Established in 1867, Little River County, Arkansas, has been a haven of natural beauty and a region renowned for an abundance of fish and game throughout its history. Always rich in natural resources, Little River County boasts abundant water from its many lakes and rivers, fertile farming soil, vast timberlands, and natural limestone. Over the years, major industries have located to Little River County because of its ample and affordable resources, but the region remains an unspoiled beauty and has balanced prosperity and progress with preservation.

Today, Little River County is a thriving mix of international industry, southern hospitality and unending outdoor recreation. The citizens of Little River towns such as Ashdown, Foreman, Ogden, Wilton, and Winthrop enjoy a rare and relaxing quality of life.

With its natural resources, ample and affordable resources, paired with its creative, diverse, and dedicated people, Little River County could take advantage and benefit from the services of the Arkansas Procurement Assistance Center.

**County Highlights**

**Little River County**

Ouachita District

**County Statistics**

- Population (2014 estimate): 12,532
- Land area (square miles): 532
- % of high school graduates: 83.4
- % with bachelor's degree or higher: 10.6
- Mean travel time to work (minutes): 23.4
- Median household income: $39,673
- Persons below poverty level: 14.0%
- Total number of firms: 863
- Retail sales per capita: $6,846

Source: United States Census Quickfacts

**Business Resources for Little River County**

- **Little River County Chamber of Commerce**
  http://www.littlerivercounty.org/

- **Arkansas Procurement Assistance Center**
  www.uaex.edu/APAC

- **Small Business & Technology Development Center (SBTDC)** – Southern Arkansas University, Magnolia
  https://web.saumag.edu/business/asbtdc/