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Subject: Gifts

Hello Steve and Reshma,

We've had a busy couple of days:

Tuesday afternoon the 11th Ward office received a delivery of David's Cookies from Leanna & Dave Partida (3000 S Poplar Ave). Based on their website, the total price of the bag was approximately \$45. We placed the tin in the lobby for guests to enjoy.

Yesterday, Bernie Pascente (3547 S Union Ave.) delivered a box of almond cookies. She did not tell us the price, but in a best faith effort I was able to find similar, but different brand, cookies that cost \$24.99 per pack. The cookies she delivered came in a box with twice as many cookies, bringing the cost to \$49.98. These cookies were donated to a Christmas tree-lighting event in the ward.

Today, Richard Bridgford, of Bridgford Foods (1415 W 44th St), delivered a ham worth \$45 and \$90 worth of pre-packaged jerky. We have placed the packages in the lobby and are sharing with our guests. As a note, there are 4 staff members present today plus Ald. Lee.

Please let me know if you need any other information.

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