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ARKANSAS HIGHWAY COMMISSION APPROVES BID FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN GREENE COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (6-10) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Greene County.

The purpose of the project is to resurface 1.3 miles of Highways 49 and 358.

The work on Highway 49 (Linwood Drive) will be performed from Highway 69, southward .3 mile in Bethel.

The work on Highway 358 (Jones Road) will be performed from Highway 69 (South 2nd Avenue) to Old Bethel Road in Paragould. It is the equivalent of one mile.

Delta Asphalt of Ark., Inc. of Paragould, Arkansas was awarded the contract at \$311,892.87.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. The project should be complete by this fall.

Additional travel information can be found at <u>ArkansasHighways.com</u>. You can also follow us on Twitter <u>@AHTD</u>.

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