

Massachusetts Advocates Standing Strong

The Big Al LGBTQ+ Community Support Award

Nomination Form



One for All of Massachusetts

The Big Al LGBTQ+ Community Support Award is an award honoring Alfred ‘Big Al’ Daigle. Al was a great supporter who made sure the members of his Rainbow Support Group could go to LGBTQ+ events. Before Big Al passed away, he gave Pauline Bosma a Rainbow bracelet to show his support for her groups. This award is for a self-advocate or supporter who is LGBTQ+ or an ally and who has shown leadership and promise supporting LGBTQ+ people with I/DD.

To nominate someone they must be:

- a self-advocate or supporter who helps LGBTQ+ people to be their true selves
- an LGBTQ+ person or an ally who has been a leader in supporting LGBTQ+ people with IDD

PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS BELOW ABOUT THE PERSON YOU ARE NOMINATING. IF YOU NEED HELP, ASK A FRIEND, SUPPORT PERSON, YOUR REGIONAL COORDINATOR _____ OR CALL Angel at 857-360-0134.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY Friday, April 14, 2023
to the MASS office
PO Box 560100
Medford, MA 02156
or email Angel at info@WeAreMASS.org or call 857-360-0134
Thank you!!

You can also fill out this form online at
<https://www.wearemass.org/the-big-al-award-lgbtq-community-support-award>.

NOMINATION SECTION

Your Name

Your Email

Is this award for a self-advocate, support person, or someone else?

___ **Self-Advocate**

___ **Support Person**

Other _____

Name of the person you're nominating:

Address of the person you're nominating:

I would like to nominate this person because:

Region of the person you're nominating:

____ **Metro**

____ **Central**

____ **Southeast**

____ **Northeast**

____ **West**

What has this person done to support LGBTQ+ people with disabilities?

How has this person been involved with the Rainbow Groups?

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