

Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Brad Bacon

Honoree's Job Title: Patrol Deputy

Department: Operations

Years of Service with the County: 8.5

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

I would like to nominate Patrol Deputy Brad Bacon for a GEM Award. Deputy Brad Bacon has been employed with the Collin County Sheriff's Office for approximately 8 and a half years serving as a Detention Officer and a Patrol Deputy.

On Thursday, November 9, 2023, Deputy Bacon respond to a burglary in progress. Prior to arriving on scene Deputy Bacon was notified that the suspect had been shot by the homeowner. Deputy Bacon arrived on scene and quickly provided first aid care to the suspect. Deputy Bacon assessed the suspect wounds and was able to determine that the wounds were not life threatening. Deputy Bacon continued to provide first aid care until paramedics arrived. He then briefed paramedics on the situation providing them with vital information which was used to treat the suspect.

Deputy Bacon's actions exemplified what is expected of a Collin County Deputy Sheriff. This was a situation in which Deputy Bacon was able to utilize the skills and training that Sheriff's Office has taught him in previous training classes. Deputy Bacon's actions are that of what a Collin County Sheriff's Deputy should be.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 28th day of Nov., 2023


Signature of Elected Official
or Department Head

Jim Skinner
Printed Name