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GENERAL NOTICES • ALGEMENE KENNISGEWINGS**GENERAL NOTICE 67 OF 2021****PROPOSED NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 12 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT:
MUNICIPAL STRUCTURES ACT, 1998**

I, Busisiwe Paulina Shiba, Member of the Executive Council responsible for Local Government in the Mpumalanga Province, hereby in terms of the provisions of section 12(4)(c) of the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998, (Act No. 117 of 1998) establish the Municipalities as set out in the attached Schedule and publish this Notice for public comment.

All comments must be forwarded to the following address on or before **15 October 2021**:

For attention: Ms L Van der Walt
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Given under my hand at Mbombela, this 22 day of September 2021.


MRS BP SHIBA (MPL)
MEC: CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNANCE
AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS

SCHEDULE

GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE:

[] Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing enactments.

_____ Words underlined with solid line indicate insertions in existing enactments.

PART 2

ESTABLISHMENT OF DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY

1. For the district municipal area as a whole as determined in the demarcation Notice as DC 32 a district municipality is hereby established.

CATEGORY

2. The district municipality is a Category C municipality as defined in section 155(1) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 and determined by the demarcation board in terms of section 4 of the Local Government: Municipal Demarcation Act, 1998 (Act No. 27 of 1998).

TYPE

3. The district municipality is a municipality with a mayoral executive system as contemplated in section 4(b) of the Mpumalanga Further Determination of Types of Municipalities Act, 2000 (Act No. 4 of 2000).

BOUNDARIES

4. The boundaries of the district municipality are as per the publication of the Demarcation Board that will be effective on 01 November 2021.

NAME

5. The designated name of the district municipality is Ehlanzeni.

COUNCILLORS

6. The council of the district municipality consist of 66 councillors as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019 of whom-
- (a) 28 must be proportionally elected councillors;
 - (b) 3 must be appointed by the local municipality mentioned in Part 3 of this Schedule;
 - (c) 14 must be appointed by the local municipality mentioned in Part 4 of this Schedule;
 - (d) 8 must be appointed by the local municipality mentioned in Part 5 of this Schedule;
 - (e) 13 must be appointed by the local municipality mentioned in Part 6 of this Schedule.

FULL-TIME COUNCILLORS

7. The council of the district municipality may designate any of the following office bears as full-time:
- (a) Speaker;
 - (b) Executive Mayor;
 - (c) 8 Members of the Mayoral Committee;
 - (d) A Whip; and
 - (e) Chairperson of the Municipal Public Accounts Committee.

SEAT OF MUNICIPALITY

8. The seat of the municipality is Mbombela.

PART 3**ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

1. For that part of the district municipal area determined in the demarcation Notice as MP 321, a local municipality is hereby established.

CATEGORY

2. The local municipality is a category B municipality as defined in section 155(1) of the Constitution

of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 and determined by the demarcation board in terms of section 4 of the Local Government: Municipal Demarcation Act, 1998 (Act No. 27 of 1998).

TYPE

3. The local municipality with a mayoral executive system combined with a ward participatory system contemplated in section 3(c) of the Mpumalanga Further Determination of Types of Municipalities Act, 2000 (Act No. 4 of 2000).

BOUNDARIES

4. The boundaries of the district municipality are as per the publication of the Demarcation Board that will be effective on 01 November 2021.

NAME

5. The designated name of the local municipality is Thaba Chweu.

COUNCILLORS

6. (1) The council of the local municipality consists of 13 proportionally elected councillors and 14 ward councillors as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

(2) The council of the local municipality may designate any of the following office-bearers as full-time:
 - (a) Speaker;
 - (b) Executive Mayor;
 - (c) 3 Members of the Mayoral Committee;
 - (d) A Whip; and
 - (e) Chairperson of the Municipal Public Accounts Committee.

WARDS

7. The local municipality has 14 wards with the boundaries determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

SEAT OF MUNICIPALITY

8. The seat of the municipality is Mashishing.

PART 4**ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES**

1. For that part of the district municipal area determined in the demarcation Notice as MP 326, a local municipality is hereby established.

CATEGORY

2. The local municipality is a category B municipality as defined in section 155(1) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996.

TYPE

3. The local municipality with a mayoral executive system combined with a ward participatory system contemplated in section 3(c) of the Mpumalanga Further Determination of Types of Municipalities Act, 2000 (Act No. 4 of 2000).

BOUNDARIES

4. The boundaries of the local municipality are as per the publication of the Demarcation Board that will be effective on 01 November 2021.

NAME

5. The designated name of the local municipality is City of Mbombela.

COUNCILLORS

6. (1) The council of the local municipality consists of 45 proportionally elected councillors and 45 ward councillors as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

(2) The council of the local municipality may designate any of the following office-bearers as full-time:

- (a) Speaker;
- (b) Executive Mayor;
- (c) 10 Members of the Mayoral Committee;
- (d) A Whip; and
- (e) Chairperson of the Municipal Public Accounts Committee.

WARDS

7. The local municipality has 45 wards with the boundaries as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

SEAT OF MUNICIPALITY

8. The seat of the local municipality is in Mbombela with 4 regional service centers, namely;
- Central Region- covering satellite offices at the Groove, Ka-Nyamazane, Elandshoek; and Mbombela Head Office;
 - Northern Region – covering the satellite offices at Hazyview, Northern part of the area;
 - Eastern Region – covering the satellite offices at White River, Kabokweni and Malekutu;
 - Southern Region –covering the satellite offices at Barberton, Matsulu and Louws Creek farm areas.

PART 5

ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

1. For that part of the district municipal area determined in the demarcation Notice as MP 324, a local municipality is hereby established.

CATEGORY

2. The local municipality is a category is a Category B municipality as defined in section 155(1) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 and determined by the demarcation board in terms of section 4 of the Local Government: Municipal Demarcation Act, 1998 (Act No. 27 of 1998).

TYPE

3. The local municipality with a mayoral executive system combined with a ward participatory system contemplated in section 3(c) of the Mpumalanga Further Determination of Types of Municipalities Act, 2000 (Act No 4 of 2000).

BOUNDARIES

4. The boundaries of the local municipality are as per the publication of the Demarcation Board that will be effective on 01 November 2021.

NAME

5. The designated name of the local municipality is Nkomazi.

COUNCILLORS

6. (1) The council of the local municipality consists of 32 proportionally elected councillors and 33 ward councillors as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.
(2) The council of the local municipality may designate the following office bearers as full-time:
 - (a) Speaker
 - (b) Executive Mayor;
 - (c) 7 Members of the Mayoral Committee;
 - (d) A Whip; and
 - (e) Chairperson of the Municipal Public Accounts Committee.

WARDS

7. The local municipality has 33 wards with the boundaries as indicated in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

SEAT OF MUNICIPALITY

8. The seat of the municipality is Malelane.

PART 6

ESTABLISHMENT OF LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES

1. For that part of the district municipal area determined in the demarcation Notice as MP 325, a local municipality is hereby established.

CATEGORY

2. The local municipality is a category B municipality as defined in section 155(1) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 and determined by the demarcation board in terms of section 4 of the Local Government: Municipal Demarcation Act, 1998 (Act No. 27 of 1998).

TYPE

3. The local municipality with a mayoral executive system combined with a ward participatory system contemplated in section 3(c) of the Mpumalanga Further Determination of Types of Municipalities Act, 2000 (Act No. 4 of 2000).

BOUNDARIES

4. The boundaries of the local municipality area as per the publication of the Demarcation Board that will be effective on 01 November 2021.

NAME

5. The name of the local municipality is Bushbuckridge.

COUNCILLORS

6. (1) The council of the local municipality consists of 38 proportionally elected councillors and 38 ward councillors as determined in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

(2) The council of the local municipality may designate the following office bearers as full-time:

- (a) Speaker;
- (b) Executive Mayor;
- (c) 7 Members of the Mayoral Committee;
- (d) A Whip; and
- (e) Chairperson of the Municipal Public Accounts Committee.

WARDS

7. The local municipality has 38 wards with the boundaries as indicated in Provincial Notice No. 110 of 2019 published under Gazette No. 3070 dated 19 July 2019.

SEAT OF MUNICIPALITY

8. The seat of the municipality is Bushbuckridge.

INCONSISTENCY BETWEEN NOTICES

10. This Notice shall supersede any Notice published in terms of section 12 of the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998, which may to the extent of the provision of this Notice and relating to the establishment, category, type, boundaries, name, Councillors, seat of Municipality and standing rules and orders for first meetings, be contradictory to this Notice.

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