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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN CRAIGHEAD COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (6-10) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Craighead County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to pave 1.6 miles of Highway 226 that will bypass the town of Cash. The roadbed was prepared under a previous contract. This new contract will complete the Cash Bypass.

Atlas Asphalt, Inc. of Batesville, Arkansas was awarded the contract at \$5,024,896.39.

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

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