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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN FAULKNER COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (1-15) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Faulkner County.

The purpose is to install Wire Rope Safety Fence (cable median barrier) on 9 miles of Highway 64 (Vilonia Bypass) near Vilonia. AHTD crews are busy creating cable barrier on hundreds of miles of Arkansas highways. By 2016, 500 miles of cable barrier will be installed.

Interstate Highway Construction, Inc. of Englewood, Colorado was awarded the contract at \$1,208,718.10.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete in three months.

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