



**EARLY VOTING**  
**FEBRUARY 20th-**  
**MARCH 1st, 2024**  
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**ELECTION DAY**  
**MARCH 5,**  
**2024**

Allow me to begin by saying what an honor it is to be YOUR candidate for Sheriff of Willacy County. I believe my years of experience in various roles throughout OUR communities and county have allowed me to gain knowledge, accountability, structure, and transparency. This does not happen by one person doing all the work, it happens when a team of individuals seek the BEST FOR THE COUNTY and VALUE TAX PAYER DOLLARS. Technology is a key factor in what we do everyday, but it will NOT REPLACE the relationships we personally make with OUR communities and county partners. We are READY to go back to the basics of law enforcement and serve the residents of Willacy County. We are READY to go with new ideas and new strategies to bring the BEST law enforcement practices to YOU. I have dedicated my entire adult life to serving OUR communities and county. I humbly ask for YOUR SUPPORT in electing me, to represent Willacy County as YOUR next Sheriff. --Ben Vera

**DEDICATED TO COMMUNITIES & COUNTY**

- Son of Emilio & Connie Vera
- Serving Willacy County as Constable for Precincts 3,9,&11 (24 Yrs.)(Current)
- Investigator for Willacy County District Attorney's Office (6 Yrs.)(Current)
- Active EMT/First Responder for Willacy County EMS (32 Yrs.)(Current)
- Active Volunteer Firefighter/Fire Chief City of Lyford (14 Yrs. Combined)(Current)
- Emergency Management Coordinator for City of Lyford (3 Yrs.)(Current)
- Patrolman/ K-9 Handler Raymondville Police Department (Past)
- Texas Peace Officer (30 Yrs.)(Current)
- Emergency Medical Technician (32 Yrs.)(Current)
- Life Long Resident of Lyford, Texas Willacy County (52 Yrs)
- Owner Of Envy Designs in Raymondville, Texas (15 Yrs.)

**COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

- Vice President/Director for City of Lyford Economic Development Corporation (8 yrs )(Current)
- Director for City of Raymondville Economic Development Corporation (Current)
- Director/ Treasurer for Raymondville Chamber of Commerce Serving Willacy County (15 Yrs.)(Current)
- Executive Director for Cameron & Willacy Counties Children's Advocacy Center (Monica & Maggie's House)(Current)
- Director for Tropical Texas Behavioral Center Board of Trustees serving The Rio Grande Valley (Current)
- Donor to the Willacy County Livestock Show & Fair, Cook-Off, and Syndicate (Current)
- Donor to various churches, community boards, private, public, and civic organizations (Consistently)
- Director for CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children)(Past)
- Director for Willacy & Cameron Counties Tobacco Coalition (Past)
- Knights of Columbus Lyford, Texas (Past)