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PED deputy director elected WID vice president

Macomb County Planning and Economic Development Deputy Director Vicky Rad has been elected vice president of the Michigan chapter of Women in Defense (WID-MI). She will serve a two-year term on the board of directors.

Formed in 2007, WID-MI's mission is to strengthen and influence the defense and national security industry by inspiring women, cultivating leadership and growing professional relationships. The organization has 529 members representing 198 companies and organizations throughout the state of Michigan and is involved with many charitable and educational programs.

"I am very excited to welcome Vicky to the board," said WID-MI President Patty Lopez. "Her enthusiasm, fresh outlook and reach will really help to make WID-MI grow and provide an enriching environment for our membership."

Rad has been affiliated with WID-MI since 2008 and has received several recognitions including the Horizon Industry Award for Supply Chain Development in 2009 and the Horizons-Michigan Scholarship in 2011.

"I am fortunate to be engaged in a premier leadership organization that has consistently helped develop me throughout my career," said Rad. "Serving on the WID-MI board complements my passion for serving the defense community and allows me to impact an amazing organization with an incredible mission."

[WID - Michigan Chapter](#), a national security organization, is a nonprofit professional networking and development organization for women and men across Michigan who contribute to national defense and security.

