

Zonta District 23 Women Taking Climate Action Award 2026

About the award

The Zonta District 23 Women Taking Climate Action Award is for recognition of climate change action that

- engages with women
- contributes to the global efforts towards climate change innovation.

The award winner will receive \$1,000.

The award is open between 1 September 2026 and 21 October 2026.

The award supports the Zonta Says NOW to gender-equal climate action work coordinated by Zonta District 23.

District 23 includes the Northern Territory, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia.

Who can apply

To be eligible for the award applicants must

- identify as a woman (cisgender or transgender)
- be a resident of Zonta District 23.

Applications are sought on innovative activities or achievements that assist in climate change

- mitigation
- adaptation
- communication, advocacy or service.

What you need to do

You must

- submit your completed application form to info@zontamelbourneonyarra.org.au by **midnight Wednesday 21 October**
- provide contact details of two referees - people who can attest to your climate change action either in a professional or a personal capacity
- include your resume with the application.

How the winner will be selected

Selection will be based on the application as outlined above. Top-ranked applicants may be interviewed online by the selection committee.

The award recipient will be invited to speak at a Zonta club meeting (online or in person).

Need help?

Send your questions to info@zontamelbourneonyarra.org.au

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Application form

Please email your completed application to
info@zontamelbourneonyarra.org.au by **midnight Wednesday 21 October 2026**

ABOUT YOU

Name

Address

State

Postcode

Email

Phone

ABOUT YOUR ACTION/WORK/PROJECT

Title

Location

Start date

Describe in 500 words or less how your action, work or project contributes to the global efforts towards climate action. This should demonstrate innovation, advocacy/communication and/or service action.

Describe in 500 words or less how your action, work or project engages with women.

If your action, work or project has been developing/operating for 2 or more years, list the major developments or activities that have taken place.

References

Provide the contact and relationship details of two people who can attest to your climate change action, work or project either in a professional or a personal capacity

Name

Address

State

Postcode

Email

Phone

Relationship to you

Name

Address

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I confirm the information provided in this application form is true and correct

Submit this completed application along with

- your resume including relevant qualifications
- other relevant supporting documents

to info@zontamelbourneonyarra.org.au by **midnight Wednesday 21 October 2026**