



## **Z Club and Golden Z Club Annual Fee**

As part of its operational review, the Zonta International Board has identified that it is time to ask voting members to consider an increase in the annual fee for Z clubs and Golden Z clubs. Today this fee stands at US\$5 and there has not been an increase since 1982.

This fee will affect only the clubs that sponsor Z clubs and Golden Z clubs, and the proposal would provide for the new fee to be implemented on the club's 2023-2024 dues billing statement.

Please read the motion and the rationale as it will be presented at the 2022 Zonta International Convention that will take place in Hamburg, Germany.

### **Motion**

The Z club and Golden Z club annual fee will increase from US\$5 to US\$20 effective as of 1 June 2023 for the Zonta International 2023-2024 fiscal year.

### **Rationale**

The purpose of the annual Z club and Golden Z club fee is to provide nominal support for Zonta International Headquarters activity related to Z clubs and Golden Z clubs. The increase will take the fee from US\$5 to US\$20 and become effective in the fiscal year beginning 1 June 2023. This fee increase will not affect the current Z club and Golden Z club charter fee which is US\$25.

Although costs to manage this program have increased, the fee has not increased for 40 years. Raising the fee from US\$5 to US\$20 will not cover the full annual resources necessary to communicate with and support activities of the student clubs and their sponsoring clubs, but it will positively contribute to this area.