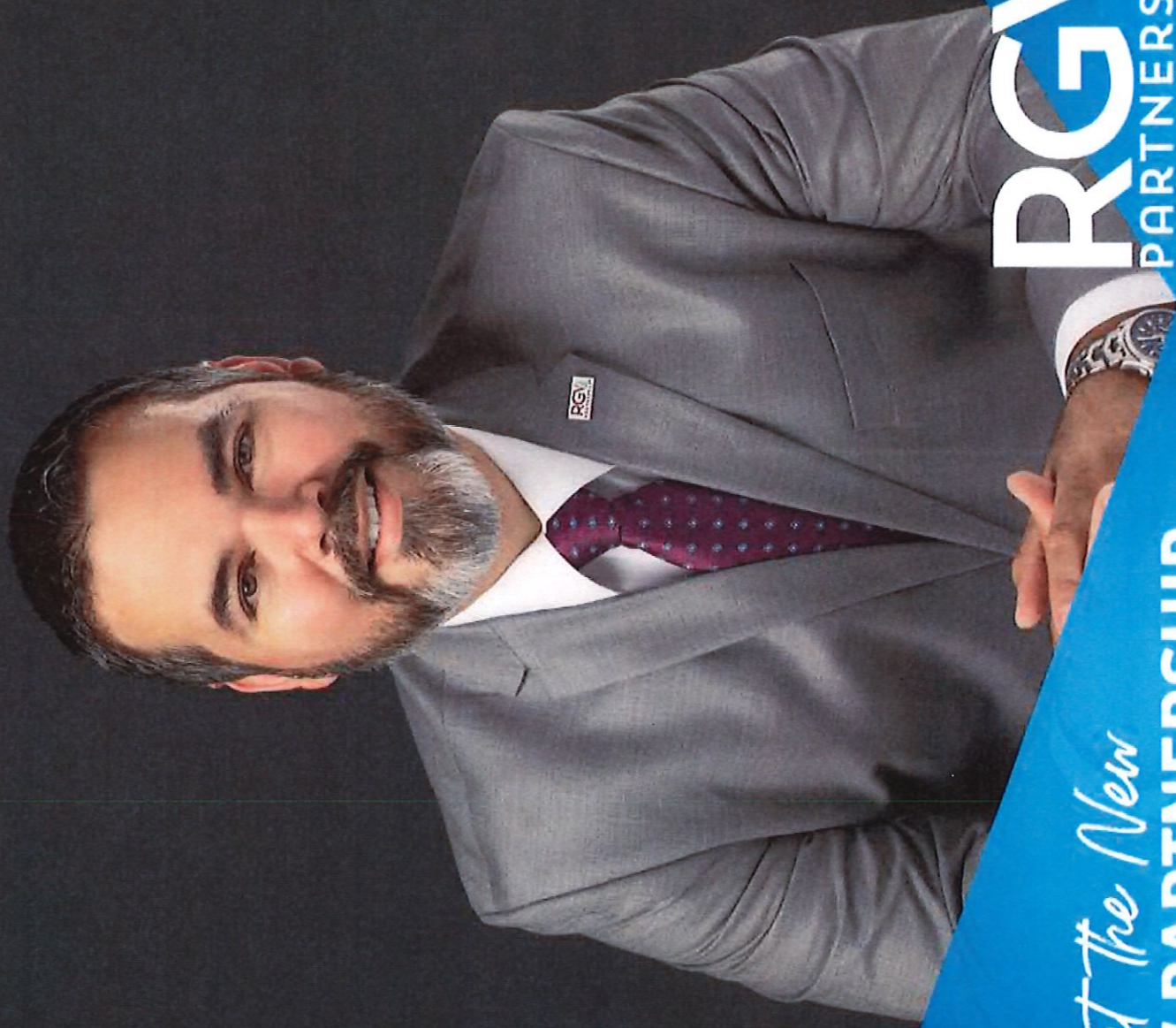


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We would like to officially welcome Daniel Silva as the new President /CEO of the Rio Grande Valley Partnership. We are very lucky to have him as part of our organization. Prior to joining the RGV Partnership, Daniel worked for almost 20 years at the Mission EDC in various capacities, most recently as CEO and COO. As CEO, he created workforce, technology, and entrepreneurship programs to serve Mission and its surrounding areas.

Daniel has also served as the Executive Director of the Mission Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone and as a Director on the Boards of several local organizations. He currently serves on the Boards for Texas Science and Engineering FAIR, Teach for America, Texas Alliance for I-69, and Border Trade Alliance. He has coordinated and participated in support of legislative initiatives for the Rio Grande Valley. Among those initiatives, Daniel was directly involved in the passing of legislation that allowed Computer Science to be taken as a core curriculum course in high school.

Daniel holds a Bachelor of Business Administration in Computer Information Systems and Quantitative Methods as well as a Master of Public Administration from the University of Texas Pan American. He holds the following industry recognized credentials; Economic Development Finance Professional (EDFP), Professional Community and Economic Developer (PCED) and Certified Public Manager (CPM).



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