



INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

December 1, 2023

TO: Master Files

FROM: John Fleming, Division Head, Environmental Division 

SUBJECT: 2024 Pavement Preservation Program Projects
Multiple Jobs and FAP Numbers
Various Counties
Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion

After appropriate environmental review, it has been determined that the subject jobs are a Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion as described by the ARDOT/FHWA Programmatic Agreement on Categorical Exclusion Documentation and Processing. A public hearing will not be offered for these projects.

The purpose of these projects is to preserve and rehabilitate the highways. The attached table lists the projects, their locations, and type of work. Project location maps and cultural resources clearances are also attached. Recent funding changes have resulted in changes to the job numbers of the projects included in this Tier 1 CE. The new and previous job numbers are listed in the attached table.

The project will not involve relocations, prime farmlands, wetlands, underground storage tanks, hazardous materials, any environmental justice issues, or cultural resources. These projects have been determined to generate minimal air quality impacts for Clean Air Act criteria pollutants and have not been linked with any special mobile source air toxics concerns.

The official species lists obtained through the US Fish and Wildlife Service's (USFWS) Information for Planning and Consultation identified the following species as potentially occurring within the project area: Gray bat (*Myotis grisescens*), Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*), Northern Long-eared Bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*), Ozark Big-eared Bat (*Corynorhinus townsendii ingens*), Tricolored Bat (*Perimyotis subflavus*), Eastern Black Rail (*Laterallus jamaicensis ssp. jamaicensis*), Ivory-Billed Woodpecker (*Campephilus principalis*), Piping Plover (*Charadrius melodus*), Red Knot (*Calidris canutus rufa*), Red-Cockaded Woodpecker (*Picoides borealis*), Whooping Crane (*Grus americana*), Alligator Snapping Turtle (*Macrochelys temminckii*), Ozark Hellbender (*Cryptobranchus alleganiensis bishopi*), Leopard Darter (*Percina pantherina*), Ozark Cavefish (*Amblyopsis rosae*), Pallid Sturgeon (*Scaphirhynchus albus*), Yellowcheek Darter (*Etheostoma moorei*), Arkansas Fatmucket (*Lampsilis powellii*), Curtis Pearlymussel (*Epioblasma curtisii*), Fat Pocketbook (*Potamilus capax*), Louisiana Pearlshell (*Margaritifera hembeli*), Neosho Mucket (*Lampsilis rafinesqueana*), Ouachita Fanshell (*Cyprogenia sp. cf. aberti*), Ouachita Rock Pocketbook (*Arcidens wheeleri*), Pick Mucket (*Lampsilis abrupta*), Rabbitsfoot (*Theliderma cylindrica*), Salamander Mussel (*Simpsonia ambigua*), Scaleshell Mussel (*Potamilus leptodon*), Snuffbox Mussel (*Epioblasma triquetra*), Speckled Pocketbook

(*Lampsilis streckeri*), Spectaclecase (*Cumberlandia monodonta*), Winged Mapleleaf (*Quadrula fragosa*), American Burying Beetle (*Nicrophorus americanus*), Monarch Butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*), Benton County Cave Crayfish (*Cambarus aculabrum*), Hell Creek Cave Crayfish (*Cambarus zophonastes*), geocarpon (*Geocarpon minimum*), harperella (*Ptilimnium nodosum*), Missouri bladderpod (*Physaria filiformis*), and pondberry (*Lindera melissifolia*). The official species list is attached. This project will have “no effect” on the aforementioned federally listed species due to the limited scope of the action, lack of suitable habitat, and distance to known species locations.

The Alligator Snapping Turtle is currently a proposed threatened species, the Tri-colored Bat is a proposed endangered species, and the Monarch Butterfly is a candidate species; however, the proposed projects will not jeopardize the continued existence of any of these species.

These projects would not have a discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States; therefore, a Section 404 permit will not be required.

Attachments

c: Program Management
Right of Way
Roadway Design
District 1-10
FHWA

JF:DH:fc

District	New Job Number	Previous Job Number	FAP	Job Name	County	Route/Section	Scope	Length of Job (mi.)
1	A10027	110740	STPR-0018(59)	I-555 - Hwy. 64 (S)	Crittenden	77/5	Thin Overlay (LM 0-1.90; LM 10.14-12.74); 1" Level Up & Overlay (LM 1.90 - 7.21); & 1" Level Up & Overlay w/ UTBWC (LM 7.21-10.14)	12.74
1	A10028	110746	STPR-0018(65)	Hwy. 50 - Hwy. 70 (S)	Crittenden	147/1	UTBWC	10.11
1	A10029	110750	STPR-0019(53)	Hickory Ridge - Gum Slough (S)	Cross	42/2	Spot leveling & 1.5" Overlay, Add 2' Shoulders	3.56
1	A10031	110757	NHPP-3954(1)	Hwy. 49 - Hwy. 243 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Lee & Phillips	1/8, 9, 9B & 10	Fog Seal (Sec. 8, Sec. 9 LM 0-6.14, Sec. 10), Mill & Overlay (Sec. 9 LM 6.14-9.32), UTBWC (Sec. 9B), Rumble Strips	18.62
1	A10034	110774	NHPP-0048(44)	Prairie Co. Line - Hwy. 79B (S)	Monroe	79/13	1" Level Up & UTBWC	4.38
1	A10036	110779	HSIP-STPR-0054(33)	Hwys. 44 & 318 Impvts. (Phillips Co.) (S)	Phillips	44/3 318/ 3	Spot Leveling & 1.5" Overlay, 2' Shoulders (Hwy. 44); Level Up & 2" Overlay (Hwy. 318)	11.47
1	A10037	110781	NHPP-0054(34)	Hwy. 39 - Hwy. 1 (Sel. Sec.) (S)	Phillips	49/10	1" Level Up & UTBWC	2
1	A10038	110784	STPR-0054(35)	Co. Rd. 300 - Hwy. 1 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Phillips	242/0 & 1	UTBWC; 2' Shoulders	9.88
1	A10039	110793	STPR-0074(40)	Hwy. 260 - Hwy. 64 (S)	Woodruff	33/7	1" Level & UTBWC; 2' Shoulders	3.03
1	A10040	110794	STPR-0074(41)	Prairie Co. Line - Hwy. 17 (S)	Woodruff	38/2	UTBWC	6.26
1	A10041	110795	STPR-0074(42)	North of Hunter - Monroe Co. Line (S)	Woodruff	49/7	2" Overlay	7.1
2	A20026	020735	STPR-0002(52)	Crossett - Fountain Hill (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Ashley	8/13 82/8 133/1	2" Overlay (Hwy. 133 LM 5.359-7.081); 1.5" Level & 2" Overlay (Hwy. 8; Hwy. 133 LM 10.764-15.05); 2" Mill & Overlay/Inlay (Hwy. 82); 2" Mill & Inlay (Hwy. 133 LM 0-1.1)	13.2
2	A20027	020742	NHPP-0022(46)	Ashley Co. Line - Monticello (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Drew	425/3 & 4	1" Level Up & Overlay (Sec. 3); Mill & Inlay (Sec. 4)	11.99
2	A20029	020756	NHPP-0040(42)	Star City - Jefferson Co. Line (S)	Lincoln	425/5 & 6	Mill & Inlay/Overlay	13.8
3	A30028	030560	STPR-0031(41)	Hwy. 70 - Center Point (S)	Howard	278/3	1" Level Up & Overlay; Add 2' Shoulders	9.4
3	A30029	030562	STPR-0041(52)	Ashdown - Hwy. 317 (S)	Little River	32/3	1" Level Up & Overlay with Patching	7
3	A30031	030567	NHPP-9414(45)	Hwy. 296 North & South (State Line Rd.) (Texarkana) (S)	Miller	71/3	Mill & Overlay	1.33
3	A30032	030569	STPF-0046(53)	I-49 - East (S)	Miller	196/1	UTBWC; Rumble Strips	3.95
3	A30033	030570	STPR-0050(37)	Hwy. 371 - Hwy. 29 (S)	Nevada	19/5	Mill & Inlay (LM 0-0.19); 2" Overlay (LM 0.19-2); 2" Mill & Overlay (LM 2-8.59); Rumble Strips	8.59

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3	A30034	030571	NHPP-0050(39)	I-30 - East (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Nevada	24/5 371/4	Mill & Inlay/Overlay (Sec. 4), 1" Level Up & Overlay (Sec. 5)	15.85
3	A30035	030574	STPR-0050(41)	Hwy. 371 - Ouachita Co. Line (S)	Nevada	278/7	1" Mill & 2" Overlay	10.76
3	A30036	030578	STPR-5055(1)	Hwy. 29 - North (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Nevada & Pike	19/5 & 6	1" Level Up & Overlay; Rumble Strips	4.03
4	A40028	N/A	NHPP-9150(44)	Hwy. 71B Preservation (Towson Ave.) (Fort Smith) (S)	Sebastian	71/14B	Mill & Overlay	3.8
4	A40030	040838	STPF-0065(64)	Hwys. 64, 253 & 271 Impvts. (Fort Smith) (S)	Sebastian	64/1 253/2 271/1	Concrete Patching, Joint Sealing (Hwy. 64); 2" Mill & 5" Concrete Iverlay (Hwys. 253 & 271); Rumble Stripes	2.83
4	A40031	040842	STPF-0072(74)	Fayetteville - Hwy. 412 (S)	Washington	112/1	1" Level Up & Overlay	4.31
4	A40035	040880	STPF-0072(76)	Hwy. 170 - Hwy. 71B (S)	Washington	71/16	2" Mill & Overlay/Inlay	8.15
4	A40036	040881	STPR-0072(77)	Crawford Co. Line - Hwy. 74 (S)	Washington	71/16	Mill & Overlay	6.97
4	A40037	040884	STPF-0017(54)	I-40 - Hwy. 282 (S)	Crawford	71/15	UTBWC (LM 0-1.18); 2" Overlay (LM 1.18-4.18)	4.18
4	A50026	050438	NHPP-0025(26)	Hwy. 342 - Sharp Co. Line (S)	Independence	63/1	Level & Thin Overlay	11.92
5	A50027	050440	STPSC-9026(10)	Hwy. 167 - Hwy. 394 (Batesville) (S)	Independence	69/3	UTBWC	2.99
5	A50028	050441	NHPP-0032(42)	Hwy. 25 - Hwy. 394 (Batesville) (S)	Independence	167/18	Level & UTBWC; Rumble Strips	1.99
5	A50029	050444	HSIP-STPR-0033(31)	Hwy. 69 - Hwy. 56 (S)	Izard	9/13	2" Mill & 2" Overlay	36.88
5	A50031	050458	STPR-0069(24)	Hwy. 9 - Independence Co. Line (S)	Stone	14/7	Level & UTBWC' 2' Shoulders (LM 5.85-22.18)	22.18
5	A50032	050461	STPR-0073(93)	Hwy. 67 - Hwy. 5 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	White	31/4	Spot Level & UTBWC w/ Spot Patching (LM 3.859-4.233); Spot Level & UTBWC (LM 13.0-19.92)	7.89
5	A50033	050465	STPF-0073(94)	Hwy. 67B - Hwy. 13 (S)	White	367/15	Mill & Overlay; Rumble Strips	6.04
6	A60034	061652	HSIP-STPR-0026(49)	Sunshine - Hwy. 270 (S)	Garland	227/0	1" Leveling & UTBWC; 2' Shoulders	4.53
6	A60035	061657	STPR-0030(30)	Francois Rd. - Saline Co. Line (S)	Hot Spring	67/8	Rut Mill & Thin Overlay (LM 5.8-9.613); Rut Mill & 2" Overlay (LM 9.613-11.129); Rumble Stripes	5.33
6	A60036	061660	STPR-0043(54)	Hwy. 70 - Hwy. 236 (S)	Lonoke	15/11 89/1	Mill & Overlay	7.74
6	A60037	061665	STPR-0043(55)	Hwy. 70 - Hwy. 232 (S)	Lonoke	381/1	Patching, leveling & 2" Overlay	12.28
6	A60038	061666	HSIP-STPF-4360(5)	Cabot - Hwy. 107 (S)	Lonoke & Pulaski	89/1 & 2	Mill & Overlay (Sec. 1); Rut Mill & 2" Overlay, Add 2' Shoulders (Sec. 2)	6.13
6	A60039	061667	STPR-0059(21)	Monroe Co. Line - Hwy. 302 (S)	Prairie	33/5	Rut Mill & 2" Overlay; Add 2' Shoulders	5.45

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6	A60040	061668	NHPP-0059(22)	Arkansas Co. Line - Monroe Co. Line (S)	Prairie	79/12	Mill & Overlay	4.38
6	A60041	061672	NHPP-9315(65)	I-40 - McCain Blvd. (NLR) (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Pulaski	107/1	Mill & Inlay	0.86
6	A60042	061678	STPF-0062(61)	Hwy. 35 - Hwy. 5 (S)	Saline	183/1	Rut Mill & 2" Overlay (LM 0-6.37); Mill & Inlay (LM 6.37-8.83)	8.83
6	A60044	061819	STPR-0059(23)	Hwy. 38 - White Co. Line (S)	Prairie	11/10	Mill & Overlay (LM 0-1.159); Spot Level & Overlay (LM 1.159-11.339)	11.34
6	A60046	N/A	STPSC-9210(50)	Hwy. 70B - Hwy. 7 (Hot Springs) (S)	Garland	7/9S	2" Overlay	1.54
7	A70026	070529	STPR-1020(2)	Sparkman - Hwy. 51 (S)	Clark & Dallas	7/6 & 5	Spot Level & Overlay; Add 2' Shoulders	20.74
7	A70027	070548	STPR-0020(30)	Hwy. 9 - Fordyce (S)	Dallas	273/1	1" Level Up & Overlay with Patching	15.25
7	A70029	070556	NHPP-0070(54)	Columbia Co. Line - Airport Dr. (S)	Union	82/5	1" Level Up & Overlay with Joint Tape	10.75
7	A70030	070558	NHPP-0070(49)	Strong - Ouachita River (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Union	82/7	1" Level Up & UTBWC; Spot Leveling; Shoulder Patching; Rumble Strips	8.39
7	070537	N/A	HSIP-0013(23)	Hwy. 35 - Hwy. 63 (S)	Cleveland	114/0	Spot Leveling, Patching & 1.5" Overlay; Add 2' Shoulders	8.4
8	A80028	080640	STPLC-9095(48)	Hwys. 60, 64 & 65B Impvts. (Sel. Secs.) (Conway) (S)	Faulkner	60/0 64/8 65/9B	Mill & Inlay (Hwy. 60); Mill & Inlay/Overlay (Hwy. 64 & 65B); Rumble Stripes	9.43
8	A80030	080680	STPSC-9379(33)	Lake Dardanelle State Park - Hwy. 7 (Russellville) (S)	Pope	326/1	Resurfacing; Shoulder Widening (where applicable)	5.11
8	A80031	080698	STPF-1553(6)	Hwys. 9 & 64 Impvts. (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Conway & Perry	9/6, 7, & 8 64/7	2" Mill & 2" Overlay	36.88
8	A80032	080708	NHPP-0058(65)	Hwys. 247, 331 & 363 Impvts. (Pottsville & Russellville) (S)	Pope	247/0 331/1 363/1	UTBWC (Hwy. 247); Mill & Inlay (Hwy. 331); 2" Mill & Overlay (Hwy. 363)	9.19
8	A80034	040911	STPR-0042(21)	Hwy. 23 - Carbon City (S)	Logan	22/3	2" Mill & Overlay	3.3
9	A90024	090592	HSIP-STPR-0004(93)	Hwys. 16 & 59 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Benton	16/1 59/2	2" Overlay (Hwy. 59 & Hwy. 412 Ramps); 2" Overlay & 2' Shoulders (Hwy. 16); Rumble Strips/Stripes	12.92
9	A90025	090608	NHPP-0005(55)	Hwy. 65B - Maxie Camp Rd. (S)	Boone	62/2	UTBWC	4.26
9	A90026	090612	STPR-0008(51)	Hwy. 62 - Missouri State Line (S)	Carroll	143/1	2" Overlay; Leveling & Minor Patching; 2' Shoulders (LM 0.00-2.30)	10.08
9	A90027	090615	NHPP-0045(44)	W. of Hwy. 202 - E. of Hwy. 14 (Yellville) (S)	Marion	62/8 & 9	2" Overlay	2.45
9	A90028	090617	STPR-0051(29)	Johnson Co. Line - North (S)	Newton	21/2	UTBWC	11.8

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9	A90029	090619	STPR-0064(18)	Van Buren Co. Line - Hwy. 65 (S)	Searcy	27/16	UTBWC; Leveling & Patching	23.4
9	090602	N/A	HSIP-0005(58)	Harrison - Lead Hill (S)	Boone	7/20	Mill & Overlay (LM 3.76-9.15); 2" Overlay, Leveling & Patching (LM 9.15-19.15); 2' Shoulders	15.4
10	A00058	101069	STPR-0016(96)	Monette - Missouri State Line (S)	Craighead	139/1	Leveling & Thin Overlay	6.92
10	A00059	101074	HSIP-STPR-0016(92)	Co. Rd. 150 - W. of Co. Rd. 132 (S)	Craighead	91/2	Leveling & Thin Overlay; 2' Shoulders	4.67
10	A00061	101081	NHPP-1656(6)	Hwy. 226 - Hwy. 14 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Craighead & Poinsett	49/4 & 5	Leveling & 2" Overlay; Rumble Strips	14.31
10	A00062	101086	NHPP-0028(68)	Hwy. 49 - Hwy. 412B (S)	Greene	412/9	UTBWC (LM 0-2.68); UTBWC w/ Leveling (LM 2.68-5.32)	5.32
10	A00063	101094	STPR-0047(92)	Hwys. 77 & 140 Impvts. (Mississippi Co.) (S)	Mississippi	77/2 140/2	Level Up & 2" Overlay, 2' Shoulders (Hwy. 77); 1" Level Up & Overlay (Hwy. 140)	5.92
10	A00065	101104	STPR-0056(65)	Hwy. 163 - I-555 (S)	Poinsett	14/14	Leveling & Thin Overlay	13.4
10	A00066	101105	STPF-0056(62)	Hwy. 214 - Cross Co. Line (S)	Poinsett	49/5	Leveling & Thin Overlay; Rumble Stripes	3.1
Inter-District	AX0005	012363	STPR-1323(3)	Big Creek - Hwy. 425 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	Cleveland & Drew	35/5, 6, & 7	Spot Level & 2" Overlay; Add 2' Shoulders (Sec. 5)	17.58
Inter-District	AX0006	012473	STPF-4472(1)	Hwy. 265 - Hwy. 412B (S)	Madison & Washington	45/5 & 6	2" Mill & 2" Overlay	16.36

ARDOT ENVIRONMENTAL VERIFICATION CHECKLIST FOR CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL IMPACTS

ARDOT Job See Table FAP See Table
Job Title See Table

Environmental Resource	None	Minimal	Major	Comments
Air Quality	X			No MSAT analysis required
Cultural Resources	X			CR clearances attached
Economic	X			No impacts anticipated
Endangered Species	X			No Effect determination
Environmental Justice/Title VI	X			No impacts anticipated
Fish and Wildlife	X			No impacts anticipated
Floodplains	X			No impacts anticipated
Forest Service Property	X			None in project area
Hazardous Materials/Landfills	X			No impacts anticipated
Land Use	X			No new ROW or TCE required
Migratory Birds	X			No impacts anticipated
Navigation/Coast Guard	X			None in project area
Noise Levels	X			No impacts anticipated
Prime Farmland	X			No impacts anticipated
Protected Waters	X			No impacts anticipated
Public Recreation Lands	X			No impacts anticipated
Public Water Supply/WHPA		X		WHP SP (See Remarks)
Relocates	X			No relocations
Section 4(f)/6(f)	X			No impacts anticipated
Social	X			No impacts anticipated
Underground Storage Tanks	X			No impacts anticipated
Visual	X			No impacts anticipated
Streams	X			WPC SP (See Remarks)
Water Quality	X			WPC SP (See Remarks)
Wetlands	X			None in project area
Wildlife Refuges	X			None in project area

Section 401 Water Quality Certification Required? No
Short-term Activity Authorization Required? No
Section 404 Permit Required? No Type None

Remarks: .

WPC SP: A30028, A50029, 070537, A80032, A80030, A90024, A90026, & 090602

WHP SP: A20023

Signature of Evaluator *David E. Henry* Date 11/30/2023