

It's been a while since **Torme's** doors closed in Birmingham's city center, taking away the area's only immediate grocery option. While stores like **The Neighborhood Market** fill portions of the growing downtown population's needs, many still long for a "major" grocery store to serve the needs of area loft dwellers and small business owners.

Many had placed hope in reports saying that [Publix](#) was considering locations downtown. Well, [this morning's Birmingham News reports](#) that we'll just have to wait a little longer as the Lakeland, FL-based chain has decided to not move forward on two potential locations. Developers say there are other options; **what would your choice be?**