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

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

The purpose of this project is to resurface 5 miles of County Roads 10, 9 (Fire Tower Road near Ponca) and 84 (Hasty Road at Hasty).

Marion County Paving, LLC of Summit was awarded the contract at 260,631.80.

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

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