

August 19, 2011

Dear Kim:

It is my pleasure to inform you that NAMI Tennessee and the Awards Committee have selected you to receive the 2011 Model Project Award. In presenting this award we recognize your exceptional efforts in decreasing stigma while raising public awareness and hope for those living with the effects of mental illness.

You were nominated for this award by Bonita Molbert. Bonita's nomination letter acknowledges your "...non-stop passion and commitment to the partnership with NAMI and Law Enforcement services to make CIT a success in Jackson, TN." Her letter further recognizes you, Emma Long, and Vicki Lake as integral to the success of the Pathways program. For that we give you our thanks.

We would be honored to present the award to you at the state convention in Nashville at the Millennium Maxwell House Hotel on September 23rd and 24th. The best opportunity would be on Friday evening during our family gathering and celebration which is scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m. on September 23rd. Please contact us if it is not possible for you to be with us at that time and we will try to arrange an alternative that will accommodate your schedule. You may contact Robin Nobling at our office to make arrangements: rnobling@namitn.org or (615) 361-6608. On behalf of all Tennesseans living with mental illness, we thank you for your protection and perseverance.

Sincerely,

Roger N. Stewart **Deputy Director**

You or Someone You Love Has a Mental Illness. That's Why There's NAMI.