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Arkansas Highway Commission Approves Bid for Improvements in Desha County

DESHA COUNTY (2-24) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission has approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Desha County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of this project is to resurface 10 miles of selected sections of State Highway 1 between State Highway 165 and the south of Watson.

Pine Bluff Sand & Gravel Company of Pine Bluff was awarded the contract at \$1,332,927.42.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in mid-2016.

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