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# *What is Vermilion Economic Development Alliance?*

Structure

Funding

Mission

Board



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# *Who is Anne Falgout?*

Background

Work Experience

Expertise



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# *Stakeholders*

Chamber of Commerce, Tourist Commission, parish & municipal governments

Community organizations

Local business community

Other regional economic development orgs – AEDC/One Acadiana



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# *Why Now?*

Vermilion Chamber of Commerce – Leadership Vermilion

FUEL – Young professional organization

Economic Development committee (police jury) evolution

Action agenda



# Vision

“Strategic Economic Development”

Better access to area resources –  
through training, visits, counseling

Evaluate SWOT

Review and rethink existing plans

