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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN SCOTT COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (9-17) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to roadways in Scott County, according to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) and County Judge James Forbes.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 1.5 miles of County Road 312 (White Oak Road) and restripe County Road 87 (City Lake Road). Both locations are north of Waldron.

The work on County Road 312 (White Oak Road) will extend from just east of E. Water Street. The striping work on County Road 87 (City Lake Road) will extend east from Willow Street to Highway 80.

Silco Construction, Inc. of Waldron, AR was awarded the contract at \$128,719.20.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete by the end of this year.

This project is being funded through the State Aid Road Program established by the legislature and administered by the State Aid Division of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department. This program provides approximately \$20 million annually from the state motor fuels tax to assist counties with projects of their choosing the on county road system.

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