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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN INDEPENDENCE COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (6-1) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Independence County, according to Commissioner John Burkhalter of Little Rock.

The project will resurface approximately two miles of Highway 157, near Pleasant Plains. Atlas Asphalt, Inc. of Jonesboro, Arkansas, was awarded the project at \$283,460.40.

“This project will begin at the intersection with Highway 167 and extend southward,” stated Burkhalter.

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

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