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

LITTLE ROCK (9-12) -- The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in White County, according to the Arkansas State Highway Commission.

The project calls for extending Highway 13 in Searcy 4.9 miles northward to create a bypass between Highway 267 and Highway 36. Rogers Group, Inc., of Nashville, Tennessee, was awarded the contract at \$16,395,782.79.

Work could begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in mid-to-late 2015.

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