

Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Chris Ware
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Honoree's Job Title: Captain

Department: Sheriff's Office

Years of Service with the County: 24

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

On Christmas morning, December 25, 2023, Assistant Chief Jeff Price and Captain Chris Ware reported to the Collin County Sheriff's Office at 4am. They did so in order to greet patrol deputies and thank them for their work as they were returning to the underground parking area at the end of their shift, after working Christmas Eve into the early morning hours Christmas Day. Chief Price and Captain Ware then attended shift briefing at 5am along with the deputies coming on duty who were scheduled to work Christmas Day. At briefing, Chief Price informed the Platoon that he and Captain Ware would patrol Collin County that day and would take dispatched calls for service themselves to alleviate the Platoon's workload. Chief Price and Captain Ware were each primary (meaning, they were the first and/or only deputies to respond to a scene) on several calls for service in Collin County on Christmas which they completed by filing all of the requisite reports in Odyssey at the conclusion of their shift.

Their actions that day, by going the extra mile for their co-workers and the citizens we serve, are deserving of a Going the Extra Mile Award.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 4th day of JAN, 2024


Signature of Elected Official
Or Department Head

Jim Skinner
Printed Name