

“The library branches of South Huntsville do their best with what they have. They just don’t measure up in terms of science and technology resources and overall community impact. **South Huntsville needs more and deserves better.** This new library will really be a game changer.”  
— *Phil Riddick*  
County Commissioner, District 2

“The new Library lies at the heart of two things we care about greatly in Huntsville — **education and families.**”  
— *Tommy Battle*  
Mayor, City of Huntsville

“To visit a library is an adventure and exploration into a world of knowledge and new horizons. **To have one within reach** is a blessing beyond approach.”  
— *Dorothy Davidson*  
CEO, Davidson Technologies

## Our Quest

Your Huntsville-Madison County Public Library has embarked on a quest to build a new foundation for the educational, social, and cultural enrichment of the South Huntsville Community. Jones Valley, Hampton Cove, and South Huntsville are growing, but our Bailey Cove Library cannot properly serve these communities because we have outgrown our 10,000 square foot home.

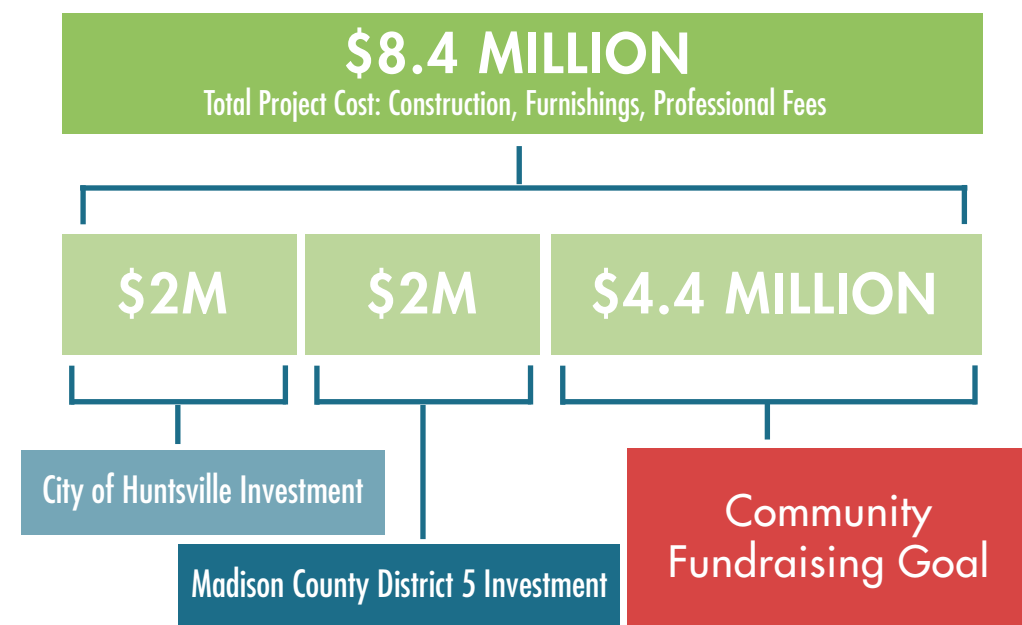


## Our Solution

A 40,000-square-foot high-tech library. It’s planned to serve as the centerpiece of the City of Huntsville’s new community complex on the Grissom High School site. But we need your help to make our dreams your reality.

# New Bailey Cove Library

Capital Campaign Pledge Period: 5 Years



## Lift off: destination library

The New Bailey Cove Library will serve as a launch pad to your future.

### CREATE

#### MakerSpace

Multi-purpose, high-tech creative studio

#### STEAM Classroom

Interactive classroom dedicated to Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math programs

#### Creative Commons

Social area to host small events and showcase regional art, science, and other creative products



### EXPLORE

#### Technology Bar and Recording Studio

Computer, tablet, and smart phone classes; soundproof space for audio recording; green screen for video production

#### Adult Reading Area

Traditional reading area, a serene environment

#### Children’s Area

Early literacy stations, in-the-round story time area, reading rocket play area, and mini MakerSpace



### CONNECT

#### Collaboration Spaces

Public rooms of varying sizes for students, small businesses, nonprofit organizations, and civic groups

#### Café

Social space to enjoy a coffee or snack during a library visit

#### Reception Hall

Formal meeting space capable of hosting a 150-person seated event



## “These are exciting times for our library.

Over 1 million people visited us and checked out more than 2.4 million items last year. As the system makes plans to construct 3 new libraries in Madison, North Huntsville, and South Huntsville, we recognize our duty to preserve the past while looking to the future. YOUR new libraries will evolve and adapt to meet the demands of Madison County’s high-tech and innovative society while serving as foundations for future generations to create, explore, and connect.”  
— *Laurel Best*,  
Executive Director,  
Huntsville-Madison County  
Public Library System

## About HMCPL

- Founded in 1818 — the oldest library in Alabama
- 12 branches throughout Huntsville, Madison County, and Madison City
- Highest circulation, program attendance, and number of volunteer hours in Alabama

**CREATE. EXPLORE. CONNECT.**

Your Library. Your Future.

Invest in the New Bailey Cove Library.

**BUILD WITH US:** Visit [liftoffbaileycove.org](http://liftoffbaileycove.org) to contribute to the New Bailey Cove Library