



## [LIMITED REPRESENTATION - AL] AL NPO Seeks Counsel & Advice on Property Issue

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### Single or Multiple Opportunities

Single

### Turnaround Time

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### Background

### Scope of Work

One Simon Two Rubys & A Hamp seek AL counsel to provide counsel and advice regarding the ownership of Oaklawn Memorial Cemetery, a historical cemetery, and options to obtain ownership.

### Timing

### Jurisdiction

City of Mobile, AL & Mobile County, Mobile, AL

### Contact Information

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### Description

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The marginalization of African American cemeteries is not an accident of fate, but a deliberate document of structural violence inscribed upon the American landscape. Across the nation, infrastructure like highways and fences has been weaponized to enforce an "apartheid of the departed," carving segregation into the very earth. This disenfranchisement is compounded by modern gentrification, where rising property values and white-held land ownership treat hallowed grounds as mere obstacles to development. To dismantle this systemic vandalism, the solution lies in a restorative transfer of power. By placing the land back into the hands of those committed to its legacy, we transform a site of historical prejudice into a protected sanctuary of remembrance and Black excellence.

### **Subtasks (0)**