

Hampton Cove, Alabama Relocation & Community Guide

Resort-Style Living in the Foothills of Huntsville



Welcome to Hampton Cove

Nestled between Monte Sano Mountain, Green Mountain, and Keel Mountain, Hampton Cove is one of the most sought-after communities in the Huntsville area. Known for its scenic mountain views, golf courses, lakes, walking trails, and highly desirable schools, Hampton Cove offers a unique blend of natural beauty and upscale suburban living.

Located approximately 15–20 minutes from Downtown Huntsville, Redstone Arsenal, and Cummings Research Park, Hampton Cove provides residents with a peaceful setting while remaining close to major employment centers.

At a Glance

Category	Information
Location	Eastern Huntsville / Big Cove Area
ZIP Code	35763
School System	Huntsville City Schools
Commute to Downtown Huntsville	Approximately 15–20 minutes
Commute to Redstone Arsenal	Approximately 20–30 minutes

Category	Information
Community Type	Master-Planned Community
Homes	Patio homes, traditional homes, executive homes, custom estates
Recreation	Golf, lakes, trails, parks, nature preserves

Why People Love Hampton Cove

Stunning Natural Beauty

One of Hampton Cove's defining features is its location within a picturesque valley surrounded by mountains.

Residents enjoy:

- Mountain views
- Mature landscaping
- Numerous lakes
- Walking and biking trails
- Access to nature preserves
- Scenic drives throughout the community

The area offers a unique atmosphere that feels removed from the city while remaining highly convenient.

Master-Planned Community

Hampton Cove encompasses approximately 2,800 acres and includes more than 20 residential neighborhoods, numerous lakes, miles of sidewalks, parks, and community amenities. The iconic waterfall entrance is one of the most recognizable landmarks in the Huntsville area.

Variety of Housing Options

Buyers can find:

- Low-maintenance patio homes
- Traditional family homes
- Golf course properties
- Luxury custom homes
- Mountain-view estates
- Newer construction opportunities

Many homes were built from the mid-1990s through today, creating a mix of established neighborhoods and newer developments.

Schools

Hampton Cove is served by the highly regarded Huntsville City Schools.

Common schools serving the community include:

Elementary Schools

- Hampton Cove Elementary School
- Goldsmith-Schiffman Elementary School

Middle School

- Hampton Cove Middle School

High School

- Huntsville High School

These schools are frequently cited among the stronger-performing schools in the Huntsville system and contribute to the area's long-term popularity among families.

School Disclaimer: School zoning can change. Buyers should independently verify school assignments with Huntsville City Schools before purchasing a home.

Recreation & Outdoor Living

Hays Nature Preserve



One of North Alabama's premier outdoor destinations, Hays Nature Preserve features:

- More than 10 miles of trails
- Hiking and biking opportunities
- Fishing access
- Flint River access
- Wildlife viewing
- Horseback riding trails

The preserve encompasses more than 500 acres and is one of Huntsville's largest protected natural areas.

Greenways & Walking Trails

Residents enjoy:

- Big Cove Creek Greenway
- Flint River Greenway
- Over 20 miles of sidewalks and walking paths
- Community parks and playgrounds

These amenities make Hampton Cove particularly attractive to walkers, runners, cyclists, and families.

Golf & Community Amenities

Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail

Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail at Hampton Cove is one of the area's signature attractions.

Features include:

- Two championship golf courses
- One short course
- Clubhouse and dining facilities
- Scenic mountain and valley views

Golf course green space helps preserve much of the community's open feel and natural beauty.

The Hampton House

Residents of participating neighborhoods may enjoy access to:

- Resort-style pool
- Tennis courts
- Community events
- Social activities
- Neighborhood gatherings

Shopping & Dining

Convenient shopping and dining options are available throughout the Hampton Cove area and nearby Huntsville.

Popular destinations include:

- Hampton Cove retail corridor
- Jones Valley
- Downtown Huntsville
- Valley Bend at Jones Farm
- Merchant's Walk

Residents enjoy easy access to grocery stores, local restaurants, coffee shops, healthcare services, and everyday conveniences.

Employment & Commuting

Many Hampton Cove residents work at:

- Redstone Arsenal
- NASA Marshall Space Flight Center
- Cummings Research Park
- Aerospace contractors
- Defense contractors
- Technology companies
- Research organizations

The community's location provides convenient access to major employment centers while offering a quieter residential setting.

Popular Neighborhoods

Notable Hampton Cove neighborhoods include:

- Hampton Cove Estates
- Eastern Shore
- Lake Pointe
- Treyburne
- Sussex Quarter
- Twelve Stones
- Glen Eagles
- Cumberland Cove
- Stoneleigh Terrace
- Tammerack Links
- Providence Island

Nearby luxury communities such as McMullen Cove are also popular among buyers seeking custom homes and mountain views.

Cost of Living & Housing

Compared to many suburban markets nationwide, Hampton Cove offers:

- ✓ Large homes and executive properties
- ✓ Golf course and mountain-view homes
- ✓ Strong school appeal
- ✓ Access to outdoor recreation

- ✓ Convenient commuting options

Housing options range from entry-level patio homes to luxury custom estates exceeding one million dollars.

Who Should Consider Hampton Cove?

Hampton Cove is an excellent fit for:

- Professionals working in Huntsville
 - Military families
 - Aerospace and defense employees
 - Golf enthusiasts
 - Outdoor recreation lovers
 - Growing families
 - Luxury home buyers
 - Relocating executives
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Hampton Cove remains one of North Alabama's most desirable communities because it offers a combination that is difficult to find elsewhere: exceptional natural beauty, strong schools, extensive recreational amenities, and convenient access to Huntsville's employment centers.

Our agents regularly assist buyers relocating to Hampton Cove, Big Cove, Owens Cross Roads, and surrounding communities. We can help you compare neighborhoods, schools, commute times, builders, and available homes to determine which area best fits your lifestyle and goals.

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