



# 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, May 26, 2026

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 4:30 PM

#### 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

None.

#### 2. CLOSED SESSION

Mayor Godeke recessed the meeting at 4:31 PM; the meeting reconvened to closed session at 4:34 PM.

**2A.** [26-242](#) 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, Case No. 21CV00850, Superior Court of Mendocino County, State of California

**2B.** [26-243](#) 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

**2C.** [26-247](#) CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6: City Negotiator: Juli Mortensen, HR Manager & Sage Statham Broadband Director; Employee Organizations: Fort Bragg Employee Organization;

Mayor Godeke reconvened the meeting to open session at 5:55 PM and reported that no reportable action was taken on the closed session items.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Godeke adjourned the meeting at 5:55 PM.

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JASON GODEKE, MAYOR

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Diana Paoli, City Clerk

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