



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Town of Pike Road
9575 Vaughn Road
Pike Road, AL 36064

Contact:

Turner Waddell, Communications Specialist

Phone: (334) 495-4109, (864) 958-6577

Email: turner@pikeroad.us

Feb. 19, 2018

Free Turkey Hunting Safety Seminar Monday, Feb. 26

Town of Pike Road Partners with ADCNR Wildlife & Freshwater Fisheries Division to Spread Safety Awareness

PIKE ROAD, Ala – The Town of Pike Road’s Agriculture and Stewardship Club will host the first of its 2018 seminar series Monday, February 26 at 6 p.m. at Pike Road Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd). The topic of the Feb. 26 event will be Turkey Hunting Safety. Chuck Sykes, Director of the Wildlife & Freshwater Fisheries Division of the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (ADCNR), will lead the seminar, speaking about the Wildlife & Freshwater Fisheries Division, hunting rules and regulations, and more. This seminar offers a timely opportunity for new and seasoned hunters to refresh their safety and regulation awareness, just in time for the March 15 start of the Turkey Hunting Season. There is no cost to attend.

“We are excited to partner with the ADCNR to host this safety seminar,” said Pike Road Mayor Gordon Stone. “It is important to engage in the stewardship of our natural resources and celebrate the Pike Road community’s agricultural heritage.”

“Spring is my favorite time of year,” said Director Chuck Sykes. “I’m really looking forward to talking turkey with Pike Road.”

The Agriculture and Stewardship Club is one of seven committees under the Town of Pike Road’s ENHANCE Initiative. The mission of the Club is to facilitate a greater awareness of the role of agriculture and natural resources in shaping the past, present and future of the Pike Road area. Adopted in 2012, ENHANCE: A Vision with Focus is a detailed plan for accomplishing work in four key areas known as the town’s Four Pillars: quality of life, planning, services and education. ENHANCE stresses the enrichment of quality of life, and includes organizations and projects related to exercise, nutrition, health, agriculture, nature and community education.

For more information or to schedule an interview, contact Turner Waddell by calling (334) 495-4109, (864) 958-6577 or by emailing turner@pikeroad.us. You can also visit www.pikeroad.us for information about the event.

-###-