



Town of Simsbury

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING AGENDA SUBMISSION FORM

1. **Date of submission:** *July 2, 2013*
2. **Date of Board Meeting:** *July 8, 2013*
3. **Individual or Entity making the submission:** *Peter N. Ingvertsen, Chief of Police*
4. **Action requested of the Board of Selectmen (Acceptance of gift, creation of reserve, approval of contract, information only, etc. Be as specific as possible with respect to the desired action of the Board.):**
The Individual or Entity making the submission requests that the Board of Selectmen: Accept receipt of a Police and Youth Grant in the amount of \$8,370., which will be used to fund a "Bowling with Badges" youth program. Chief Peter N. Ingvertsen will be named as the Town of Simsbury Official who is authorized to accept the Police and Youth Program OPM Grant # 11JJ438203, dated May 8, 2013 on behalf of the Town of Simsbury.
5. **Individual(s) responsible for submission (Please include complete contact information. The identified individual(s) should be prepared to present information to the Board of Selectmen at the Board Meeting.):**
Peter N. Ingvertsen, Chief of Police

6. **Summary of Submission** (Include in your summary (i) relevant dates and timelines; (ii) parties involved; (iii) a description of financial terms and conditions specifically identifying the financial exposure/commitment of the Town of Simsbury; (iv) whether or not contracts, licenses and other legal documents have been reviewed by the Town's counsel; and (v) other information that will inform the Board of Selectmen's consideration of your submission. Include any **additional** information in an attached memorandum.): *The department recently received notification that it has for the third time been awarded a Police Youth Grant, this year in the amount of \$8,370. which will be used for a "Bowling with Badges" youth program. This program will provide a great opportunity for area youth to interact with the police officers that serve their community in a role other than that of an authority figure and to see officers in an informal setting. The goal of this program is to help establish a connection between the youth of Simsbury and the members of the Simsbury Police Department. Participants in the program have a chance to see police officers in a different light. Participants will learn that a police officer is much more than just a law enforcer. They will see the officer in his/her role as an educator, counselor, mentor, and an approachable human being. Through this program, middle school aged children will feel more comfortable approaching patrol officers while they are out in the community. An additional positive outcome through this project is that those involved will take pride in their school, family, and community.*

7. **Description of documents included with submission** (All documents must be in final form and signed by the appropriate party.):
*The following documents are included with this submission and attached hereto:
Police Youth Grant Award Notification*

