUT

# New Name. Same Trusted Team.

Formerly Harbert Realty Services, Harris Tynes Commercial Real Estate represents the next chapter in our firm's history. While our name has changed, our people, relationships and commitment to exceptional client service remain the same.

For more than two decades, we've helped clients navigate complex commercial real estate decisions with integrity, market expertise and a hands-on approach. Today, we're building on that legacy with renewed energy, expanded capabilities and an entrepreneurial mindset focused on the future.

Whether you're leasing a single office suite, acquiring an investment property or managing a multi-state portfolio, our team is committed to delivering thoughtful strategies and measurable results.

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**20+** YEARS SERVING THE SOUTHEAST

**150+** YEARS OF COMBINED BROKERAGE EXPERIENCE

**\$1.1 Billion+** TRANSACTION VOLUME (LAST 5 YEARS)

**6.4 Million SF** LEASED & SOLD (LAST 5 YEARS)

**5.1 Million SF** MANAGED ACROSS THE SOUTHEAST



## TENANT REPRESENTATION

Representing you as the tenant is treated with care and thoughtfulness. Our success is only fulfilled through your prosperity. We have the expertise, team and process to implement a comprehensive and aggressive marketing program to maximize results and value.



## PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

We have represented, managed or leased more than 10 million square feet of office, retail and industrial space for owners located across the United States.



## DEVELOPMENT

We develop properties for our own account, which means our interest in each project's profitability is personal.



## LEASE ADMINISTRATION

We can provide a secure centralized repository for all your lease and supporting data with easily accessible programs and systems, leading to enhanced portfolio insight, reduced operating costs and vastly improved data integrity.



## INVESTMENT SALES

We provide consulting, execution and investment management services to clients engaged in buying, selling, building, financing or investing in commercial real estate.

## OUR STORY

# A Legacy of Trust. A Vision for What's Next.

Harris Tynes Realty Group was founded in 2005 by West Harris and Norman Tynes with a simple philosophy: provide exceptional commercial real estate service through trusted relationships, local market expertise, and an unwavering commitment to clients.

In 2013, the firm became part of Harbert Realty Services, combining two respected Birmingham commercial real estate companies into one of the region's most established organizations. During the years that followed, the company expanded its service offerings, strengthened its market presence, and grew throughout Alabama and Central Florida.

Today, the Harris Tynes name returns as the firm's identity—bringing the story full circle while preserving the experienced team, client relationships, and reputation that have been built over the past two decades.

Although the name has changed, our commitment remains exactly the same: helping owners, investors, businesses, and developers make confident commercial real estate decisions that create lasting value.





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