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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN ARKANSAS AND PRAIRIE COUNTIES

LITTLE ROCK (4-13) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Arkansas and Prairie Counties, according to Commission Chairman R. Madison Murphy of El Dorado and Commissioner Tom Schueck of Little Rock.

The purpose of the project is to resurface approximately six miles of Highway 79, north and south of the city of Ulm. Rogers Group, Inc. of Nashville, Tennessee, was awarded the contract at \$1,806,039.30.

“This project will begin at the Monroe/Prairie County line, extend westward through Prairie County and end at Carter Road, near Stuttgart, in Arkansas County,” stated Murphy.

Murphy said work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in September of this year.

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