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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN MISSISSIPPI COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (6-15) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission has approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Mississippi County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to surface 2.3 miles of County Road 39. Additional information is listed below.

Nearest City	Road	Work Zone	Miles
SE of Manila	Co. Rd. 39 (Co. Rd. 309)	Extends S. from Hwy. 18	2.3

Sugg Construction, Inc. of Jonesboro, Arkansas was awarded the contract at \$358,731.05.

This county road project is funded through the State Aid Road Program established by the legislature and administered by the State Aid Division of the Arkansas State Highway and 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 begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete this summer. Additional travel information can be found at IDriveArkansas.com or. You can also follow us on [Twitter @AHTD](https://twitter.com/AHTD).

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