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NEWSLETTER

Why should Zontians add climate change and gender equality to advocacy plans?

In 2021 Zonta International released a statement that the gender gap is widening with the worsening climate.

At District 12 it was decided this dual issue was and remains important to our western communities and to give Zontians an opportunity to get involved.

Our Rocky Mountain region climate issues are water availability, disasters such as wildfires and floods, excessive heat, and drought. The sum of these disasters creates food and water insecurity, heightens domestic abuse, increases fatalities among women, and place more women and children in poverty.

The Action for Environment and Gender Equality committee was formed. Its focus began with building a webpage on our District website to provide Zontians with factual information about climate and all of us in District 12. There you will find state-specific, regional, national, and international information. The hope is that our clubs' advocacy and service committee members will use these resources to learn and create local community action through service and advocacy using state specific info..



ALL WE CAN SAVE

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Book review/discussion

Join us on Zoom

January 15 at 7 pm

To Register



Develop a Path to Action



Gather the Facts
Lead by Example
Use your Voice

Advocate for Gender Equality
Collaborate with your community

use your voice



What can you do today?

- Educate leaders that decisions to benefit all matter
- Vote on climate legislation that benefits women and girls
- Inspire Women and Girls to be leaders, decision-makers, and advocates at Z Clubs, Golden Z Clubs, and your club

We strive for a world
in which gender
equality is a reality

Zonta International

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