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Dr Ayodele Odusola, UNDP Resident Representative in Zimbabwe

The collaboration between Zimbabwe and United Nations partners like the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) has been hailed for driving positive change in the country.

The remarks have been made in a statement by the UNDP-Zimbabwe office at the launch of the 2023/24 Human Development Report (HDR) titled: Breaking the Gridlock: Reimagining cooperation in a polarised world in Harare today.

According to Dr Ayodele Odusola, UNDP Resident Representative in Zimbabwe the global report was launched last Wednesday in New York in the United States of America (USA).

According to a statement at the launch in Harare by UNDP, while the report highlights the dangers of rising political polarization and deglobalization, Zimbabwe offers compelling examples of how collaboration can drive positive change.

It is said that the UNDP Zimbabwe office, alongside the government of Zimbabwe is actively working towards achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through successful initiatives in food security, health, energy access and building resilience.

Towards eliminating hunger, UNDP and the government of Zimbabwe are reported to have supported over 40 000 farmers in southern Zimbabwe with climate smart crop varieties, producing nutritious produce resistant to climate stress.

