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Improvements to the Intersection of Harrisburg Road and East Lawson Road in Jonesboro Will Require Temporary Lane Closures

CRAIGHEAD COUNTY (8-4) – Construction of a rural roundabout at the intersection of Harrisburg Road (Highway 163) and East Lawson Road (Highway 158) in Jonesboro will require temporary lane closures and traffic shifts, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) officials.

Weather permitting, crews will begin work this week and continue until the project is complete (expected to be in 2021). **Motorists can expect to experience lane closures and traffic shifts as the work progresses.**

The contract for this work was awarded to Asphalt Producers, LLC in February 2020 for the amount of \$1,587,045.46 and requires items of earthwork, drainage, asphalt, concrete, lighting, and other items of construction to complete the project.

Traffic will be controlled by traffic barrels, flaggers and signage. Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at IDriveArkansas.com or ARDOT.gov. You can also follow us on Twitter [@myARDOT](https://twitter.com/myARDOT).