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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN FAULKNER COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (7-20) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Faulkner County, according to Commissioner John Burkhalter of Little Rock.

The purpose of the project is to improve the intersection alignment of Highway 36 with Highway 107, south of Enola. Rogers Group, Inc. of Nashville, Tennessee, was awarded the contract at \$526,918.45.

"This project is going make this a safer intersection by improving the sight distance," stated Burkhalter. "The intersection will be realigned so that Highway 36 intersects with Highway 107 at a 90-degree angle."

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

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