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### ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN PIKE COUNTY

**LITTLE ROCK (8-4)** - The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Pike County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 1.4 miles of County Road 1 (Phillips Co. Rd. 529). The area is listed below:

Town	Roadway	Location	Miles
W. of Murfreesboro	County Road 4 (Fowler Rd.)	Extends from just east of Co. Rd. 204 to Co. Rd. 6 (Nathan Rd.)	1.4

Pike County of Murfreesboro, Arkansas was awarded the contract at \$146,978.73.

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

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete on or before October 15, 2014.

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