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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT OPENS BIDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN ARKANSAS COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (5-2) -- The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department has opened bids for improvements to a roadway in Arkansas County, according to the Arkansas State Highway Commission.

The project calls for the resurfacing of 2.9 miles of Highway 79, northeast of Stuttgart. Cranford Construction Co. of North Little Rock, Arkansas, was awarded the contract at \$700,381.37.

The improvements will begin at Highway 165 and continue eastward to Carter Road.

Work could begin on the project in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be completed in the fall of this year.

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