

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

Honoree's Name: Kenneth Hricko

Honoree's Job Title: Parts Warehouse Supervisor

Department: Public Works Equipment Services

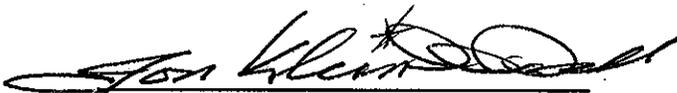
Years of Service with the County: 17

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

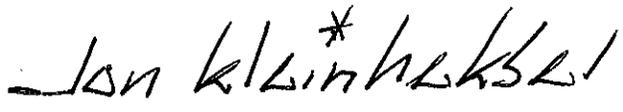
The Equipment Services division of Public Works administers the procurement and maintenance of hundreds of vehicles and equipment in its expansive fleet. To support this prodigious collection, PW employs a Parts Supervisor tasked with managing and tracking a revolving inventory worth approximately \$100,000 including everything from oil filters to tires. In addition, the Parts Supervisor researches and orders hundreds of parts from various suppliers which are not stocked in the warehouse.

A meticulous work ethic is essential for succeeding in the Parts Warehouse where inventory control errors can grow exponentially if not identified and resolved quickly. In 2005, Ken Hricko was chosen to lead the Parts Warehouse due in part to his dependable record in Road & Bridge. His diligence and painstaking attention to detail have been instrumental in realizing the efficient and smooth operation the warehouse enjoys today. FY2012's official audit which revealed an almost insignificant variance of less than \$20 is a testament to his professional and accuracy. Based on these accomplishments, I believe Ken embodies the spirit of and is a worthy candidate for a GEM award.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 3<sup>RD</sup> day of APR., 2012



Signature of Elected Official  
or Department Head



Printed Name