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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN UNION COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (9-17) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Union County, according to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 1.3 miles of Lisbon Street in Smackover. The work will be performed between Highway 7 and West 7th Street.

Jet Asphalt & Rock Co., Inc. of El Dorado, AR was awarded the contract at \$181,778.18.

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 City Streets Program approved by lawmakers in 2011 and voters in 2012. This program provides \$20 million annually from the state motor fuels tax to assist cities with projects selected by a nine-member panel of Arkansas mayors.

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