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**Career Ladder Level**: III

**Proficiencies:**
- 4-H Livestock
- Forage
- Wildlife Management
- Community Development
Jackson (120)
Physical Location: 411 North Wells, Room 111, Edna, TX 77957
http://jackson.agrilife.org/

Population: 14,805

County Judge: Jill Sklar
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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Wayne Hunt
PCT 2: Wayne Bubela
PCT 3: Johnny Belicek
PCT 4: Dennis Karl
CEA-Agriculture and Natural Resources (County Coordinator)

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Career Ladder Level: IV
Proficiencies:
- Beef & Forage Production
- Crop Production
- Horticulture

CEA-Family and Community Health

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Bachelor of Science: Health Science, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi
Master of Science:
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
- Health & Wellness
- Youth Education
- Nutrition
Karnes (128)

Physical Location: 210 W. Calvert, Suite 160, Karnes City, TX 78118
http://karnes.agrilife.org/

Population: 15,187

County Judge: Wade Hedtke
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Commissioner's Court:
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PCT 2: Benny Lyssy
PCT 3: Sean O’Brien
PCT 4: Sharon Chesser
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**Career Ladder Level**: I
**Proficiencies**:
- Child Passenger Safety
- Mental Health First Aid
- Diabetes Education

CEA-Agriculture and Natural Resources
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**Career Ladder Level**: I
**Proficiencies**:
- 4-H & Youth Leadership
- School Curriculum Enrichment
- Beef Cattle
Lavaca (143)
Physical Location: 300 S. LaGrange St., Hallettsville, TX 77964
http://lavaca.agrilife.org/

Population:
20,062

County Judge:
Tramer J. Woytek

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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Edward Pustka
PCT 2: Ronald Berckenhoff
PCT 3: Frankie Bates
PCT 4: Dennis Kocian
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Career Ladder Level: II
Proficiencies:
Beef & Forage Management
Horticulture Education
4-H Livestock Project Management

CEA-Family and Community Health
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Master of Science: Family & Child Studies, Texas State University
Doctor of Philosophy: Family & Consumer Sciences Education, Texas Tech University
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Matagorda (158)
Physical Location: 2200 7th St, 3rd Floor, Bay City, TX 77414
http://matagorda.agrilife.org/

Population: 36,840

County Judge: Nate McDonald
Phone Number: (979) 244-7605
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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Gary Graham
PCT 2: Kent Pollard
PCT 3: James Gibson
PCT 4: Charles “Bubba” Frick
CEA-Agriculture and Natural Resources (County Coordinator)

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Master of Science: Agriculture Development, Sam Houston State University
Doctor of Philosophy: Wildlife Ecology, Texas A&M University

Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Crops Management
Water Quality
Wildlife Ecology & Management
Emergency Management
Livestock & Forage
Horticulture & Landscape

CEA-Family and Community Health

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Master of Science: Agricultural Economics, University of Arkansas

Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Food Protection Management Certification
Health & Wellness
Elder Care

CEA-4-H & Youth Development

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Master of Education: Administration

Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Youth Mental Health First Aid
4-H Leadership

CEA-Coastal Marine Resources

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Master of Education: Student Affairs in Higher Education, Texas State University

Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Marine Organism ID & Biology
Commercial & Recreational Fishing
Coastal Ecosystems
Youth and Adult Informal Education
CEA-Disaster Assessment and Recovery

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Bachelor of Science:
Master of Science:
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Nueces (178)

Physical Location: 710 E. Main Ave., Suite 1, Robstown, TX 78380
http://nueces.agrilife.org/

Population: 361,221

County Judge: Barbara Canales
Phone Number: (361) 888-0444
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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Carolyn Vaughn
PCT 2: Joe A. Gonzalez
PCT 3: John Marez
PCT 4: Brent Chesney
CEA-Family and Community Health (County Administrator)

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Master of Science: Agriculture Science, Texas A&M University Kingsville

Career Ladder Level: II
Proficiencies:
Health & Wellness
Food & Nutrition
Family Studies

CEA-Agriculture and Natural Resources

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Bachelor of Science: Animal Production, Tarleton State University
Master of Science: Agriculture, Tarleton State University

Career Ladder Level: III
Proficiencies:
Row Crop Profitability
Beef & Forage Production
Ag Urban Leadership Advocacy
Ag Literacy

CEA-4-H & Youth Development

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Master of Education: Animal Science, Texas A&M University Kingsville

Career Ladder Level: II
Proficiencies:
Youth Leadership & Development
4-H Livestock
Youth Path to the Plate
Youth Curriculum Enrichment

CEA-Horticulture

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Bachelor of Science: Ornamental Horticulture, Texas Tech University
Master of Education: Education, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi

Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Horticultural Education
Master Gardeners
Master Naturalists
Youth Horticultural Education
Assistant EA
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Master of Education: Agr Leadership, Educ & Comm, Texas A&M University
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
4-H & Youth Development

EA-Health
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Master of Science: Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Healthy Lifestyle Education
Worksite Wellness
Physical Activity Programs
Diabetes Education

EA-Better Living for Texans
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Master of Science: Agriculture Science, Texas A&M University Kingsville
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Horticulture
Home & Community Garden

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Elementary Education—Early Childhood—6th Grade, Texas A&M Kingsville
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Nutrition Education & Food Safety (Certified Food Manager)
Health & Wellness
Program Management
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Master of Science: Human Sciences—Food Science & Nutrition, Texas A&M University Kingsville

Career Ladder Level: II

Proficiencies:
Nutrition Education (Certified Food Manager)
Program Management/Staff Supervision
Menu Planning and Preparation
Refugio (196)

Physical Location: 414B North Alamo Street, Refugio, TX 78377
http://refugio.agrilife.org/

Population:
7,224

County Judge:
Robert E. Blaschke

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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Ann Lopez
PCT 2: Stanley Drew Tuttle
PCT 3: Gary Bourland
PCT 4: Blaine Wolfshohl
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*Master of Science*: Agriculture Science, Texas A&M University Kingsville
*Career Ladder Level*: I
*Proficiencies*:
- 4-H & Youth Development/Livestock Project Management
- Meat Science
- Emergency Management

EA-Health
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*Career Ladder Level*: I
*Proficiencies*:
- Health & Wellness
- Food & Nutrition
- School Health Collaborations
- Diabetes Education

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*Career Ladder Level*: I
*Proficiencies*:
San Patricio (205)

Physical Location: 219 N. Vineyard St., Sinton, TX 78387
http://sanpatricio.agrilife.org/

Population:
67,215

County Judge:
David R. Krebs

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Commissioner's Court:
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PCT 2: Gary Moore, Sr.
PCT 3: Alma V. Moreno
PCT 4: Howard J. Gillespie
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Master of Science: Education Administration, Texas A&M University Corpus Christi
Career Ladder Level: V, Distinguished Extension Agent
Proficiencies:
Diabetes Education
Nutrition, Health & Wellness
Program Development (Planning, Implementing, Evaluation)

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Career Ladder Level: II
Proficiencies:
Crop Management
Livestock & Forage Production
Range & Pasture Management

CEA-4-H & Youth Development
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Master of Education: Administration
Career Ladder Level: II
Proficiencies:
4-H Livestock Project Management
School Enrichment Programs

EA-Better Living for Texans
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Master of Education: Literacy & Learning in Content Areas, Walden University
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Home and Community Vegetable Gardening
Nutrition Education
Gardening Education
Victoria (235)
Physical Location: 528 Waco Circle Drive, Victoria, TX 77904
http://victoria.agrilife.org/

Population: 92,084

County Judge: Ben Zeller
Phone Number: (361) 582-5871
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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Danny Garcia
PCT 2: Kevin Janak
PCT 3: Gary Burns
PCT 4: Clint Ives
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Master of Science: Agriculture/Education, Stephen F. Austin State University
Career Ladder Level: III
Proficiencies:
Range & Crop Management
Pesticide Education
Home Horticulture
Livestock & Forage Production & Management
Emergency Management
4-H Livestock Production

CEA-Family and Community Health
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Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
Food & Nutrition
Health & Safety
Youth Development
Diabetes Education
Food Protection Management Certified

CEA-4-H & Youth Development
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Master of Education:
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
4-H Livestock Project Management
School Enrichment Programs
Youth Leadership Development
Washington (239)

Physical Location: 1305 E. Blue Bell Rd., Suite 104, Brenham, TX 77833-2426
http://washington.agrilife.org/

Population: 35,043

County Judge:
John Durrenberger
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Commissioner's Court:
PCT 1: Don Koester
PCT 2: Candice Bullock
PCT 3: Kirk Hanath
PCT 4: Joy Fuchs
CEA-Agriculture and Natural Resources (County Coordinator)

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Master of Science: Animal Science—Physiology of Reproduction, Texas A&M University

Career Ladder Level: II

Proficiencies:
Livestock Production
Forage Management
Pond Management
4-H Livestock Projects

CEA-Family and Community Health

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Bachelor of Science: Kinesiology & Health Education, University of Texas
Master of Science: Family & Community Services, Oklahoma State University

Career Ladder Level: I

Proficiencies:
Food Safety
Food Preparation Techniques
Worksite Wellness
Youth Curriculum Enrichment

CEA-4-H & Youth Development

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Master of Education: Agricultural Development, Texas A&M University

Career Ladder Level: I

Proficiencies:
4-H Programs
Youth Leadership Development

EA-Cooperative Extension Program-Family & Community Health

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Master of Education: Education, Texas A&M University Kingsville

Career Ladder Level: I

Proficiencies:
Health & Wellness
Childhood Obesity
Parenting
EA-Disaster Assessment and Recovery
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Bachelor of Science: Agriculture Science, Texas A&M University Kingsville
Master of Science: Agriculture Leadership, Education and Communication, Texas A&M University

Career Ladder Level: I

Proficiencies:
Wharton (241)
Physical Location: 315 E. Milam St., Suite 112, Wharton, TX 77488
http://wharton.agrilife.org/

Population: 41,968

County Judge: Phillip Spenrath
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Commissioner's Court:
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PCT 2: Rusty Graves
PCT 3: Steven Goetsch
PCT 4: Doug Mathews
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Master of Science: Animal Science, Texas Tech University
Career Ladder Level: III
Proficiencies:
- Range Management
- Water Quality
- Pesticide Training & Disposal
- Wildlife Ecology & Management
- Livestock & Forage Production & Management
- Crops Management
- Farm Pond Management
- Emergency Management
- Youth Market Poultry

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Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
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Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
- 4-H & Youth Leadership
- 4-H Livestock Project Management
- 4-H Photography Project
- Livestock Judging Contest Management

EA-Cooperative Extension Program-Family & Community Health
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Master of Education:
Career Ladder Level: I
Proficiencies:
- Fostering Strong Families
- Childhood Obesity
- Nutrition
- Financial Management
EA-Integrated Pest Management

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Master of Science: Entomology, Texas A&M University

Career Ladder Level: I

Proficiencies:
Crop Management
Crop Pest Threshold Management