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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN SEBASTIAN COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (1-12) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Sebastian County, according to Commissioner Dick Trammel of Rogers.

The purpose of the project is to widen one mile of Greenwood Road (Highway 45), in Fort Smith, to five lanes. Forsgren, Inc. of Fort Smith, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$9,948,601.28.

“This widening project will begin at Highway 255 and continue northward to Phoenix Avenue,” stated Trammel. “Once completed, this will greatly improve the flow of traffic through this area of Fort Smith and make this a safer roadway.”

Trammel said work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in late 2012.

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