

# Collin County

## Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Christopher Weiss

Honoree's Job Title: Animal Control Lead Shelter Officer

Department: Animal Services

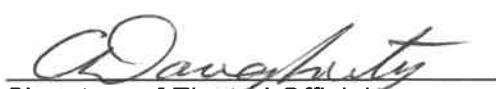
Years of Service with the County: 10

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

In late October/2023 until January/2024 the shelter was over 100% to the normal capacity that the shelter has kennels for. With the work load already at it breaking point due to the amount of animals needing care at the shelter, we also lost three full time employees at the beginning of this period. It was during this time that Christopher Weiss worked 7 days a week to make sure that all of the animals were taken care of and the shelter was ready to open to the public. Christopher Weiss has always put the needs of the department before his own, and can always be counted on when help is needed.

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Approved by elected official or department head on the    day of

  
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