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Arkansas Highway Commission Approves Bid for Improvements in Newton County

NEWTON COUNTY (8-25) - The Arkansas State Highway Commission has approved a bid for improvements to roadways in Newton County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The purpose of this project is to resurface 1.5 miles of city streets in Jasper to include Buffalo Street, South Street, Sycamore Street, Church Street, Spring Street, East Street, Elm Street, Locust Street, and Stone Street.

APAC-Central, Inc. of Fayetteville was awarded the contract at \$266,099.71.

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

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