

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Broward County (BBBS) enables life-changing mentoring relationships to ignite the power and promise of youth in our community;

WHEREAS, investing in young people's futures pays off, with a social return on investment of \$18-to-1 through improved economic, health, and social outcomes for young people with mentors;

WHEREAS, by changing the course of young lives, we shape our community's social and economic future;

WHEREAS, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Broward County has created more than 1,500 mentoring matches each year by partnering with parents/guardians, volunteers and others in the community to help youth achieve: higher aspirations, greater confidence, better relationships, avoidance of risky behavior and educational success;

WHEREAS, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Broward's goal this year is to recruit enough volunteers to match every young person on our waitlist, as part of its Broward Bigger Better Stronger (BBBS) initiative;

WHEREAS, every citizen can learn more how they can help ignite the potential of youth in our community, by visiting www.bbbsbroward.org for information on mentoring.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tommy Ruzzano, Mayor of the City of Margate, do hereby proclaim September, 2020, as

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS MONTH

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the official seal of the City of Margate to be
affixed this 16th day of September 2020.



TOMMY RUZZANO, MAYOR

Vice Mayor Arlene R. Schwartz, Commissioner Antonio V. Arserio, Commissioner Anthony N. Caggiano, Commissioner Joanne Simone