



ELECTORAL COMMISSION

CONSTITUENCY AND WARD BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR CONFIRMATION

1. KARONGA

1.1. KARONGA SONGWE CONSTITUENCY

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 33,687.

The constituency comprises the area covering the whole area of Traditional Authority Mwakaboko and the Northern area of Traditional Authority Kilupula lying North of Kibwe River.

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Kibwe River into Lake Malawi, thence Westerly along Kibwe River up to Karonga-Chitipa district boundary, thence Northerly along the district boundary up to Songwe River (Malawi-Tanzania international boundary), thence Easterly and South Easterly along Songwe River (Malawi-Tanzania international boundary) up to the estuary of Songwe River into Lake Malawi and thence South Westerly along the shoreline up to the point of commencement.

WARDS

(1) Iponga Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 14,982. It is to the North of the constituency.

(2) Ighembe Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 18,705. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by the boundary between Traditional Authorities Mwakaboko and Kilupula.

1.2. KARONGA LUFILYA CONSTITUENCY

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 35,428.

The constituency comprises the Southern area of Traditional Authority Kilupula and Eastern part of Traditional Authority Kyungu.

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of North Rukuru River into Lake Malawi, thence South Westerly along the North Rukuru River up to its intersection with Karonga Town boundary going to Mwangomba Road, thence North Westerly along the said road to its intersection with the boundary between Traditional Authorities Kilupula and Kyungu (North of Kasisi and Mwimba Schools), thence North Westerly along the said boundary along Kasisi River up to Karonga-Chitipa district boundary, thence Northerly along the district boundary up to the source of Kibwe River. Thence Easterly along Kibwe River to its estuary into Lake Malawi and thence Southerly along the shoreline up to the estuary of North Rukuru River into Lake Malawi, which is the commencement point.

WARDS

(1) Kaporo Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 18,972. It is to the North of the constituency.

(2) Ngerenge Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 16,456. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by Lufilya River.

1.3. KARONGA CENTRAL CONSTITUENCY

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 34,738.

The whole constituency is in Traditional Authority Kyungu.

The constituency boundary commences at a point where the boundary between Karonga Town and Traditional Authority Kyungu meets the Lake Malawi Shoreline. Thence Southerly along the shoreline up to the estuary of Wayi River, thence South Westerly along Wayi River up to its intersection with Nyika National Park boundary, thence North Westerly along the national park boundary up to the Karonga-Chitipa district boundary, thence North Westerly, then North Easterly along the district boundary up to the boundary between Traditional Authorities Kyungu and Kilupula, thence South Easterly along the said boundary up to where it meets the Mwangomba-Karonga Town Road, thence South Westerly along the said road to its intersection with North Rukuru River along Karonga Town boundary, thence South Westerly, then Southerly, then Easterly along Karonga Town boundary up to the point of commencement.

WARDS

(1) Lupembe Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 17,721. It is to the North of the constituency.

(2) Chilanga Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 17,017. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by the North Rukuru River.

1.4. KARONGA NYUNGWE CONSTITUENCY

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 38,590.

The constituency comprises the Southern part of Traditional Authority Kyungu, whole area of Traditional Authority Mwirang'ombe, Northern part of Traditional Authority Wasambo and Eastern part of Nyika National Park.

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Wayi River into Lake Malawi, thence South Easterly along the shoreline of Lake Malawi up to a road at Wundaninge Village, thence Westerly, then Southerly, then Westerly along the said road up to where it meets Wovwe River, thence Southerly, thence Westerly along Wovwe River up to where it meets the Nyika National Park boundary, thence Southerly along the national park boundary up to the point where it meets the district boundary of Karonga and Rumphu, thence North Westerly up to the most Northern part of the national park and thence South Easterly along the national park boundary up to Chazale River, thence North Easterly along the river up to its confluence with Wayi River, thence North Easterly along Wayi River up to its estuary into Lake Malawi, which is the point of commencement.

WARDS

(1) Nyungwe Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 11,112. It is to the North of the constituency.

(2) Mlare Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27,478. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by Bumba River, which commences at a point along the Karonga-Rumphi district boundary, thence Easterly along Bumba River, passing through Nyika National Park up to where it meets the boundary between Nyika National Park and Traditional Authority Mwirang'ombe. Thence North Easterly along the Nyika National Park boundary up to the point where it meets the boundary between Traditional Authorities Kyungu and Mwirang'ombe. Thence Easterly along the boundary between Traditional Authority Kyungu and Mwirang'ombe up to the Lake Malawi shoreline, which is the constituency boundary.

1.5. KARONGA SOUTH CONSTITUENCY

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 39,005.

The constituency comprises the Southern part of Traditional Authority Wasambo.

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Wundaninge River into Lake Malawi, thence Southerly along the shoreline to the Karonga-Rumphi district boundary, thence Westerly along the district boundary along Chitimba River up to a point where it meets the boundary of the Nyika National Park, thence Northerly along the national park boundary up to the point where it meets Wovwe River, thence Easterly along Wovwe River up to Gonthamanga Road, thence Easterly along the said road past Kasangamala Primary School up to Lushununu-M1 Road junction, thence passing through Wundaninge-Mlonda Road (up to Lake Malawi shoreline also called Lushununu Lake Road). Thence North Easterly, then Northerly, then Easterly along the road to Wundaninge on the shoreline, which is the commencement point.

WARDS

(1) Khwawa Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23,101. It is to the North of the constituency.

(2) Uliwa Ward

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 15,904. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by the Chononga River.