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MEMORANDUM
September 7, 1972

TO: John X. Jamrich
President

FROM: James L. Carter
Assistant Director, R&D

Your suggestion that major Michigan newspapers might be a source of funding for the Nishnawbe News will certainly be followed up at our earliest opportunity.

However, it might be well to hold off for several weeks, pending the outcome of two proposals which will be reviewed soon by boards of the agencies involved. The proposals are identical and request \$32,000 for salaries, equipment, supplies and printing-postage costs.

The Executive Council of the Episcopal Church will make final determination next week in Omaha, Neb. The associate secretary of the Indian programs division spoke with me on the phone from his New York office earlier this week regarding some additional information.

The board of the National Catholic Conference's Campaign for Human Development will review our proposal next week also, and word should be received from them shortly thereafter.

In the meantime, the \$6,000 budget the university has set up for the paper will provide the financing needed for continuing operation.

Final papers have been submitted to the Internal Revenue Service in Detroit requesting that the Organization of North American Indian Students of NMU be granted a non-profit organization status, which would mean a large savings in postage and a rebate from the Marquette Post Office of over \$1,000 on postage already paid under the third class permit.

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cc: Bentley - Stolle

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