

CITY OF BOGATA

CALLED CITY COUNCIL MEETING AND BUDGET WORKSHOP

August 19, 2026 – 6:45 p.m.
Bogata Community Center
206 2nd St NW
Bogata, Texas 75417

Council Members may participate by telephone or video conference and may speak and vote on all agenda items consistent with the Texas Open Meetings Act.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Establish Quorum – Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation
4. Order of Business

The items on this agenda may be discussed and voted on in any order the presiding officer may prefer.

5. Public Comments / Public Forum

Citizens may speak on non-agenda items during the Public Forum. Consistent with the Texas Open Meetings Act, the City Council may not discuss or respond to non-agenda items except as permitted by law.

Public comments regarding agenda items may be made during the Public Forum or at the time the agenda item is called.

All comments are limited to three (3) minutes. Time may not be saved, transferred, or assigned. All speakers are expected to maintain proper decorum. Threats, personal insults, cursing, or profanity may result in forfeiture of the speaker's remaining time.

Citizens wishing to speak must complete a written request to speak and submit it to the City Secretary at least ten (10) minutes prior to the meeting.

- a. Citizen Comments on Non-Agenda Items
- b. Citizen Comments on Agenda Items

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

6. Bring from the Table – Lamar County Electric Cooperative Request to Install an Antenna on the City of Bogata North Water Tower

Discuss and consider possible action regarding the previously tabled request from Lamar County Electric Cooperative for permission to install an antenna on the City of Bogata North Water Tower.

7. Discuss and Consider Possible Action Regarding the Future of the City's Water Loan.
 8. Discuss and Consider Possible Action Regarding the Resignation of Councilwoman Teresa Allison, the Resulting Vacancy in City Council Seat 3, and the Appointment of a Qualified Person to Fill the Unexpired Term of City Council Seat 3.
 9. Bring from the Table – Reopening the Bogata Community Center for Rental. Discuss and consider possible action regarding the previously tabled matter concerning reopening the Bogata Community Center for public rental.
10. Discuss and Consider Possible Action Regarding Authorized Signers on City of Bogata Bank Accounts, Including the Addition and Removal of Signers as Follows:
- Accounts ending in 2880, 108, 5665, 8833, 3140, 5620, 6393, and 1895: Authorize Dakota Ross, Melissa Kerby, and Bobbie Jarvis as signers.
 - Accounts ending in 2880 and 108: Additionally authorize Evan McGroarty as a signer.
 - Accounts ending in 2880, 108, 5665, 8833, 3140, and 5620: Remove Teresa Allison as an authorized signer.
 - Accounts ending in 1895 and 6393: Remove Cecil “Tex” Loftin as an authorized signer.
12. Ratification of necessary purchase of tires for city equipment in the approximate amount of \$2000
13. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Changing the Date of the September 2026 Regular City Council Meeting from Monday, September 7, 2026, Due to the Labor Day Holiday, and Establishing a New Meeting Date.
14. Adjourn Called City Council Meeting

BUDGET WORKSHOP

1. Open Budget Workshop
2. Discuss Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2026–2027.
3. Discuss, Consider, and Take Possible Action Regarding Budget-Related Matters, Including Revisions to the Proposed Fiscal Year 2026–2027 Budget and Direction to City Staff Regarding Preparation of the Proposed Budget for Filing, Public Inspection, Posting, and Public Hearing as Required by Law.
4. Adjourn Budget Workshop

IX EXECUTIVE SESSION: The City does not routinely list Executive Session items. This provision has been added to the agenda with the intent of meeting all elements necessary to satisfy TEX GOVT CODE 551.144(c). The council may vote and/or act upon each of the items set out in this agenda. In addition, the City Council of the City of Bogata has the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any matter authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney); 551.072 (Personnel Matters) 551.076 (Deliberation regarding the deployment of security devices or the implementation of security policy; 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development negotiations).

X. ADJOURNMENT-

Attendance by Other Elected or Appointed Officials- NOTICE OF POTENTIAL QUORUM:

It is anticipated that members of City Council or other city board, commissions and/or committees may attend the meeting in numbers that may constitute a quorum of the other city boards, commissions and/or committees. Notice is hereby given that the meeting, to the extent required by law, is also notice as meeting of other boards, commissions and/or committees may participate in discussion on the same items listed on the agenda, which occur at the meeting, but no action will be taken by such in attendance unless such item and action is specifically provided for on an agenda for that board, commission or committee subject to the Texas Open Meetings Act.

This facility is wheelchair accessible, and accessible parking spaces are available. Individuals requiring auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall.

Certificate of Posting

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that this notice of meeting was posted on the front door at City Hall, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and on the City's website, in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, at least 3 business days prior to the scheduled time of the meeting.

Posted this 13 day of August, 2026 at 5:00 a.m. (p.m.)



Bobbie Jarvis, City Secretary
City of Bogata, Texas