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Dear Revere City Council,

I am thrilled to announce Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern MA (BBBSEM) coming to Revere. Starting in the Fall of 2023, BBBSEM will launch Big Futures Mentoring (BFM) at Revere High School. This one-on-one mentorship program will match 100 9th graders with a dynamic, caring, and supportive mentor. Students will be exposed to new pathways and local opportunities through events from local leaders, entrepreneurs, non-profits, and companies.

Revere needs 100 mentors by August 15<sup>th</sup> so I'm requesting time to present and have a powerful conversation about the potential we can unlock in Revere. #BiggerTogether #RHS #MentorshipMatters

I don't just want to make you aware of this awesome program, I also want you to get involved. Here's how you can help:

- RSVP for this info-session here: <https://emassbigs.org/cee/> - select the Revere City Council as the event option in the dropdown.
- If you're ready to Mentor our young people, please sign up here: <https://emassbigs.org/volunteer-inquiry/> (Mention Aka or BFM).
- Schedule some time to discuss with Aka (<https://bbbscrs.as.me/Aka>) to activate your network. Aka is BBBSEM's Director of Community Engagement and Partnerships - he and his team can answer questions, present to groups, and support you with signing up.
- Sign up to be a Mentor for Big Futures: <https://emassbigs.org/volunteer-inquiry/>. (Mention Aka or BFM)
- Refer someone awesome to be a Mentor: <https://emassbigs.org/refer-a-volunteer/> (Mention Aka or BFM)
- Watch this short clip to get inspired about mentorship: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U3\\_Xin-2NbA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U3_Xin-2NbA)

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