



**BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS**  
*of Reno County*

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Tom Hymer  
The Growth Coach  
Hutchinson, KS

Hello Tom,

Thank you the opportunity to participate in your strategic coaching process. It was most useful because it got us to consider the important essential issues. The session was comfortable and non-threatening, and because of this, it set the stage for some deep thinking about setting priorities that make a difference in organizing each day.

Although your coaching program seems to be designed for business owners, I feel that I have gained some new skills that will help me as the director of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Reno County. We were able to consider things like family, relaxation, spiritual and community concerns and find a balance that makes sense.

The obvious benefit of your program is the on-going process of review and accountability. Making changes and becoming more focused is not easy, but your process provides a guidance system that keeps us on task each and every day.

We are looking forward to session two and again we're happy to be in The Growth Coach program.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director

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