



# 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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Monday, July 14, 2025

4:30 PM

Town Hall, 363 N Main Street  
and Via Video Conference

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### SPECIAL CLOSED SESSION

#### CALL TO ORDER

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

#### ROLL CALL

**Present:** 5 - Mayor Jason Godeke, Vice Mayor Marcia Rafanan, Councilmember Tess Albin-Smith, Councilmember Scott Hockett and Councilmember Lindy Peters

#### 1. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

Public Comment: Mary Sneider, Patricia Opaz, and Jacob Patterson.

#### 2. CLOSED SESSION

Mayor Godeke recessed the meeting at 4:40 PM; the meeting reconvened to Closed Session at 4:42 PM.

**2A.** [25-292](#) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - ANTICIPATED LITIGATION  
Initiation of Litigation Pursuant to Paragraph (4) of Subdivision (d) of Section 54956.9 (One Case)

**2B.** [25-293](#) 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 Railroad; SIERRA NORTHERN RAILWAY and MENDOCINO RAILWAY v. CITY OF FORT BRAGG, United States District Court Case No. 4:24-cv-04810-JST

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Godeke adjourned the meeting at 5:42 PM.

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JASON GODEKE, MAYOR

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Diana Paoli, City Clerk

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