



Town of Pike Road
9575 Vaughn Road
Pike Road, AL 36064
August 27, 2021

A Note from Mayor Gordon Stone

“This week kicked off with a great edition of the Mondays with the Mayor Radio Show at the Pike Road Arts Center, where the Pike Road Quilters’ Quilt Show continues this weekend. Thank you to everyone who tuned in, called in, and sent in their questions. We appreciate your engagement, and this monthly radio program is all about facilitating connection and communication in our growing hometown. We are excited about all the great things happening in the Town of Pike Road, from upcoming events like Lunch & Learn and Hay, Look at Us! to the opening of new businesses. Last week, we had the pleasure of welcoming Brantley Bank & Trust, Co. at their grand opening near the Shops at Pike Road, and we are pleased to share that their Pike Road location is also home to a rotating local art exhibit, presented in partnership with the Pike Road Arts Council!

In order to enjoy all the upcoming fall activities from our ENHANCE initiative committees and those related to our schools, churches, local businesses and families, it is important that we remain vigilant and mindful of the risks of COVID-19. Please continue to recognize the value of the simple things like social distancing, mask-wearing, and hand-washing that help protect you and those around you. COVID-19 and, particularly, the Delta variant, are active across Alabama. It is up to each of us to make smart, responsible decisions that help us make progress in the fight to stop the spread of this illness so that we can continue to enjoy opportunities to gather and safely enjoy the company of family and friends.

In accordance with the latest guidelines and recommendations from local health care leaders and the CDC, the Town of Pike Road is requiring visitors at Town Hall and other municipal facilities to wear a mask regardless of vaccination status. If you do not have a mask, we will have one available for you. This policy includes Town Hall, Founders Station, and the Pike Road Arts Center. Further, we continue to encourage our community to take necessary safety precautions that protect themselves and others. This includes wearing a mask around those outside of your household, frequent hand washing, practicing social distancing, and covering coughs and sneezes. One of the most effective tools to combat COVID-19 continues to be vaccination. Vaccines are free and readily available at multiple locations within our community, and individuals ages 12+ are eligible to receive the vaccine. [Click here to learn more about COVID-19 vaccines and where you can receive yours.](#)

With health and safety in mind, our team will continue to provide both in-person and blended fall activities through the ENHANCE initiative. Register now, and join us virtually or in-person on Sept. 16 as Lunch & Learn returns with “Strength Takes Courage,” and don’t miss the Pike Road Quilters’ Quilt Show at the Pike Road Arts Center, which ends Sunday, Aug. 29. If you would like to honor a veteran you know and love with a personalized brick paver to be dedicated during the November 2021 Veterans Appreciation Ceremony, now is the time to place your order. Find details & registration for these events and more as they approach: visit us online at www.pikeroad.us to [register for our weekly e-newsletter](#), and find us on social media (just search @townofpikeroad)!

As always, we will continue to pray for you, and we encourage you to pray for each other.

Thank you and God Bless.”

Community Updates & Reminders from the Town of Road Regarding COVID-19

Pike Road, ALA – On Tuesday, July 6, 2021, the statewide Safer Apart Order and state of emergency (previously implemented and declared by State Health Officer Scott Harris and Governor Kay Ivey) both ended. However, the need for each of us to take safety precautions and make responsible decisions with regards to COVID-19 continues. This includes wearing a mask around those outside of your household, frequent hand washing, practicing social distancing, and covering coughs and sneezes. One of the most effective tools to combat COVID-19 continues to be vaccination. Vaccines are free and readily available at multiple locations within our community, and individuals ages 12+ are eligible to receive the vaccine. [Click here to learn more about COVID-19 vaccines and where you can receive yours.](#)

Town Hall and all municipal facilities are open to public access. Effective August 9, 2021, visitors to all municipal facilities are required to wear masks or face coverings. If you do not have a mask, we will have one available for you. We continue to encourage visitors and members of the Town of Pike Road team to practice safety precautions and exercise personal responsibility. This policy includes Town Hall, Founders Station and the Pike Road Arts Center. Municipal services continue to be accessible via phone and email, and we encourage you to make an appointment if you need to meet with a member of our team. Please contact our team to learn how we can help serve you!

- Call: (334) 272-9883



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- Email: info@pikeroad.us
- Visit: www.pikeroad.us to access resources regarding municipal services, local updates, and more.
- Events at municipal facilities are being assessed on a case-by-case basis, and events scheduled for the coming months are being evaluated. However, we will continue to offer a variety of virtual and blended events through our ENHANCE initiative, and we look forward to more traditional events as we move forward. Based on facility availability and guidance from ADPH, municipal facilities will soon transition to be available for public use.
- The Recycling Depot is open for recycling drop-off three days per week: It will open at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays and remain open until 5 p.m. on Thursdays. This schedule is subject to change based on the safety requirements of the ongoing COVID-19 challenge, and we ask that you utilize the Recycling Depot respectfully and with consideration for the Town of Pike Road team that maintains it.

Any changes or updates to this policy will be based primarily on CDC and ADPH recommendations. Citizens will be notified via our e-newsletter and normal communications methods, including Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. Follow this link to register for our weekly e-newsletter, and receive updates in your inbox each Friday: <http://bit.ly/TPRenews>. We want to reiterate that we are here to help.

As the COVID-19 challenge continues in our community and beyond, we encourage you to personally review information provided by trustworthy organizations with recommendations from experts, such as the continuously updated pages available below:

- **Alabama Public Health:** <https://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/covid19/index.html>
- **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:** <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>