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

Honoree's Name: Ezequiel (First Name) | (Middle Initial) | Olvera (Last Name)

Honoree's Job Title: Deputy Sheriff

Department: Sheriff's Office

Years of Service with the County: 5

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

On Friday, June 28th, 2019 Deputies McCann, Olvera, Jones, Smith and Jeffcoat responded to a missing child report in Saint Paul, Collin County, Texas. Deputy Smith contacted the father who said his 4 year old son had been missing for about 10 minutes. The residence was checked and it was confirmed that the child was not there.

Deputies Jones and Olvera coordinated with the Wylie Fire Department to set a perimeter and direct resources on the scene.

Deputies were notified that a witness had seen a child run into a tree line off of Meadow Lark Lane. Deputies quickly arrived and found the child in the 1400 block of Lakeview Drive. The child had minor scratches from being in the trees but was in good health.

These Deputies should be recognized for finding this child by acting as a team, each one playing a pivotal role in bringing this potentially tragic situation to a swift and happy ending.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 12th day of July ,20 19

Jim Skinning
Signature of Elected Official
Or Department Head

Jim Skinner
Printed Name