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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN CRAWFORD COUNTY

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

The purpose of the project is to construct approximately one mile of Highway 162 in Alma on new location and to construct a bridge over the Union Pacific railroad tracks.

Forsgren, Inc. of Fort Smith was awarded the contract at \$9,593,292.68.

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

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