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### **Arkansas Highway Commission Approves Bid for Improvements in Independence County**

**INDEPENDENCE COUNTY (4-5)** - The Arkansas State Highway Commission has approved a bid for improvements to a roadway in Independence County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of this project is to resurface 8 miles of State Highway 394 between State Highway 69 in Batesville and Highway 69 just north of Magness.

Atlas Asphalt, INC. of Batesville was awarded the contract at \$873,523.26.

Construction is scheduled to begin in two to four weeks, weather permitting. Completion is expected in mid-2016.

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