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TOWN OF PIKE ROAD, CITY OF MONTGOMERY REACH SETTLEMENT IN BOUNDARY DISPUTE

A settlement agreement that ends the multiple legal disputes between the Town of Pike Road and the City of Montgomery has been approved by Montgomery County Circuit Judge Gene Reese. The primary result of the settlement is to establish the boundaries for both municipalities relative to the eastern portion of Montgomery County.

The product of months of negotiation between the two municipalities, the agreement addresses specific concerns that surfaced when a previous settlement failed to pass the state legislature in the spring.

According to the terms of the settlement, the Chantilly Parkway Wal-Mart and Home Depot will operate in a shared-tax capacity. The future Lowe's and four attached outparcels will also operate in this shared-tax capacity. The municipal portion of sales tax generated will be split evenly between the Town of Pike Road and the City of Montgomery. The additional tax revenue will enable the Town of Pike Road to move forward with several ambitious projects, including the establishment of a public school system.

"This agreement represents years of work by individuals from all jurisdictions," said Mayor Gordon Stone. "In addition to symbolizing a spirit of cooperation among the municipalities and the county, the settlement marks a milestone in the history of the Town of Pike Road. With the establishment of clear boundaries and certification of the town's population, we are able to move forward with the establishment of the Pike Road school system."

Following the settlement, these neighborhoods are now in the Town of Pike Road:

Barnes Road	Lochshire	Piney Acres
Bridle Brook	Mason Mill	Providence
Cecil Station	Meriwether Trace	Ridgewater
Deer Ridge	Merry Lakes	Rolling Hills
Farmington	Merry Place	Ryan Road Extension
Foxchase	Merry Station	The Waters
Foxwood	Merry Wood	Timber Creek
Freeport	Millie Branch	Timber Lake
Glynlakes	Oak Ridge	Timberlane
Howellville	Okfuski Trail	Vaughn Crossing
Kerington	Old Pike Lakes	Vaughn East
Laurel Springs	Pecan Tree	Williamsburg
Laurelwood	Pike Road	Woodland Creek

Maps of the newly established town boundaries will be on display at the Pike Road Town Hall beginning at 6:00 p.m. December 22. Town Hall is located at 9575 Vaughn Road in the Town of Pike Road.

For more information, please contact Gordon Stone or Charlene Rabren at Pike Road Town Hall, (334) 272-9883.

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