

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

Honoree's Name: Teresa Briggs

Honoree's Job Title: Caseworker

Department: CSCD

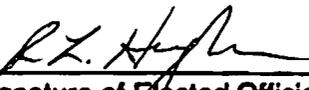
Years of Service with the County: 6 years

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

Ms. Briggs volunteered to implement the "PO Check" Pilot Program for the Community Supervision and Corrections Department. The length of the program was initially 90 days and included 100 offenders. This project started in March 2011 and is in the final stages of the pilot program. The PO check program required her computer skills and constant communication with the provider and participants. She has supplied valuable feedback to both the provider and this department. She has been instrumental in making suggested changes to the software to better suit the needs of Collin County. In some instances the Provider made the suggested changes available to all Counties using the software. It should be noted that while Ms. Briggs was involved with this program, she continued to maintain her original caseload.

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Approved by elected official or department head on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2011

  
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Signature of Elected Official  
or Department Head

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