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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (4-13) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Jefferson County, according to Commission Chairman R. Madison Murphy of El Dorado.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 2.25 miles of Highway 65, near Pine Bluff. Pine Bluff Sand & Gravel Company of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$1,288,132.19.

“This project will begin at the intersection of Highway 65 and Highways 81 and 425, and extend to Taylor Phillips Road,” 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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