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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN CHICOT COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (10-21) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission has approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Chicot County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of the project is to rehabilitate selected sections of 4.3 miles of Highway 165. The project is located east of Dermott and the improvements will take place between Highway 208 and Highway 65.

Pine Bluff Sand & Gravel Company of Pine Bluff was awarded the contract at \$3,094,447.15.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in the spring of 2016.

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