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**Southside Law Firm Relocates to Woodlawn Business District
Affordable Rents Attractive to Professional Businesses**

Birmingham, AL – August 1, 2005 – Thomas O. Plouff could have moved his southside based personal injury law practice anywhere in the Birmingham metro area. Instead, Plouff sold his office building in southside and will relocate the firm of Plouff Law Offices, P.C. to the Ken Del Building at 5601 1st Ave North in the Woodlawn business district, across the street from Woodlawn High School. A former federal prosecutor who has received multimillion dollar jury awards for his personal injury clients, Plouff says, “Woodlawn should be a great location for my law practice. It is a convenient location on a busy street, close to downtown, with accessible parking. I see a need for the people of Woodlawn and the surrounding communities to have a law firm that day in and day out specializes in personal injury and wrongful death lawsuits.”

According to David Fleming, Executive Director of Main Street Birmingham, Plouff will be a great addition to the business community in Woodlawn. “Woodlawn has a long history of a strong professional business community where one can find services ranging from accounting to architecture to surveying equipment and legal services and more. “ Fleming adds, “We presented Mr. Plouff with several options that would meet his needs, but Woodlawn offers a very affordable alternative to downtown or southside for office space.”

Main Street Birmingham is a non-profit organization under contract to the City of Birmingham to implement the BEACON Program for neighborhood commercial district revitalization.

Plouff plans to open his office in Woodlawn by August 1, 2005.

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