

## Monthly Update for December

Summary of Donations (in CAD)					
Month	Total received	Sent for Projects*	Sent for Immediate Cases*	Used for Charity Startup	Balance
<b>June</b>	\$ 290	-	-	-	\$ 290
<b>July</b>	\$ 330	\$ 556	-	-	\$ 64
<b>August</b>	\$ 435	-	\$ 295.25	-	\$ 203.75
<b>September</b>	\$ 575	\$ 397.70	-	-	\$ 381.05
<b>October</b>	\$ 260	\$ 106	\$ 464	-	\$ 71.05
<b>November</b>	\$ 200	\$ 106	-	-	\$ 165.05
<b>December</b>	\$ 700	\$ 621.30	\$ 164.00	-	\$ 79.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,790</b>	<b>\$ 1,787.30</b>	<b>\$ 923</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$ 79.75</b>

\* Includes transfer fees and volunteer fees. Volunteer fees are used for transportation and other expenses that enable our local volunteers to follow up with the families in need; these fees do not exceed \$15 CAD per project or case.

### 1. Projects Generating Steady Income:

**Selected Project:** Buna Ali, a mother of five, has used the donations to expand her business of selling dresses.

**Amount sent for December:** Monthly allowance of \$100 CAD

**Update:** Buna's business has been thriving. Buna has been utilizing a portion of her monthly allowance as well as her profits to expand her business by adding more items such as accessories, hair supplies, and sandals.

**Selected Project:** The father owns a commuter bus and needed money to repair and register the bus. The bus will generate steady income for the family.

**Amount sent:** 200,000 rials

**Update:** We have decided to re-allocate this donation to another project due to continued local administrative delays in registering the bus. We will consider reinstating the support once the registration process is back on. The donations were re-allocated to Khaled (see next project).

**New Project:** Khaled is the sole provider for a family of 6. His main source of income is the making and selling of food from a small shop.

**Re-allocated Amount:** 200,000 rials

**Update:** The donation supported Khaled in purchasing necessary supplies to equip his business. Some of the items purchased include a blender, pressure cookers, hot plate, propane tanks and food supplies (see picture below).



**New Project:** A single mother named Itifak with 4 children. Their source of income is the Food Security Program stipend. The purpose of the donation is to help her with capital to buy clothes and incense ingredients and re-sell them for profit.

**Amount sent:** \$250 CAD

**New Project:** A family of 4 who are internally displaced and currently living in Lahij. Their main source of income is the Food Security Program stipend in addition to daily variable income from the father through his work as a taxi driver. One of the kids was taken out of school due to limited funds with the hope of re-enrolling him next year. The purpose of the donation is to help the mother, Weam, with capital to sew clothes, make incense and re-sell them for profit.

**Amount sent:** \$350 CAD

## 2. Immediate Relief:

**New Candidate:** A family with no source of income. The father suffered from a mental illness and left the family. The mom, Sabeha, is currently living at her in-laws' house. Her daughter is pursuing a pharmaceutical degree but doesn't have enough money for transportation. Her 11-year-old son left school to help support the family through daily jobs. The purpose of this donation is to support the family cover some of their daily basic needs.

**Amount sent:** \$150 CAD