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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN GREENE COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (11-16) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Greene County, according to Commissioner John Ed Regenold of Armorel.

The purpose of the project is to replace two bridges on Highway 135. Robertson Contractors, Inc. of Poplar Bluff, Missouri, was awarded the contract at \$3,731,551.48.

"These bridges are located over the Cache River, between the city of Hooker and the Clay County line," stated Regenold. "Once completed, it will mean safer travel for motorists in this area of Greene County for years to come."

Regenold said work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in late 2012.

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