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### **ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN DESHA COUNTY**

**LITTLE ROCK (1-9)** -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Desha County, according to Commission Vice Chairman R. Madison Murphy of El Dorado.

The purpose of the project is to construct a bridge on Highway 138 over Drainage Canal # 19. Deon Construction Company, Inc. of Warren, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$1,857,163.95.

“This project will be located south of Dumas near the Drew County line,” stated Murphy.

Murphy said work could begin on the project in six to eight weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in late 2009.

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