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“Serving 600 children in 2006. Serving 1000 children in 2010.”

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Greater Seacoast (“BBBS”) announces that it is moving its offices to two new locations. The first location is in the West end of Portsmouth. Deb Anthony, Executive Director, announces that “We will be sharing the building currently housing Portsmouth Community Radio.” The address is 909 Islington Street and the office will house the administrative functions of BBBS in addition to programmatic offerings. The second location is expected to be a small office at the McConnell Center in Dover. BBBS will not be changing its programs as Stafford and Rockingham counties are both within its service area.

Anthony also stated that “The moves are directly related to funding.” Although BBBS has tripled the number of children served in Strafford County over the past three years, the only town in Strafford County supporting BBBS is Somersworth. Conversely, the County and Municipalities of Rockingham comprise 25% of the BBBS budget.

Bruce Crockett, Board President, added that: “The cities and towns of Rockingham County have asked for the physical presence of BBBS ever since our relocation to Dover three years ago.” BBBS looks forward to its move to the Portsmouth office and is grateful to King Real Estate for their support. BBBS hopes you will come visit them at their new Portsmouth anchor location.