### Zonta Foothills Club of Boulder – Zonta EducateZ Project

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Our first scholarship was awarded to a Z Club member, who went on to win the D12 YWPA scholarship. She is now a student at Front Range Community College.

Our Z Club was chartered in 2013; and we inducted 15 young women. This year, members have participated in at least five service projects with our club. College-bound graduates will form our first Golden Z Club in 2014 and continue their service to the community.

In Boulder, 27% of women with less than a high school education live in poverty. The Teen Parenting Program has graduated 90 students since our support began in 2010; 98% of them women. 40% of these have gone on to postsecondary education. Hours spent volunteering in their nursery have enabled young mothers to finish high school.

Over 6,000 books have been labeled with Zonta Foothills book plates, and fill four Lending Libraries at locations whose clients are overwhelmingly single mothers. Signs at each library indicate this program is sponsored by our club.

An advisory committee, made up of influential educators and community members is being established to support the longevity of the project and the goal of providing the best support to at-risk girls and women.