Modernizing a Legacy Institution: Maverick Bank's Transformation from Historic Community Bank to Regional Growth Leader

Maverick Bank is a 115-year-old West Texas community bank that has evolved from a small community bank into one of the region’s fastest-growing independent banks. Founded in 1911 as Fort Davis State Bank, the bank spent more than a century serving ranchers, agricultural businesses, small businesses, and local communities throughout the Big Bend region.

The bank's current chapter of growth began with an ownership change in 2022, when a new West Texas based ownership group, Maverick Bancshares, Inc., acquired the institution and made a deliberate commitment to preserve its Fort Davis roots while investing in the people, technology, infrastructure, and market expansion needed to build a modern West Texas based community bank. That ownership transition provided the strategic foundation for the bank's rebrand, Lubbock expansion, and broader regional growth plan.

In 2024, the bank rebranded as Maverick Bank signaling a broader growth strategy. The transformation included enhanced digital banking capabilities, expanded products and services, reduced fees, and entry into larger West Texas markets.

A major milestone was the bank's expansion into Lubbock. After opening a temporary location, Maverick Bank celebrated the grand opening of its permanent two-story 14,570 sf banking center at 12705 Quaker Avenue on March 31, 2026. The Lubbock expansion serves as a cornerstone of Maverick Bank's continued commitment to sustainable growth and community-focused banking.

Today, Maverick Bank operates throughout West Texas, including Lubbock, Odessa, Seminole, Levelland, Snyder, Alpine, Fort Davis, Presidio, and Monahans. Maverick Bank has grown to approximately $800 million in total assets.