

# **PRELIMINARY CONTRACT FOR SALE AND PURCHASE**

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**PROPERTY:** Approximately 5.14± acres of development land located at 717 Jones Street SE, Attalla, AL, with an Etowah County Parcel ID# - 16-05-15-0-001-248.000, PIN#54299 (hereinafter referred to as "Property").

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ADDI	CHASER:	(hereinafter referred to as "Purchaser")			
PHO	RESS: EMAIL:				
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	"Auction Company")	This Alabama Broker, Dewey Jacobs (Heremarter Ferenca			
		Ill sell, and the Purchaser shall purchase the following Property Sale And Purchase (hereinafter referred to as "Sales Contract"):			
<u>PURC</u>	CHASE PRICE	<b>EXAMPLE ONLY USING THE STARTING BID</b>			
Н	High Bid Price	\$60,000.00			
В	Buyer's Premium (12% of High Bid Price)	+ \$7,200.00			
Т	Total Contract Price (High Bid Price + Buyer's Premium)	\$67,200.00			
D	<b>Deposit</b> (10% of the Total Contract Price)	- \$6,720.00			
В	Balance Due at Closing (on or before Monday, January 12, 202	6) <b>\$60,480.00</b>			
	PROPERTY IS BEING SOLD AS IS, WHERE IS WITH ALL FAULTS. IS A CONTINGENCY-FREE SALES CONTRACT AND IT IS NOT SU	BJECT TO THE PURCHASER OBTAINING FINANCING.			
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	<u>ng Company</u> : Target Auction & Land Co., Inc., through its Alabama Br igent of the Seller.	oker, Dewey Jacob <b>s,</b> ALRE #41690, ALAU #5060. The Listing Company is			
		no company/name is entered, no commission will be paid. The Buyer			
Ager	nt/Broker is an agent of the Purchaser. Compensation will be paid at Buyer Agent Company is an agent of the Purchaser.	closing in the amount outlined in the Broker Compensation Form.			
1 T	FEDNAS OF SALE				
1. <u>T</u>	<u>FERMS OF SALE</u> A. The Property will be offered through an online auction sel	ling subject to Seller's confirmation of bid. The Seller reserves the			
	right to sell the Property in any manner they so desire. The bidding opens December 4, 2025, and concludes Thursday,				
	December 11, 2025, at 11:00 am CT subject to auto-extended				
_	3. Online bidder registration is required for approval to bid. I				
_	C. The Sales Contract shall be executed on auction day imme	diately after being declared the winning bidder. To the high bid to determine the total contract price paid by the			
L	<ol> <li>A twelve percent (12%) buyer's premium will be added the Purchaser.</li> </ol>	o the high bid to determine the total contract price paid by the			
Е	E. A ten percent (10%) deposit based on the total contract pri	ce for the Property is due no later than Friday, December 12, 2025,			
_	at 4:00 pm CT, and the remaining balance is due at closing				
- +	<ul> <li>If for any reason the winning bidder fails or refuses to execute</li> </ul>	ate the Sales Contract and/or deposit the required funds, the Seller			

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will declare the winning bidder/purchaser in default and reserves the right to resell the Property or seek specific performance.

- G. No changes to the Sales Contract will be permitted. The fully executed Sales Contract (together with all related Exhibits thereto) shall control and constitute the entire agreement between the Seller and Purchaser.
- H. By submitting a bid, the bidder acknowledges the bid is binding and cannot be withdrawn.
- I. By submitting a bid and/or executing the Sales Contract in the name of a business entity or corporation, the individual doing so has the authority and enters into a guaranty agreement whereby they personally guarantee payment of the bid amount.
- J. All documents are in English. If an interpreter or translator is deemed necessary to translate any documents or information, it is the Purchaser's sole responsibility.
- K. All currency will be in U.S. dollars. No credit cards will be accepted.
- L. All bidders shall verify any information deemed important PRIOR to bidding. All information is believed to be correct; however, neither the Auction Company nor Seller make any representations or warranty of any kind.
- M. The Property is selling AS IS, WHERE IS WITH ALL FAULTS AND WITH NO CONTINGENCIES. Prior to bidding, (1) it is the bidder's sole responsibility to be satisfied with the Property, all systems, appliances, and any furnishings/inventory (if applicable); and (2) It is the sole responsibility of the Purchaser at Purchaser's option and expense, to make whatever evaluations or inspections (i.e., physical, environmental, engineering), deemed necessary and to verify with any governing agency any requirements, guidelines, permits, zoning, or regulations pertaining to the Property and its use thereof.
- N. The Property will be conveyed by Warranty Deed free and clear of all liens and encumbrances subject to the terms and conditions relating to such liens and encumbrances contained (1) herein, (2) in the title commitment/opinion (posted online for review), and (3) any other documents of record. The Seller shall have up to sixty (60) days after the auction date to cure any defects in title, if any defects are discovered that are not addressed in the existing title commitment/opinion.
- O. The Purchaser shall take title subject to present zoning classification, homeowners associations, prohibitions, restrictions, and matters appearing on the plat or otherwise common to the subdivision, public utility easements and any other items of record (if any are applicable). The Property is zoned R-4 Residential.
- P. Portion(s) of the Property may or may not be located in a flood zone.
- Q. No guaranty or representation is made regarding any individual part of the Property to pass a perc test.
- R. The Seller will convey all mineral, gas, or oil rights applicable to the Property owned by Seller, if any.
- S. The Property has an existing survey completed on March 27, 2020, by Brent Means Land Surveying, LLC of Gadsden (posted online for review). The Property will be conveyed by existing legal description. Should the Purchaser or Purchaser's lender require any additional survey work, it will be at the Purchaser's option and expense, and will not affect the closing. If an updated survey shows a greater or lesser amount of acreage, the Sales Contract price will not be adjusted.

#### 2. POSSESSION

A. Possession of the Property will occur at closing and shall be given subject to any existing lease(s).

#### 3. PROPERTY DISCLOSURES

A. The City of Attalla has an 8"sewer line that runs across the Property as shown on the "Sewer Map" (posted online for review). Currently there is no easement of record, however; the City of Attalla is establishing a 20-foot easement for the existing 8" sewer line that crosses the Property for the purpose of access and maintenance. The sewer easement is being surveyed and the legal description will be recorded.

## 4. UPDATES and CORRECTIONS

It is the sole responsibility of the Purchaser to check for any updates or corrections prior to the end time of the auction.

Any updates, revisions, additions, deletions, or corrections will be added here:

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# 5. <u>CLOSING</u>

- A. Closing must be completed on or before Monday, January 12, 2026. This is the closing deadline.
- B. <u>Jonathan M. Welch, PC Attorney at Law</u>, 1925 Rainbow Drive, Gadsden, AL 35901, is the closing agent. Contact person is Maggie Patty / Minda Robinson, 256 543-1660, <u>closings@welchlaw.org</u>. Target will hold the deposit in a non-interest-bearing escrow account. Wire instructions will be provided.
- C. Closing Costs:
  - 1. **Seller** will pay for the title exam/opinion, preparation of the deed, and municipality assessments presently due (if applicable).
  - 2. **Purchaser** will pay all other closing cost, including but not limited to, any recording fees, attorney fees, wiring fees, loan/financing fees, survey fees, state tax/deed stamps, etc., (if applicable). A title insurance policy is available at the Purchaser's option and expense.

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- D. Prorations: Ad valorem taxes, Homeowner Association fees (if applicable), and any other similar items will be prorated to the closing date.
- E. The proceeds due from the Purchaser at closing shall be by confirmed wire transfer prior to closing and sent to <u>Jonathan M. Welch, PC Attorney at Law</u>. Wire instructions will be provided.
- F. If closing is delayed by actions or lack of actions of the Purchaser after the closing date deadline or extended closing date deadline, the Purchaser will forfeit all of the deposit. The deposit will be retained by the Seller and Target Auction & Land Co., Inc., as liquidated damages. Any breach of the terms and conditions of this Sales Contract by the Purchaser, the closing/escrow agent is expressly authorized and instructed to disburse the deposit and any registration amount (if applicable) without the requirement of any further writing or agreement of the Seller and Purchaser. No fees will be charged, nor damages applicable for an extension when the closing is delayed by the Seller, Seller's closing/escrow agent, and/or Seller's surveyor.

#### 6. WIRE TRANSFERS

A transaction fee will apply to all incoming and outgoing funds transferred via wire.

#### 7. **DEFAULT**

- A. It is agreed by the Seller and Purchaser in the event the Purchaser fails to close and pay the balance when due, Seller and Auction Company reserve all rights allowed by law and the Sales Contract, including a suit for damages, specific performance or cancellation of the transaction, with the Seller to retain the deposit. In the event of any breach of the terms of this agreement by the Purchaser, the Seller will declare the Purchaser in default and the Purchaser agrees that the escrow agent is expressly authorized and instructed to disburse the deposit without the requirement of any further approval or agreement from the Seller or Purchaser. Any action taken after the Purchaser's default shall be solely at the Seller's option with all costs incurred by Seller being paid by the Purchaser. If any legal action is required to enforce this agreement, or to collect any fees or costs earned or advanced pursuant thereto, the Seller or Auction Company shall be entitled to recover any and all costs of such action, including, but not limited to, the expenses and court costs of the action and a reasonable attorney's fee.
- B. Escrow agent shall disburse the Purchaser's deposit to the Seller after the receipt of Seller's written certification that the Purchaser's Sales Contract has been terminated by reason of said Purchaser's failure to cure a default in performance of Purchaser's obligations herein. Escrow agent may act in reliance upon any writing, instrument, or signature which it, in good faith, believes to be genuine, may assume the validity and accuracy of any statements or assertions contained in such writing or instrument and may assume that any person purporting to give any writing, notice, advice or instruction in connection with the provisions hereof has been duly authorized to do so. Escrow agent shall not be liable in any manner for the sufficiency or correctness as to form, manner of execution, or validity of any written instructions delivered to it, nor as to the identity, authority, or rights of any person executing the same. The duties of escrow agent shall be limited to the safekeeping of the deposit and the disbursement of same in accordance with the written instructions described above. Escrow agent undertakes to perform only such duties as are expressly set forth hereto, and no implied duties or obligations shall be read into this agreement against escrow agent.

#### 8. AUCTION COMPANY AGENCY DISCLOSURE

The Auction Company is acting exclusively as the agent for the Seller in this transaction and is to be paid a fee by the Seller pursuant to a separate written agreement between Seller and the Auction Company. The Auction Company is not acting as an agent in this transaction for the Purchaser. Any third party buyer agent represents the Purchaser and is not a subagent of the Auction Company or Seller.

## 9. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE

The Property is available to the Purchaser(s) without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), familial status, and disability, or any other factor protected by federal, state or local law.

(SIGNATURES ON FOLLOWING PAGE)						
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## 10. SIGNATURES and COUNTERPARTS

Electronic signatures and facsimiles shall serve as valid authority for this document and all documents pertaining thereto may be executed in counterparts, each of which is deemed an original and together constitute one document.

## THIS IS A LEGAL BINDING CONTRACT AND IS NON-TRANSFERABLE WITHOUT PERMISSION FROM THE SELLER.

By signing below, each Seller and Purchaser acknowledge they have read, understand, and agree to abide by all terms and conditions set forth in this Contract for Sale and Purchase.

PURCHASER:		COLBURN PROPERTIES, LLC	
BY: NAME TS:	DATE	TRACY COLBURN ITS: MEMBER	DATE
		JENNIFER COLBURN ITS: MEMBER	DATE
		TARGET AUCTION & LAND CO., INC.	
		BY: DEWEY JACOBS ITS: PRESIDENT & ALABAMA BROKER ALRE #41690, ALAU #5060	DATE

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