

Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Joshua C Duncan
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Honoree's Job
Title: Deputy Sheriff

Department: Sheriff's Office

Years of Service with the County: 5

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

On 7/14/2020 at approximately 8:18pm, Deputy Duncan was dispatched to a possible drowning in the 7000 block of County Road 129. Call notes indicated that an elderly female (Victim) was on a pond and fishing with her husband when their small boat overturned throwing both of them into the pond. Duncan arrived on-scene and without hesitation immediately entered the water in an attempt to save the victim. Duncan made several dives before the victim's body was located by her husband. Duncan, with assistance from the victim's husband, pulled the victim's body to shore where medical assistance was waiting. Unfortunately, the victim was unable to be revived.

The actions of Deputy Duncan reflect great credit upon himself, the Collin County Sheriff's Office, and are the textbook definition of Going the Extra Mile.

Approved by elected official or department head on
the

28th day of July, 20 20

Jim Skinner
Signature of Elected Official
Or Department Head

Jim Skinner, Sheriff
Printed Name