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Arkansas Highway Commission Approves Bid for Improvements in Pope County

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

The purpose of this project is to resurface 1.6 miles of County Roads 7 and 59 near Russellville.

Blackstone Construction, LLC of Russellville was awarded the contract at \$191,252.30.

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

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