

Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Gary A. Savage

Honoree's Job Title: Control Room Operator

Department: Facilities

Years of Service with the County: 23 Years

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

On May 20, 2024 after business hours, the facilities control room received a call requesting a member of the housekeeping staff to clean up a blood spill at the Probate court lobby. This was a Monday evening where there are no housekeeping staff scheduled. Gary was asked to go examine exactly how big of a mess this was to determine if a facilities on-call technician would need to be called in. Gary took it upon himself to clean up the mess to avoid the on-call technician from coming in. This is certainly not within the job scope of a control room operator. Gary has been with Collin County going on 24 years and is still one of the most positive and helpful members of our facilities department. We greatly appreciate all of Gary's hard work over the years and we truly value him as part of our team.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 21st day of May, 2024.

✓ Reid Monk

Signature of Elected Official
Or Department Head

Rick Monk, Director of Facilities
Printed Name