

City of Bel Aire Budget Calendar – FY2026

March 2025

- Prepare the FY2026 Budget Calendar. Train Department Directors on the new budgeting software within ERP system and begin entering in department requests.

April 2025

- April 8th – Discuss FY2026 budget priorities/initiatives with City Council.
City Council Workshop 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall
- April 15th – April 30th Schedule Department Head budget meetings to review requests

May 2025

- May 13th – Finalize FY2026 Budget Priorities with City Council
City Council Workshop 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall

June 2025

- June 10th – Present First draft of FY2026 Budget.
City Council Workshop 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall
- June 16th – June 30th – Review first draft of FY2026 Budget with valuation estimates inserted. Meet with Department Directors to align department budgets with City Council priorities.

July 2025

- July 8th – Present City of Bel Aire valuation data from Sedgwick County – Present 2nd draft of FY2026 Budget.
City Council Workshop 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall

August 2025

- August 21st – Publish Revenue Neutral Rate Hearing Notice and FY2026 Budget Hearing Notice in the Ark Valley News (*can publish on September 4th if hearings need to be held on September 16th*)

September 2025

- September 2nd – Hold Revenue Neutral Rate Hearing, Hold the FY2026 Budget Hearing, Adopt the FY2026 Budget.
City Council Workshop 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall
- *September 16th - Hold Revenue Neutral Rate Hearing, Hold the FY2026 Budget Hearing, Adopt the FY2026 Budget if published on September 4th*
City Council Meeting 7:00 PM Bel Aire City Hall
- September 17th – Submit all FY2026 Budget documents to Sedgwick County Clerk's Office

October 2025

- October 1st – All FY2026 Budgets documents are certified by Sedgwick County.