



Hello, my name is Conor McKoy. I've been a member of Boy Scouts Troop 240 for the past five years and am now an Eagle Scout candidate. To earn Eagle Scout, one of the things a candidate must do is to propose a project that will benefit a community and/or an organization. All of the materials and assistance I will need to achieve my goal must be donated or volunteered.

I've chosen the community organization named, 'Part of the Solution' (aka P.O.T.S). POTS was established in the Bronx in 1982. It began as a soup kitchen but over the last three decades they have expanded their assistance to the men, women and children they serve with many additional services; these include, haircuts, counseling & medical service and a clothing closet program. I recently spoke with one of their representatives and was told that **they are in desperate need of men's clothing.**

Therefore, I am concentrating my Eagle Scout Project on setting up clothing collections boxes for the men in several schools and churches in my area starting the first week of November. I will collect and store the donated clothes each week. Volunteers from my troop will help me sort, pack and deliver the donations to POTS during the last week of November.

I will need your help to make this clothing collection a success. Please dig deep - into closets and drawers, ask your relatives and neighbors to find any items listed on the attached flier that will 'help me, help POTS'. If you have any questions about my project please contact me at mckoyc@gmail.com. If you want to know more about POTS check out their website at www.potsbronx.org.

Thank you in advance for your help.

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