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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN FRANKLIN COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (3-27) -- The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Franklin County, according to the Arkansas State Highway Commission.

The project will resurface 2.6 miles of Highway 64, near the city of Altus. Blackstone Construction, LLC, of Russellville, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$599,188.51.

Resurfacing will begin at Altus and continue eastward to the Johnson County line.

Work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in late summer of this year.

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