

Collin County  
Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: RICHARDS CASS

Honoree's Job Title: DEPUTY

Department: SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Years of Service with the County: DOE 8/22/2005

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

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PLEASE SEE ATTACHED.

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Approved by elected official or department head on the 7 day of 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012

  
Signature of Elected Official  
or Department Head

TERRY L. ROY  
Printed Name



# COLLIN COUNTY

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF  
4300 Community Avenue  
McKinney, TX 75071

**Terry G. Box, Sheriff**

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Date: July 4, 2012  
To: Major Chuck Ruckel  
From: Lieutenant Parrish Cundiff *[Signature]*  
Re: GEM Award

On June 28, 2012 Deputies McGill and Cass responded to an injured animal call at [REDACTED] CR 1109. There was an injured goat on the reporting person's porch that had apparently been attacked by a dog. Deputies responded by contacting animal control to come to the aid of the injured animal. Deputies McGill and Cass diligently searched the area for the animal that had attacked the goat. They were unable to find the animal. Deputies did find several other goats in the area and one of them was badly injured from an apparent attack by a dog. There were now two goats that required the aid of animal control.

Deputies McGill and Cass went above and beyond in their attempt to locate the animal that was attacking the goats and checking the welfare of the other goats in the area.

I would like to nominate these two deputies for a GEM award. Their professional response to the situation should be commended.

*Chief - I recommend. CR 7/9/12*

*OK PV  
7-13-12*