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### **ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN CONWAY COUNTY**

**LITTLE ROCK (9-07)** -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Conway County, according to Commissioner John Burkhalter of Little Rock.

The purpose of the first project is to construct a new bridge over Cove Creek on Highway 124. Mobley Contractors, Inc. of Morrilton, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$1,823,375.06.

“This new bridge will replace the existing bridge which is located near the Faulkner County line,” stated Burkhalter.

A second project will construct a new bridge over Point Remove Creek, also on Highway 124. Southern State Construction of Hermitage, Arkansas, was awarded this contract at \$1,842,782.74.

“The second new bridge will be located west of the town of Macedonia,” Burkhalter added.

Burkhalter said work could begin on the projects in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion of both bridges is expected in late 2012.

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