



# City of Fort Bragg

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## Meeting Minutes Special City Council

*THE FORT BRAGG CITY COUNCIL MEETS CONCURRENTLY AS  
THE FORT BRAGG MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1  
AND THE FORT BRAGG REDEVELOPMENT SUCCESSOR  
AGENCY*

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Tuesday, February 16, 2021

5:30 PM

Via Video Conference

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### Special Meeting

#### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Norvell called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM, all Councilmembers appearing by video conference.

#### ROLL CALL

**Present:** 4 - Mayor Bernie Norvell, Vice Mayor Jessica Morsell-Haye, Councilmember Tess Albin-Smith and Councilmember Lindy Peters

#### 1. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON SPECIAL AGENDA ITEMS

#### 2. CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

- 2A.** [21-044](#) Conduct Interviews for Vacant City Council Seat and Consider Appointment of New City Councilmember

Mayor Norvell introduced ad hoc committee members Peters and Albin-Smith and outlined the procedure for how the interviews would be held. The candidates introduced themselves and gave a summary of their backgrounds and qualifications. Following the introductions, Councilmembers interviewed the nine candidates, asking five questions of each applicant.

**Mayor Norvell recessed the meeting at 7:25 PM; the meeting reconvened at 7:43 PM.**

An additional three questions were posed to the applicants following the recess.

Public Comment: None.

Deliberations: After a brief discussion, a motion was made, seconded and passed to appoint Marcia Rafanan Meadlin to the Fort Bragg City Council.

**A motion was made by Vice Mayor Morsell-Haye, seconded by Councilmember Peters, to appoint Marcia Rafanan Meadlin to fill the vacant seat on the Fort Bragg City Council until the November 2022 election. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 4 - Mayor Norvell, Vice Mayor Morsell-Haye, Councilmember Albin-Smith and Councilmember Peters

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Norvell adjourned the meeting at 8:44 PM.

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BERNIE NORVELL, MAYOR

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June Lemos, CMC, City Clerk

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