American Philanthropic News Service

"The Exchange: A Journal of Native American-Philanthropic News," is now being circulated for comment and financial contributions and is the major component of a new service being proposed by the Phelps-Stokes Fund.

The journal is part of a proposed American Indian-Philanthropic News Service

which also plans to publish a "Hotline" and to provide a clearinghouse for telephone and written funding referrals, all in order to fielp native Americans identify and communicate with private funding sources for their programs.

Believing that there is no effective mechanism for dialogue between philanthropic organiza-

tions, which too often do not know of the progress of native American projects, and the native organizations which are not kept informed of funding trends, the Phelps-Stokes Fund (New York and Washington) and the Johnson Foundation (Wisconsin) have produced the first issue of "The Exchange."

The quarterly publication on funding activities and trends, awards to native projects, feature stories on native organizations and funding institutions, grant progress and impact, as well as a related calendar of events and list of publications.

The Phelps-Stokes Fund was chartered in 1911 to help in the development of educational opportunities for American Indians, blacks, Africans, and poor whites. Although it does not itself award grants, it does provide technical assistance in the areas of long-range planning, management and funding development.

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