

**TOWN OF BOGUE
COUNCIL MEETING
June 15, 2026**

The Town Council of Bogue met on Monday, June 15, 2026, at the Bogue Town Hall, 121 Chimney Branch Road.

Mayor Robert O'Chat called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Mayor O'Chat led the prayer.

Town Clerk Owens took roll call.

Council Members present were Mayor O'Chat, Councilmember Cannon, Councilmember Dale, Councilmember Parker, and Councilmember Taylor. Also, present Clerk Owens and Attorney Boggs. Councilmember Crose had an excused absence.

Agenda

Mayor O'Chat asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Councilmember Taylor made the motion to approve the agenda, Councilmember Dale seconded the motion, motion carried.

Minutes

Councilmember Dale made a motion to approve May 14, 2026, regular meeting minutes Councilmember Parker seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment

Mayor O'Chat asked if there was anyone signed up with public comment. Clerk Owens stated that no one had signed up to speak.

Unfinished Business

Mayor O'Chat stated there was no unfinished business to discuss.

New Business

Mayor O'Chat stated the first item for new business is for the budget amendment included in the packet. Clerk Owens said it is to make sure the budget balances for the end of the fiscal year.

Mayor O'Chat asked if there were any questions. Councilmember Cannon motioned to approve the budget amendment, Councilmember Dale seconded the motion, motion carried.

Mayor O'Chat stated the next item is the public hearing for the approval of the fiscal year 2026 – 2027 budget. Councilmember Dale made a motion to enter public hearing, Councilmember Cannon seconded the motion, motion carried. Public hearing began at 6:04 p.m. Mayor O'Chat asked if there were any questions. Councilmember Dale asked how the property taxes are paid. Clerk Owens stated they are paid monthly by direct deposit. Councilmember Taylor made a motion to come out of public hearing, Councilmember Dales seconded, motion carried. Public hearing ended at 6:06 p.m. Mayor O'Chat asked if there was a motion to adopt the fiscal year 2026 – 2027 budget. Councilmember Dale made the motion to adopt the fiscal year 2026 – 2027 budget, Councilmember Cannon seconded the motion to adopt the fiscal year 2026 – 2027 budget, motion carried with a four (4) to zero (0) vote. Mayor O'Chat stated the budget for fiscal year 2026 – 2027 is hereby adopted by the Town of Bogue.

Department Reports

Finance: Mayor O'Chat stated total cash funds are \$681,978.00

Budget: Clerk Owens stated that the sales tax has been received by the town through April, Property tax through April, vehicle tax through April and Utilities Franchise tax through the first quarter.

Planner: no report

ILA: Mayor O'Chat asked if there was anything new with the ILA. Councilmember Dale said nothing new. Mayor O'Chat stated the WCFD will be installing another sign at the water source located in Lake Arthur as a deterrent to people draining water without town or fire department approval.

Streets: Mayor O'Chat stated nothing new other than paving for Chimney Branch Road is complete.

Emergency Manager: no report.

Town Hall: Councilmember Dale no report.

Events: Councilmember Cannon and Councilmember Parker started to think of dates in December for the Santa Flight.

Miscellaneous Reports/Announcements

There are no miscellaneous reports/announcements.

Mayor O'Chat stated the next Town Council meeting is July 20, 2026.

Adjournment Council member Dale made a motion to adjourn, Council member Taylor seconded, town council meeting adjourned at 6:12 p.m. with a unanimous vote.

ROBERT O'CHAT, MAYOR

BARBARA OWENS, TOWN CLERK