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**Zonta International and Zonta Foundation for Women  
Appoint New Executive Director**

**Oak Brook, IL** – Today, the Zonta International and Zonta Foundation for Women Boards announced the appointment of Megan Radavich as executive director, effective October 1, 2023. A dedicated advocate for women and girls, Radavich brings almost 20 years of nonprofit and association management experience to the role.

Radavich joined Zonta International and Zonta Foundation for Women in 2009. For the last 14 years, she has served in multiple capacities within the organization, including managing foundation-funded service and education programs, overseeing Zonta International’s relationship with the United Nations and key partners, supporting international and national advocacy campaigns and initiatives, and directing internal and external communication efforts.

Zonta International President Ute Scholz: “I am very happy and confident that Megan Radavich will lead Zonta’s Headquarters office from this point forward. Megan has been deeply involved in the development of Zonta’s mission and vision for so many years and is ready to lead as our new executive director. Zonta empowers women leaders around the world and at our international headquarters.”

“It is an honor to be named executive director of Zonta International and Zonta Foundation for Women. I am inspired on a daily basis by the Zontians I meet and the work they do to support gender equity around the world. In my new capacity as executive director, I look forward to continuing to work with our members, partners and other stakeholders and to welcoming new individuals and organizations to join us in our efforts to build a better world for women and girls,” Radavich said.

Radavich received her B.A. from Loyola University Chicago; and, in 2022, she received her Certified Association Executive credential from the American Society of Association Executives.

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**About Zonta International and Zonta Foundation for Women**

Zonta International ([www.zonta.org](http://www.zonta.org)) is a leading global organization of individuals working together to build a better world for women and girls. In 1919, a small group of founders in Buffalo, New York, had a vision to help all women realize greater equality. Today, more than 26,000 members in 63 countries work together to make gender equity a worldwide reality for women and girls. Since 1923, the Zonta

Foundation for Women has provided more than US\$46.3 million to empower women and girls and expand their access to education, health care, economic opportunities and safe living conditions.

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