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**NEW WALTERS PIKEPASS STORE OPENS TODAY
ON THE H.E. BAILEY TURNPIKE**

New store will be a part of the Walters Service Plaza

WALTERS, OK (June 18, 2018) — Today, the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority (OTA) opened a new PIKEPASS store on the H.E. Bailey Turnpike at the Walters Service Plaza. The store is at the location of the former Oklahoma Tourism Center and will be open Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

“This new location will allow us to serve Southwest Oklahoma better,” said OTA Director Tim Gatz. “Opening a new PIKEPASS store is an example of how we continually listen to our customers and find ways to constantly improve customer service.”

The new PIKEPASS store is a full-service location. Customer service agents will staff the store and be available to help customers open accounts, add or replace a PIKEPASS and pay their PIKEPASS bill.

“Our PIKEPASS stores serve an important role as the first point of contact customers have with OTA,” Gatz said. “The new store will serve as a vital part of our organization by offering friendly, face-to-face customer service that helps us achieve our mission of providing safe, convenient and efficient travel across Oklahoma.”

For more information about this project and the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority, please visit www.PIKEPASS.com.

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About Oklahoma Turnpike Authority

Oklahoma Turnpike Authority was established in 1947 to construct, operate and maintain Oklahoma turnpikes. Today, Oklahoma turnpikes are the safest and quickest ways to travel across the state. Oklahoma Turnpike Authority is managing multiple renovations throughout the state to maintain and operate the turnpike system to the highest standard. To learn more about the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority and recent projects, visit, www.pikepass.com.

