

National Native American AIDS Prevention Center Honoring the Red Ribbon Award Nomination Form

NNAAPC is formerly soliciting nominations for the 2011 **Honoring the Red Ribbon Award** (formerly called the Marty Prairie Award). This award was created and is given in honor and memory of Marty Lynn Prairie (1958-2001) (*Lakota*). Marty was a long time friend and ally of NNAAPC who, through his tireless commitment to HIV/AIDS education and prevention in Indian Country and throughout the United States, became a well-known HIV and harm reduction advocate. Marty's commitment to action, his strong voice, and his fearless leadership within the Native community inspired NNAAPC to honor his legacy by annually presenting an award to a leader in the Native community who demonstrates similar attributes in the fight against HIV/AIDS.

Please consider the following nominee for the **Honoring the Red Ribbon Award**. Nominees must have demonstrated a strong personal and/or professional commitment to HIV/AIDS prevention and advocacy in Native communities. Please respond to the following questions in addition to completing this form. Questions can be directed to Robert Foley, rfoley@nnaapc.org, or (720) 382-2244. The deadline for nominations is **September 9, 2011**.

Nominee Information

Name: _____ Tribal affiliation (if known): _____

Address of Nominee: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Action & Involvement

Please provide a written description about the nominee's leadership and commitment to HIV/AIDS and related concerns (stigma, poverty, unemployment, substance abuse, discrimination, violence, and homophobia) in AI/AN/NH communities (please type or print clearly and use as many pages as necessary). Please speak to this person's lasting impact on the field and/or their community. Areas of interest may include prevention, treatment, advocacy/policy, awareness/education, or any combination thereof. Please be as specific, as possible.

Additional Information

Please share any other information regarding the nominee that may be important for the committee to know.

May we contact you for any further information, if necessary? (please circle one) YES NO

Have you informed the person that you are nominated them for this award? (please circle one) YES NO

Nominated by: _____ Relation to Nominee: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Send completed nominations to:

Robert Foley
Attn: Honoring the Red Ribbon Award Nomination
720 S. Colorado Blvd., Suite 650-S Denver, CO 80246
or e-mail: rfoley@nnaapc.org
or fax: (720) 382-2248

The award will be presented at a reception on November 10, 2011 as part of the US Conference on AIDS in Chicago, IL. NNAAPC will work with the recipient regarding their attendance.