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

LITTLE ROCK (5-2) -- The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Scott County, according to the Arkansas State Highway Commission.

The project calls for the resurfacing of 2.6 miles of Highway 71B, in Waldron. JOB Construction Company of Poteau, Oklahoma, was awarded the contract at \$690,188.81.

The improvements will begin at Highway 80 and continue northward.

Work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be completed in the fall of 2012.

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