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

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

The purpose of the project is to replace a bridge on Highway 131, east of Marianna.

Dement Construction Company, LLC of Jackson, TN was awarded the contract at \$3,186,495.34.

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

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