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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (2-25) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Jefferson County, according to Commissioner R. Madison Murphy of El Dorado.

The purpose of the project is to construct a bridge on 11th Avenue in Pine Bluff. Ideal Construction Company of Crossett, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$1,363,524.65.

“This bridge will be built over Imbeau Bayou and provide a safer roadway for motorists in this area of Pine Bluff,” 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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