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Ribbon-cutting today for Farm Road 151 improvements

The Greene County Highway Department will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony for recent improvements on Farm Road 151 (Grant Avenue) Tuesday, April 14, 2 p.m., just north of Springfield city limits.

The project, completed in March, included widening more than a mile of Farm Road 151 to three lanes, as well as the addition of sidewalks, curb and gutter, between Farm Road 96 (Lyon's Road) and Farm Road 102 (Stagecoach Road.) The project also upgraded box culverts and storm drainage along Davis Branch, which runs beneath Farm Road 151.

The \$3.3 million project was designed by Mathews & Associates, Inc.; built by Leo Journagan Construction Co., Inc.; and paid for with Greene County Road & Bridge funds.

The ceremony takes place at the entrance to Custom Protein Corp. (formerly Southwest By-Products,) 3453 N. Farm Road 151, Springfield.

For more information, call Dan Smith, Greene County Highway Administrator, at 417-831-3591, or Jenny Fillmer Edwards, Greene County Public Information Officer, at 417-829-6019 or 417-379-5713.

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