

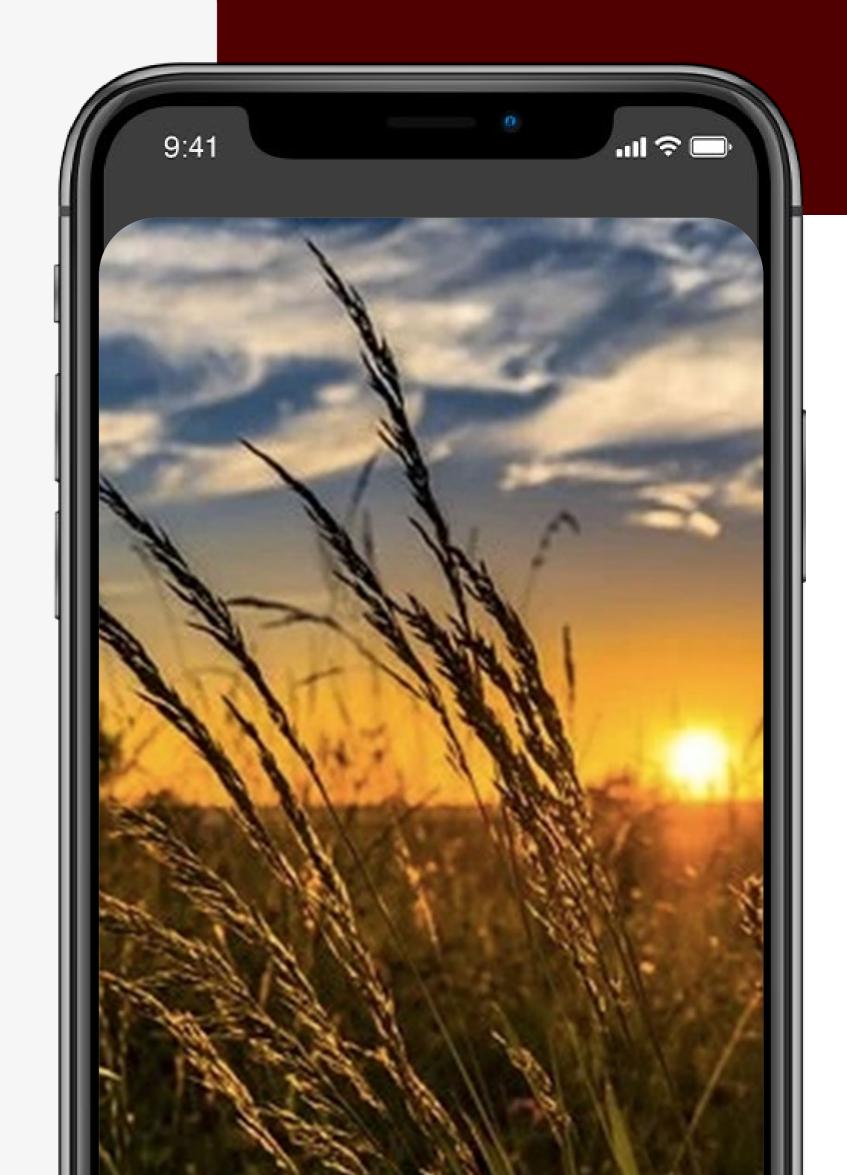
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## Fort Bend County

**Commissioners Court** 

Economic Development Department

----- Facilitated Discussion



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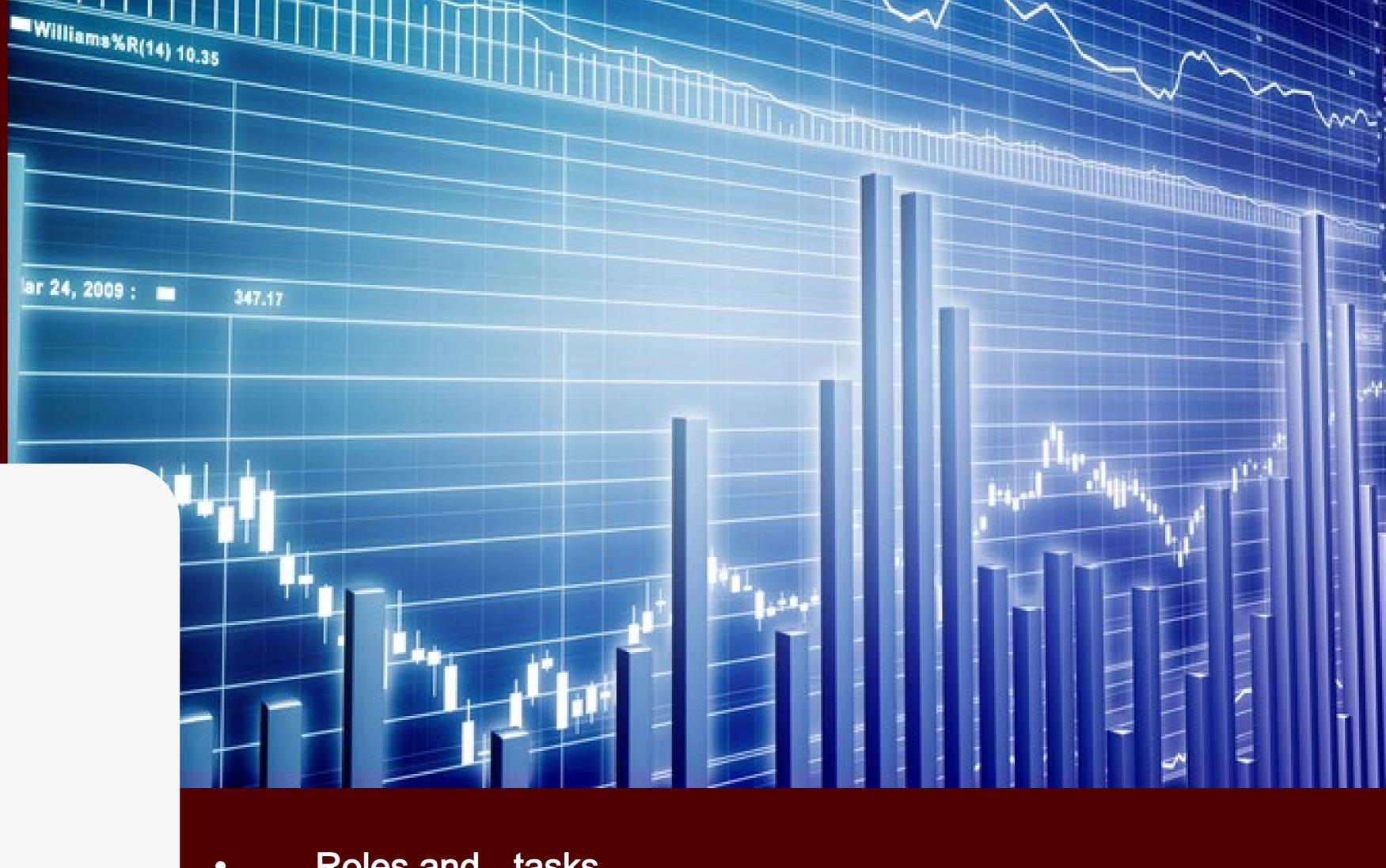


Setting a vision

- Introductions
- Discuss vision for Fort Bend County's economy



### Economic Development office charge



- Roles and tasks
- Interface with existing resources
- Metrics of success and expected outcomes



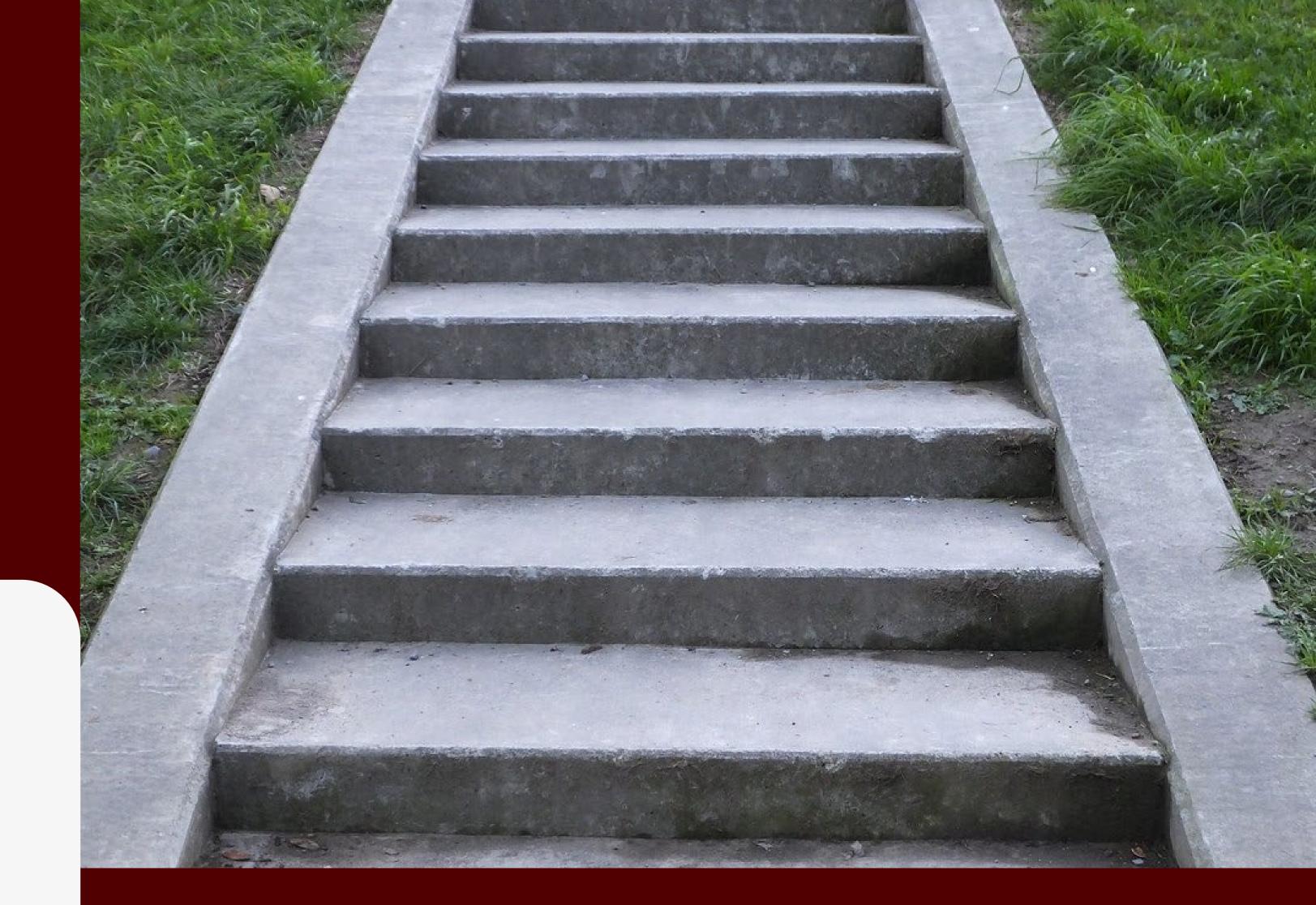
# Feasibility / Sustainability



- Functional effectiveness
- Funding
- Expected level of economic activity

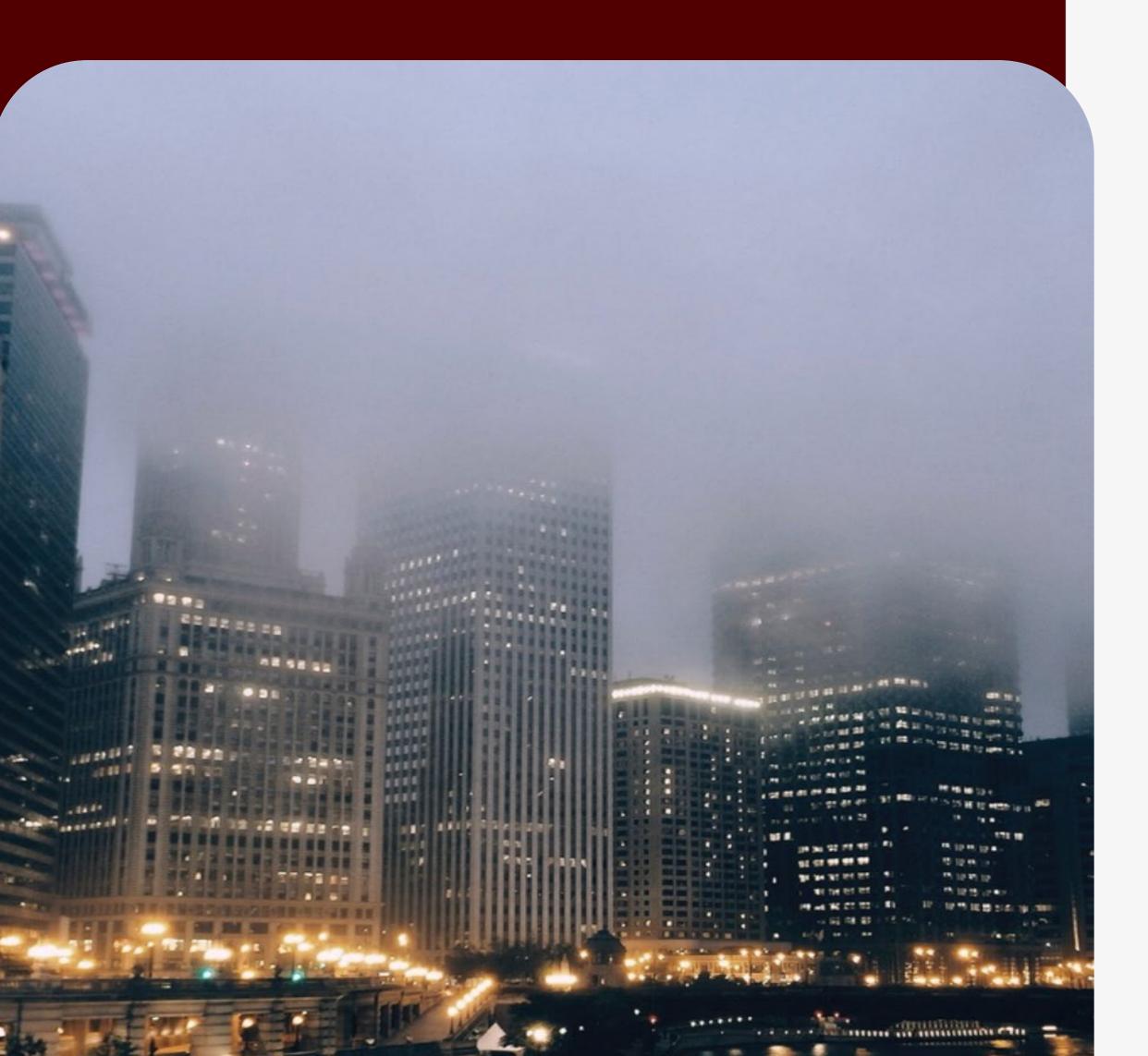


# What's next? Action Steps



- Steps to move forward
- Additional discussions
- Follow -up items and timelines





## Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

Helping Texans THRIVE

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Family and Community Health

4-H Youth Development

Community Economic Development