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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*

Monday, January 12, 2026

4:30 PM

Town Hall, 363 N Main Street
and Via Video Conference

Special Closed Session

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Godeke called the meeting to order at 4:32 PM.

ROLL CALL

Present: 4 - Mayor Jason Godeke, Vice Mayor Marcia Rafanan, Councilmember Tess Albin-Smith and Councilmember Lindy Peters

Absent: 1 - Councilmember Scott Hockett

1. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

None.

2. CLOSED SESSION

2A. [25-574](#) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION, Pursuant to Paragraph (1) of Subdivision (d) of Gov. Code Section 54956.9; City of Fort Bragg v. Mendocino Railway, Case No.: 21CV00850, Superior Court of Mendocino County, State of California

2B. [25-575](#) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION, Pursuant to Paragraph (1) of Subdivision (d) of Gov. Code Section 54956.9 SIERRA NORTHERN RAILWAY and MENDOCINO RAILWAY v. CITY OF FORT BRAGG, United States District Court Case No. 4:24-cv-04810-JST

Mayor Godeke recessed the meeting at 4:33 PM; the meeting was reconvened to closed session at 4:35 PM.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Godeke adjourned the meeting at 5:42 PM.

JASON GODEKE, MAYOR

Diana Paoli, City Clerk

IMAGED (_____)