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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN FAULKNER COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (7-29) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Faulkner County, according to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 8.3 miles of Highway 36 from Highway 107, east of Holland to Highway 310 in Mount Vernon.

Atlas Asphalt, Inc. of Batesville, AR was awarded the contract at \$1,222,190.59.

This project is being funded with revenue generated from the severance tax on natural gas.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete late this fall.

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