

## Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Chelsea Kelly  
First Name: Chelsea Middle Initial: K Last Name: Kelly

Honoree's Job Title: Detention Officer

Department: Jail Operations

Years of Service with the County: 10 Years

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

Over the past 30 days, Jail Operations has had issues with overcrowding. Officer Chelsea Kelly is responsible for scheduling transports to TDCJ, other Counties, and other States. Officer Kelly has established strong connections with other agencies which has helped facilitate the transfer/release of inmates. These connections have helped reduce the inmate population by shortening the time inmates are in our custody for other agency charges. Officer Kelly routinely adjusts her schedule in order to complete the necessary paperwork for every transport while also staying available to cover inmates admitted to a hospital. If the inmate is only here on other agency charges, we turn to Officer Kelly. She will get in contact with the other agency and inform them of what is going on with the inmate. Officer Kelly has built trust with other agencies through her accurate information and willingness to work with those agencies to ensure a positive outcome for both agencies. Officer Kelly's total dedication to the Collin County Sheriff's Office has aided in reducing jail population and saving the county money by having medically challenging inmates transferred. I am recommending Officer Kelly for a GEM Award for going above and beyond her normal duties as a Detention Officer.

Approved by elected official or department head on the

8th day of Sept, 2023

  
Signature of Elected Official  
Or Department Head

  
Printed Name