**Welcome to our**

**Bat House**

**Bats are the only flying mammals in the world.   
 Just like humans, they have hair (fur), give birth to live young, and drink milk from mom as babies.**

** All 16 of Alabama’s bat species are   
 insectivores, eating mosquitoes and   
 pests that damage crops. Some can eat   
 several thousand insects in one night! We  
 built this bat house to provide a place  
 where native bats can roost (sleep).**

**Look for guano (bat poop) on the ground below the bat   
 house. It is dry and crumbly and has shiny insect parts   
 in it. This tells us whether or not bats have moved in!**

**Native species that may use our bat house:**

* ****Big Brown Bat (pictured)
* Evening Bat
* Northern Long-eared Myotis
* Tri-colored Bat

** Scan this QR Code to learn more about bats.**

**Enjoy nature’s beauty!**

**Protect it from litter and vandalism!**