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

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

The project calls for the widening of 1.4 miles of Interstate 540, between Highways 62 and 16 in Fayetteville. APAC-Central, Inc. of Fayetteville, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$5,817,949.20.

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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