Collin County
Going the **E**xtra **M**ile (**GEM**) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Kathy Richardson

Honoree's Job Title: Court Coordinator

Department: 471st District Court

Years of Service with the County: 8

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

Kathy has gone the extra mile by using her skills developed in the court coordinators certification process to help establish a new system to manage the docket and assist in getting cases closed in an efficient manner. She has also helped by taking initiative to coordinate lunches for juries during critical moments in jury trials this past year where we did not have a cafe in the courthouse. This allowed the juries to deliberate much more effectively and helped shorten the total time of trial for the parties, the jurors and the court in several trials over the past year.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 30th day of September, 2026

Signature of Elected Official
or Department Head

Bryan Gantt
Printed Name