

Collin County Going the Extra Mile (GEM) Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Travis Monk
First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Honoree's Job Title: Investigator

Department: Sheriff's Office

Years of Service with the County: 13

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

On April 1, 2026, HSI contacted the Child Exploitation Unit for assistance in pursuing a child predator who was directing and watching actors in a foreign country sexually abuse children. Investigator Monk quickly obtained a search warrant and coordinated with the SWAT Team to execute the search warrant.

During Investigator Monk's investigation, he located digital evidence linking the suspect to the bad actors and obtained an arrest warrant. The suspect was later arrested for Possession with Intent to Promote Child Pornography.

Based on Investigator Monk's investigative ability and dedication in this case, HSI invited him to attend a national training course held by invitation only. This training is limited to 100 ICAC and HSI Investigators who have shown outstanding investigative ability.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 11th day of May, 2026


Signature of Elected Official
Or Department Head

Jim Skinner, Sheriff
Printed Name