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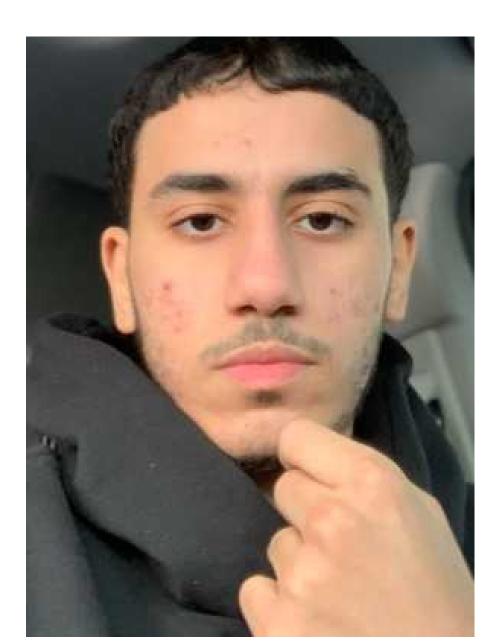
INDEPENDENT

Hello friends,

My name is Emad Benchekroun and I am of African American heritage. Being the older sibling of four, I have always made an effort to hold myself responsible as a role model. Needless to say, being a loving and affectionate brother is right up there in terms of importance.

"To act in a way that I could wish for my siblings to act." These are the words by which I take

action and I intend to transfer my experience as an older sibling to the senator position. As senator, I will take initiative to make the college experience at BMCC straightforward and manageable. Although college is not meant to be plain sailing, I believe it important to dispose of any extraneous hardship experienced by the student body. For instance, does the blackboard page for one of your classes feel unorganized or difficult to manage? Do you struggle meeting unreasonable deadlines? Maybe you find it hard to



get involved in extracurricular activities. I wish to voice your collective concerns and make everyone's experience here at BMCC as painless as possible.

I have set my sights on becoming a member of the Student Government Association at BMCC and being a voice for my fellow peers. Similarly, I sincerely hope from the bottom of my heart, that those of you reading this letter achieve what it is you have set your respective sights on.

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