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## Creation and Management

In 2005, George S. Yacoubian, Jr., founded the Society for Orphaned Armenian Relief (SOAR) ([www.soar-us.org](http://www.soar-us.org)) to honor his oldest daughter, Liliana, who was adopted from Armenia in the spring of 2006. In 2016, Liliana and her sisters, Sophie and Tessa, asked if they were limited to “only” helping orphaned Armenian children. To show the girls that charity should extend beyond one’s nationality, George founded Turkey Taxi, Inc. (EIN 36-4851053) as a way of helping people closer to home. Its mission is to deliver care packages on Thanksgiving to homeless citizens living on the streets of Philadelphia.





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# 2016 Distributions

In October 2016, preparations began for Thanksgiving morning distributions. Start-up costs totaling \$1,189.95, self-funded by George S. Yacoubian, Jr., included the following:

Web site development	\$500.00
Registration PA Dept. of State	\$195.00
Registration 501(c)(3)	\$400.00
Vistaprint (Miscellaneous supplies)	\$94.95

Several weeks prior to Thanksgiving 2016, we began assembling 74 care packages, which ultimately included: turkey sandwiches (turkey, cranberry sauce, stuffing on a hoagie roll); a piece of candy (Halloween leftovers!); bananas and mandarin oranges; bottled water; napkins; tissue packs; and oral hygiene supplies (toothbrush, toothpaste, floss). Associated costs are shown below.



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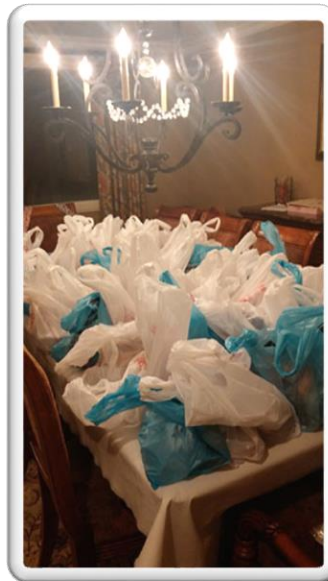
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### Care Package Costs

Turkey	\$82.25
rolls and bread	\$30.71
Cranberries	\$36.00
Stuffing	\$21.68
Chicken broth	\$11.94
Candy	\$21.94
Bananas/mandarins	\$39.07
Bottled water	\$6.66
Reynolds wrap foil	\$31.00
Napkins	\$12.50
Tissue packs	\$16.11
Giant bags	\$0.00
Oral hygiene supplies	\$0.00
Gas	\$35.00

<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>\$344.86</b>
<b>Total packages made</b>	<b>74</b>
<b>Per sandwich cost</b>	<b>\$4.66</b>



A total of 74 care packages were assembled, at a total cost of **\$344.86** (\$4.66 per package). While most of the items were purchased by the Yacoubians, the oral hygiene kits were donated by Dr. Richard Gregory, DDS (Berwyn, PA).

The sandwiches were prepared throughout the afternoon before Thanksgiving. We woke up at 5:00AM Thanksgiving morning, loaded the vehicle, and drove toward Philadelphia. Target areas included the Convention Center and Center City. The 74 care packages were distributed in less than one hour.



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## Conclusion

Turkey Taxi, Inc. was established in the fall of 2016 to provide care packages on Thanksgiving morning to the homeless living on the streets of Philadelphia. A total of 74 care packages were distributed, including turkey sandwiches, bottled water, fruit, candy, tissues, napkins, and oral hygiene supplies. If you have any questions about Turkey Taxi, our mission, or this report, please contact George S. Yacoubian, Jr., at (610) 213-3452 or [gyacoubian@turkeytaxi.org](mailto:gyacoubian@turkeytaxi.org).

