



## **MALAWI ELECTORAL COMMISSION**

### **REVIEW OF CONSTITUENCY AND WARD BOUNDARIES**

#### **PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF CONSTITUENCY AND WARD BOUNDARIES**

### **MANGOCHI DISTRICT**

Pursuant to its powers under the Constitution of the Republic of Malawi and the Electoral Commission Act, the Commission has determined that the boundaries of the constituencies and wards in Mangochi District Council for the purposes of the 2025 Parliamentary and Local Government Elections shall be as follows:

#### **1. CONSTITUENCY BOUNDARIES**

##### **1.1. MANGOCHI CENTRAL CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority and a small portion of Traditional Authority Nankumba.*

Mangochi Central constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 60,290.

The constituency boundary commences at the Lake Malawi shoreline which is also the boundary of Traditional Authority Nankumba and the Lake Malawi shoreline at Mdala Chikowa at coordinate 724929E, 1576702N, thence South-easterly along the Lake Malawi shoreline up to the confluence of the said Lake Malawi with the Shire River, thence South-easterly along the Shire River up to the administrative boundary between Mangochi Town and Mangochi District, thence South-easterly along the Mangochi Town boundary passing through Misi Katema, Chomba, Kalonga and Mwanyama Villages, up to the point where the Mangochi Town boundary joins the boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Chowe along the Shire River, thence South-westerly following Shire River and the

traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chowe up to the point where the Shire River intersects with Lake Malombe, thence Westerly along the Lake Malombe shoreline passing through Bwanali, thence North-easterly following an unnamed stream to coordinate 740859E, 160006133N, thence Northerly up to the point at coordinate 740674E, 1605265N at Mpima Village, thence Westerly along the said unnamed stream to its confluence with Nansenga River which is also the traditional boundary between Traditional Authority Chimwala and Traditional Authority Mponda, thence North-westerly along the said Nansenga River to coordinate 725221E, 1607443N , thence Northerly along the Nansenga River up to the point at coordinate 724824E, 1602950N, thence South-westerly along the Nansenga River, thence Northerly up the point where the said River joins a footpath to Nsosa School, thence Westerly along Namingundi River to the point at coordinate 720037E, 1601434N, thence Westerly up to the intersection with Nakundu River at Asigere Village, thence Easterly following the said River, thence Northerly along the said Nakundu River which flows along an unnamed Tertiary Road passing through John Mapata Village and Thumu School, thence North-easterly along the unnamed stream passing through Kandeu, Mbwana, Soliati Villages up to the point where Nakundu intersects the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Traditional Authority Mponda, thence North-easterly along the said traditional boundary up to coordinate 726636E, 1581242N at Maudzu Village, thence Northerly up to the point at coordinate 724205E, 1577389N , thence Easterly to the commencement point.

## **KOCHE AND THUNDU WARDS**

### **(i) Koche Ward**

Koche ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27, 328.

### **(ii) Thundu Ward**

Thundu ward has a projected eligible voter population of 32, 962.

The two wards are demarcated by Namingundi River, starting from the boundary of Lake Malawi crossing a Tertiary Road to coordinate 720048E, 1601495N at Asigele Village. Koche Ward is to the North of the Constituency and Thundu Ward is to the South of the Constituency.

## **1.2. MANGOCHI EAST CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Jalasi, Traditional Authority Katuli, and Traditional Authority Makanjira.*

Mangochi East constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 52,560.

The constituency boundary commences at the point where Lugola River meets the Malawi and Mozambique international boundary , thence Southerly along the said international boundary up to the point where the international boundary intersects with Luchimwa River at coordinate 771725E, 1577688N, thence Southerly along the said Luchimwa River passing through up to coordinate 770243E, 1581776N at Sinyala Village, thence Easterly for about 1,522 metres to coordinate 771784E, 1581835N, thence Southerly to the point at coordinate 772353E, 1584177N at Mgoji Village, thence Westerly about 754 metres to coordinate 771611E, 1584295N, thence North-westerly to the point at coordinate 71161E, 1583590N, thence Westerly passing through Masudi, Sabila, Chilongo, Motakamwendo, Kwilembe and Idrussi Villages, to a point at coordinate 758490E, 1588908N where the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence Westerly following the said traditional boundary up to the point where it intersects with Lisalumwe River, thence Southerly along the said River up the point of convergence of traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence North-westerly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe passing Masangano, Chindamba, Stephen Sindo, Makumba Mbewe, Mdala Makumba, and Mlani Masyasya Villages up to the point where the said traditional boundary intersects with Lungwena River which is also the converge of Traditional Authority Namabvi, Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence Easterly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Namabvi along the Lungwena River up to the converge point of traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi, Traditional Authority Katuli and Traditional Authority Namabvi, thence Northerly following the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Namabvi and Traditional Authority Katuli to where it meets the Mafi River, thence Westerly to coordinate 745120E, 1552743N, thence North-westerly following an unnamed stream up to the point where the said unnamed stream intersects with the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Namabvi and Traditional Authority Makanjira, thence Westerly following the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Makanjira and Traditional Authority Namabvi to the point at coordinate 735063E, 1548077N, thence Northerly following an unnamed stream to its confluence with Lugola River at point 732588E, 1543178N, thence North-easterly along the said Lugola River to the point of commencement.

## **WARD BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS**

### **KATULI NORTH AND KATULI SOUTH WARDS**

**(i) Katuli North Ward**

Katuli North Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 25,499.

**(ii) Katuli South Ward**

Katuli South has a projected eligible voter population of 27,061.

The two wards are demarcated by the Njalapira River, starting at the intersection of Njalapita River with then Malawi and Mozambique International boundary, Westerly through the Namizimu Forest to coordinate 748037E, 1573027N at Mlani Masyasya Village. Katuli North is to the North of the Constituency and Katuli South is to the

### **1.3. MANGOCHI LUTENDE CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Makanjira, Traditional Authority Chowe, and Traditional Authority Namabvi.*

Mangochi Lutende constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 42,200.

The constituency boundary starts at the intersection of Litisu River with the Malawi-Mozambique international boundary, thence Southerly along the said international boundary up to coordinate 739929E, 1534337N, thence Westerly along the Lugola River, thence Northerly, then Southerly along the same Lugola River up to its intersection with an unnamed Rive at coordinate 732597E, 1543207N, thence Southerly following the unnamed River to its intersection with the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Namabvi and Traditional Authority Makanjira where the said boundary meets Unga River, thence Easterly along the Unga River to a coordinate 738934E, 1546324N, thence South-easterly along Unga River to its confluence with Mafi River, thence Easterly along the said Mafi River to where it intersects with the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Katuli and Traditional Authority Namabvi, thence Southerly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Katuli and Traditional Authority Namabvi to the point of convergence of traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Namabvi, Traditional Authority Katuli, and Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence Westerly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Namabvi and Traditional Authority Jalasi to the convergence point of Traditional Authority Namabvi, Traditional Authority Chowe and

Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence Southerly along the boundary of Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi to the point where the said traditional boundary intersects with Nangambe River, thence Westerly along the said Nangambe River to the Lake Malawi shoreline, thence Northerly following the Lake Malawi shoreline up to the point where it meets the Litisu River at coordinate 726250E, 1530571N, thence Easterly to the point of commencement.

#### **NAMABVI AND MBWAZI WARDS**

Namabvi Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23,599.

Mbwazi ward has a projected eligible voter population of 18,601.

The two wards are demarcated by the Mafi (Lutende) River starting at 748838E, 1552330N which is also on the boundary of Traditional Authority Namabvi and has a projected eligible voter population of Katuli to the Lake Malawi Shoreline at 735280E, 1561135N. Namabvi is to the South of the Constituency and Mbwazi is to the North of the Constituency.

#### **1.4. MANGOCHI MALOMBE CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the areas of Traditional Authority Bwananyambi, Traditional Authority Chowe, and Traditional Authority Chiunda.*

Mangochi Malombe constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 42,646.

The constituency boundary starts at the point where the boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi meets the Masanje River at coordinate 768506E, 1600561N, thence Southerly along the Masanje River to a point at coordinate 769728E, 1625828N, where the said Masanje River intersects with the traditional boundaries of Sub Traditional Authority Chiunda and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi, thence Southerly along the Masanje River to the point where the said River meets the administrative boundary of Machinga and Mangochi districts, thence Westerly along the Masanje River to its confluence with Lake Malombe, thence North-westerly along the Lake Malombe Shoreline, following the said shoreline to its confluence with Lingamasa/Lingamadzi River at Kamwana Village, thence Easterly along the said Lingamasa/Lingamadzi River up to its confluence with Namaswa River, thence South-easterly along the said Namaswa River to coordinate 763362E, 1607497N where the said Namaswa River meets unnamed streams, thence Northerly along an unnamed stream to its

confluence with Luchimwa River, thence Westerly along the said Luchimwa River up to its confluence with Lingamasa/ Lingamadzi River, thence Northerly along the said Lingamasa/Lingamadzi River up to where the said River meets the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Chowe at Wasili Village, thence South-easterly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi to the commencement point.

## **MAIWA AND MASANJE WARDS**

### **(i) Maiwa Ward**

Maiwa Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 18,384.

### **(ii) Masanje Ward**

Masanje Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 24, 262.

The two wards are separated by Mpwapwata River starting from coordinate 768647E, 16192264N across Liwonde National Park up to coordinate 748591E, 1626593N at the administrative boundary of Mangochi and Machinga. Maiwa is to the North of the Constituency and Masanje to the South of the Constituency.

## **1.5. MANGOCHI MASONGOLA CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe.*

Mangochi Masongola constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 46,644.

The constituency boundary commences at the intersection of Luchima River with the international boundary of Malawi and Mozambique, thence Southerly along the said international boundary to its intersection with Mandimba River at coordinate 783111E, 1591216N which is also the traditional boundary thence South-westerly along the traditional boundary between Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence South-easterly following the said traditional boundary up to the confluence of Lusangusi and Namiyale Rivers, thence North-westerly following the Lusangusi River to its confluence with Masanje River, thence Westerly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi up to the convergence point of Traditional Authority Bwananyambi,

Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence Northerly following the traditional boundaries of Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe up to the point where the said boundary meets the Lingamasa/ Lingamadzi River, thence South-westerly along the Lingamasa/Lingamadzi River up to coordinate 755884E, 1595113N, thence Southerly at coordinate 755460E, 1595431N, thence North-westerly along the Lingamasa/Lingamadzi River up to coordinate 754643E, 1595034N, thence Southerly along the said River to where it meets the convergence of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence Northerly up to the convergence of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Chowe, Traditional Authority Jalasi, thence North-westerly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe up to coordinate 752623E, 1588934N, thence Easterly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe to the point where it meets the M 3 Road at Idrissu Village, thence Easterly along an unnamed stream passing through Mchenga, Chilambo, Chilonga, Masudi, Mgoji and Mwamadi Villages to the commencement point.

#### **MAJUNI AND MANDIMBA WARDS**

**(i) Majuni Ward**

Majuni Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23,441.

**(ii) Mandimba Ward**

Mandimba Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23, 203.

The two wards are demarcated by the Lusagwisi River, starting from 770406E, 1583876N at Mgoli Village to coordinate 780570E, 1593821N at Mtola Village. Majuni is to the Southwest of the Constituency and Mandimba to the East of the Constituency.

#### **1.6. MANGOCHI MONKEYBAY CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Nankumba.*

Mangochi Monkey-bay constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 55,468.

The constituency boundary commences at the boundary of the Lake Malawi National Park at coordinate 697263E, 1544594N, thence South-easterly along the boundary of the Lake Malawi National Park boundary passing through Sumbi Village, Zambo School, Chizale Village, Chilombo to Mdala Chikowa Villages at coordinate 724976E, 1576719N, thence South-westerly up to coordinate 724212E, 1577392N where it joins the M 10 Road, thence Southerly along the M10 Road to where it crosses the Nangombo River, thence South-westerly joining an Earth Road, following the said Earth Road up to Maudzu Village where the Road joins the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Traditional Authority Mponda, thence South-westerly along the said traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Nankumba up to where it joins the Lisangadzi River at coordinate 7110068E, 1594911N, thence Northerly along the Lisangadzi River passing through Mputa C Village, intersecting the M 10 Road at Sangadzi School up to Matapangombe Village, thence North-westerly along the said Lusangadzi River up to where the said Lusangadzi River meets the Lake Malawi shoreline, thence North-easterly along the said Lake Malawi shoreline passing through the Lake Malawi National Park ,Chimphamba Village, Msaka School, Chembe Village up to the commencement point. The constituency also covers the Lake Malawi National Park Islands.

#### **NKOPE AND MONKEY-BAY WARDS**

Nkope Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27, 567.

Monkey-bay Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27, 901.

The two wards are demarcated by the Namsenjele River starting from at its source on Lake Malawi Westerly to where it joins Lisangadzi River at Matapangombe Village. Nkope Ward is to the South of the Constituency. Monkey-Bay Ward to the North of the Constituency.

#### **1.7. MANGOCHI NKUNGULU CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chimwala.*

Mangochi Nkungulu constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 53,570.

The constituency boundary commences at the intersection of the M3 Road with an unnamed Road at Mpima Village, thence Southerly up the boundary of Traditional Authority Mponda and the Lake Malombe shoreline, thence South-westerly along the said boundary up to the convergence of the boundary of Traditional Authority Mponda,



Traditional Authority Chimwala and the Lake Malombe Shoreline, thence South-westerly along the Traditional Authority Chimwala and the Lake Malombe Shoreline up to Changali Village, thence South-easterly along the same boundary up to where the said boundary meets the administrative boundary between Mangochi and Balaka districts at Mvera Village, thence Westerly along the said administrative boundary to the point at coordinate 740279E, 1636691N, thence North-westerly along the said Mangochi-Balaka administrative boundary passing through Chisawa School, Luwembe Village up to the point at coordinate 734660E, 1630472N, thence Southerly up to coordinate 731556E, 1633776N, thence Westerly along the said administrative boundary up to the point at coordinate 721783E, 1633851N at Makapa Village, which is also the converging point of Traditional Authority Chilipa and Traditional Authority Chimwala with the administrative boundary of Balaka and Mangochi and Nkasi River, thence Northerly along the said Nkasi River to its confluence with an unnamed stream at coordinate 717979E, 1620999N, thence Easterly along the unnamed stream passing through Nanjiwa School to a point at coordinate 720156E, 1619685N, thence Southerly for about 1,230 metres along an unnamed Earth Road to where it intersects with Nansenga River, thence North-easterly along the said Nansenga River to where it meets a Tertiary Road, thence Easterly along the said Tertiary Road passing through Mtimabi School to the point at coordinate 726726E, 1614755N, thence Northerly along the said Tertiary Road to where the road meets an unnamed stream at Lusewa Village, thence Westerly along the unnamed stream to where the said stream meets the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chimwala, thence Northerly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chimwala to a point at coordinate 725575E, 1611626N, thence North-westerly along an unnamed stream to a point at coordinate 724536E, 1611664N, thence Northerly along the said unnamed stream to a point at coordinate 724524E, 1611138N, thence Easterly along the said stream to where it meets a Tertiary Road at Kunthande Village, thence Northerly passing through Mswanthaka School to a point the Tertiary Road meets Nansenga River, thence Easterly along the said Nansenga River to where it joins the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chimwala, thence Westerly along the said traditional boundary , following the boundary to a point where the traditional boundary meets an Earth Road at Saiti Ngawe Village, thence Easterly along the Earth Road passing through Mchisa Village to the point of commencement.

## **MPALE AND NKUNGULU WARDS**

### **(i) Mpale Ward**

Mpale Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27,076.

**(ii) Nkungulu Ward**

Nkungulu Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 26, 494.

The two wards are demarcated by Changali River, starting at the confluence of Nansenga and Changali Rivers at Mtimabii School to the point where the Changali River joins Lake Malombe. Mpale Ward is to the South-east of the Constituency and Nkungulu Ward is to the North of the Constituency.

**1.8. MANGOCHI NORTH CONSTITUENCY**

*The Constituency covers the areas of Traditional Authority Kululanga and Traditional Authority Makanjira.*

Mangochi Central constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 49,881.

The constituency boundary commences at the Northern tip of Mangochi District at coordinate 702147E, 1491080N where it shares the international boundary of Malawi and Mozambique, thence Southerly along the said international boundary passing through Chinganda Village, Makonola, Mpamba Schools, M'madi, Ngwati, Mponela Villages up to where the said international boundary of Malawi and Mozambique intersects with Litisu River in the Namizimu Forest Reserve, thence Westerly along the Litisu River up to its confluence with the Lake Malawi, thence Northerly along the Lake Malawi Shoreline boundary with Traditional Authority Makanjira up to the point where the said boundary intersects with Lilde River, thence Westerly along the Lake Malawi Shoreline and traditional boundary with Traditional Authority Makanjira passing through Jumbe and Mnomba Villages up to Kamtande Village, thence Northerly following the same Lake Malawi Shoreline passing through Maganga, Chongwe, Mtsinje and Namitukuta Schools to the point of commencement.

**MAKANJIRA NORTH AND MAKANJIRA SOUTH WARDS**

**(i) Makanjira North**

Makanjira North has a projected eligible voter population of 25, 512.

**(ii) Makanjira South**

Makanjira South has a projected eligible voter population of 24, 369.

The two wards are separated by the Mpamba River (Liuesa) starting at the Malawi-Mozambique International boundary at coordinate 716162E, 1505489N along the Mpamba River which also joins the traditional boundary of Sub Traditional Authority Kululanga and Traditional Authority Makanjira, to the point where the said Mpamba River joins Lake Malawi. Makanjira North is to the North of the Constituency and Makanjira South is to the South of the Constituency.

#### 1.9. MANGOCHI NORTH EAST CONSTITUENCY

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Chowe And Traditional Authority Mponda.*

Mangochi North East constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 47,581.

The constituency boundary commences at the intersection of Nangambe River and the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe at coordinate 748613E, 1582031N, thence South-easterly along the boundaries of Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi passing through Makumba Mbewe, Chiwaya and Magwinja Villages up to the converging point of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence Southerly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Chowe to the converging point of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Bwananyambi, Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi on the M 3 Road, thence Easterly following the said M3 Road to a point where it meets the Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River to a point where the said River intersects with the boundary of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence Southerly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Jalasi up to Msume Village which is the converging point of Traditional Authority Jalasi, Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence Westerly along the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Chowe and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi to its intersection with Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River at Wasili Village, thence South-easterly along the Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River to coordinate 759843E, 1603604N, thence North-easterly along the Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River to point 764117E, 1601877N where the said River intersects with an unnamed stream, thence Southerly along an unnamed stream passing through Chimwala Village to coordinate 763296E, 1607711N, thence Westerly along the unnamed stream to its confluence with Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River where it also intersects with the traditional boundary with Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Chowe, thence South-

westerly following the Lingamadzi/ Lingamasa River passing through Bulaimu, Kwitanda, Itimu Villages and Mtitimira School to Kamwana Village where it meets the Lake Malombe, thence Northerly to the converging point of Traditional Authority Chowe, Traditional Authority Mponda, and the Lake Malombe Shoreline where it also meets the Shire River, thence Northerly along the traditional boundaries of Chowe and Traditional Authority Mponda to the boundary with Mangochi Town, thence North-easterly along the Mangochi Town boundary with Traditional Authority Chowe to a point at coordinate 746162E, 1602860N, thence Northerly to where it intersects with the M3 Road, thence South-westerly along the Mangochi Town Boundary to an unnamed Road, thence Northerly along the unnamed Road to its intersection with Shire River , thence North-westerly along the said Shire River to its confluence with Lake Malawi, thence North-easterly along the Lake Malawi Shoreline passing through Mpamanda, Matwani, Chipereka Villages and St. Martins and Malindi Schools to the confluence of Lake Malawi and Nangambe River, thence Easterly to the point of commencement.

## **MIKONGO AND MALINDI WARDS**

### **(i) Mikongo Ward**

Mikongo Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 22, 931.

### **(ii) Malindi Ward**

Malindi Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 24, 650.

The two wards are demarcated by the M3 Road starting from the converging point of Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Bwananyambi and Traditional Authority Chowe to the administrative boundary with Mangochi Town Council. Mikongo Ward is to the South of the Constituency and Malindi is to the North of the Constituency.

## **1.10. MANGOCHI SOUTH CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Bwananyambi.*

Mangochi South constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 59,070.

The constituency boundary commences at the intersection of Mandimba River with the international boundary of Malawi and Mozambique at Mpata Village, thence Southerly along the said international boundary up to point where it meets the administrative boundary between Machinga and Mangochi and also the intersection of Nyenyese River,

thence South-easterly along the administrative boundary of Machinga and Mangochi up to the point at coordinate 769395E, 1631046N where the said administrative boundary meets Masanje River, thence Northerly along the said Masanje River to the boundary of Traditional Authority Jalasi and Traditional Authority Bwananyambi, thence Southerly along the said traditional boundary to coordinate 772495E, 1605725N, thence North-easterly along the said traditional boundary to the commencement point.

## **CHIPUNGA AND N LIMBA WARDS**

### **(i) Chipunga Ward**

Chipunga Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 27, 363.

### **(ii) Nlimba Ward**

Nlimba Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 31, 707.

The two wards are demarcated by the Namapiri River starting at coordinate 786373E, 1595335N to Mjale Village at the administrative boundary of Mangochi and Machinga districts. Chipunga is to the East of the Constituency and Nlimba is to the West of the Constituency.

## **1.11. MANGOCHI SOUTH WEST CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the areas of Traditional Authority Nankumba, Traditional Authority Mponda, Traditional Authority Chimwala, Traditional Authority Chilipa and Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda.*

Mangochi South West constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 55,405.

The constituency boundary commences at the point where the traditional boundaries of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Traditional Authority Mponda intersects with Nakundu River at coordinate 717519E, 1588753N, thence South-westerly along the said Nakundu River passing through Mayera School to where it meets the Tertiary Road, thence Southerly passing through Soliati and Mbwana Villages to the point where it meets Namingundi River, thence following the Namingundi River to Thumu School, thence Southerly along the said River to its confluence with Nansenga River, thence Easterly along the said Nansenga River to the point at 724830E, 1603033N, thence Southerly along the said River passing through Mswanthaka School, Mnomba and Lusewa Villages to coordinate 726735E, 1614749N, thence South-easterly along the said River passing through Mtimabi School to Kadyangunde School, thence South-westerly along the said

Nansenga River to its confluence with Nkasi River, thence South-westerly along the Nkasi River to where the said River intersects with the administrative boundary of Mangochi and Balaka districts, thence Westerly along the said administrative boundary to the converging point of administrative boundary of Balaka, Ntcheu and Mangochi districts, thence North-westerly along the administrative boundary of Ntcheu and Mangochi up to Saiti Tiputipu Village to the point where the said administrative boundary intersects with Lisape River thence Easterly along the said Lisape River to Nkhungwa School at coordinate 702711E, 1609888N, thence Northerly along Kungwa River to where it meets the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda, thence South-easterly along the said traditional boundary to the convergence of Traditional Authority Nankumba, Traditional Authority Mponda and Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda at coordinate 709420E, 1610804N, thence North-easterly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Traditional Authority Mponda to the point where the said boundary meets Lisangadzi River, thence North-easterly along the said Lisangadzi River to coordinate 710040E, 1595045N, thence Easterly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Traditional Authority Mponda to the point of commencement.

#### **CHILIPA AND KATEMA MTIMA BII WARDS**

**(i) Chilipa Ward**

Chilipa Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 30,900.

**(ii) Katema Mtima Bii Ward**

Katema Mtima Bii has a projected eligible voter population of 24, 505.

The two wards are demarcated by the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Ntonda, and Traditional Authority Chilipa and Traditional Authority Chimwala. Chilipa is to the South-west of the Constituency and Katema Mtima Bii is to the North of the Constituency.

#### **1.12. MANGOCHI WEST CONSTITUENCY**

*The constituency covers the area of Traditional Authority Nankumba, and Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda.*

Mangochi Central constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 45,092.

The Constituency boundary commences at the point 697754E, 1562051N which is a confluence of Lake Malawi Lisangadzi River, thence Southerly along the said Lisangadzi River passing through Kazembe, Mbwana and Sangadzi 2 School , intersecting m 10 Road, thence continuing Southerly along the Lisangadzi River passing through Mfunwe, Mselema, Chimvu II Schools up to coordinate 710059E, 1595035N where the said River meets the boundaries of Traditional Authority Mponda and Traditional Authority Nankumba, thence South-westerly along the Lisangadzi River to the convergence of Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda, Traditional Authority Nankumba, Traditional Authority Mponda, thence Westerly along the traditional boundary of Traditional Authority Nankumba and Sub Traditional Authority Ntonda to a point 703843E, 1607617N where it meets Kungwa River, thence South-westerly to the confluence of Kungwa, Gonde and Lisape Rivers, thence North-westerly along the Lisape River to where the said River intersects with the administrative boundaries of Mangochi and Ntcheu districts, thence Northerly along the said administrative boundary to coordinate 687816E, 1583231N that's a convergence point for Dedza, Ntcheu and Mangochi district boundaries, thence Northerly along the administrative boundary of Dedza and Mangochi districts to coordinate 68759E, 1579028N meeting point of Lake Malawi Shoreline and the said Mangochi and Dedza administrative boundary, thence North-easterly along the Lake Malawi Shoreline passing through Malembo School, Matekwe, Kholowere, Kapichi Villages to the point of commencement,

#### **MVUMBA AND MALEMBO WARDS**

**(i) Mvumba Ward**

Mvumba ward has a projected eligible voter population of 21,545.

**(ii) Malembo Ward**

Malembo Ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23, 547.

The two wards are demarcated by the Mpandamoyo River, starting from the source of Mpandamoyo at Lisangadzi River, to where it intersects with Nanyanje River at the M10 Road, thence Northerly following the Nanyanje River to the Lake Malawi Shoreline. Mvumba is to the South of the Constituency. Malembo Ward is to the North of the Constituency.

Dated this                      day of                      2022.

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