



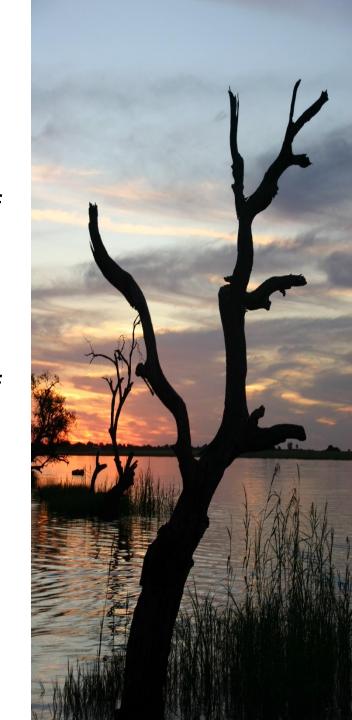






### INTRODUCTION

- A grant-making facility established to support development of TFCAS in the SADC region
- The Regional fund to be financed by various International Cooperating Partners (ICPs) in support of SADC TFCAs
- Establishment of the fund is well aligned to Component (2) of the SADC TFCA programme and other SADC Regional Policies and Protocols – **Sustainable Financing**
- IUCN ESARO is the Executing Agency



## **PURPOSE**

- To provide the basis for long-term and more sustainable investment in tangible measures that strengthen ecological, economic, cultural and institutional connectivity within SADC TFCAs.
- The intention is to leverage additional funds from various partners, including further commitment from Germany, in order to reach an operational funding volume of approximately EUR 100 million in the medium to long term.



#### **DETAILS ON THE FACILITY**

- Initial phase of the project: 6 years (April 2020 June 2026).
- Initial budget of €12m, with an additional commitment of €11m from KfW; €2m (Zambian Window)
- In the lifetime of the 6 years it is anticipated that 10 20 grants will be awarded could change due to a number of factors such as *covid-19*;
- The size of individual projects is expected to range between €300,000 €3m in the form of small/medium/large grants

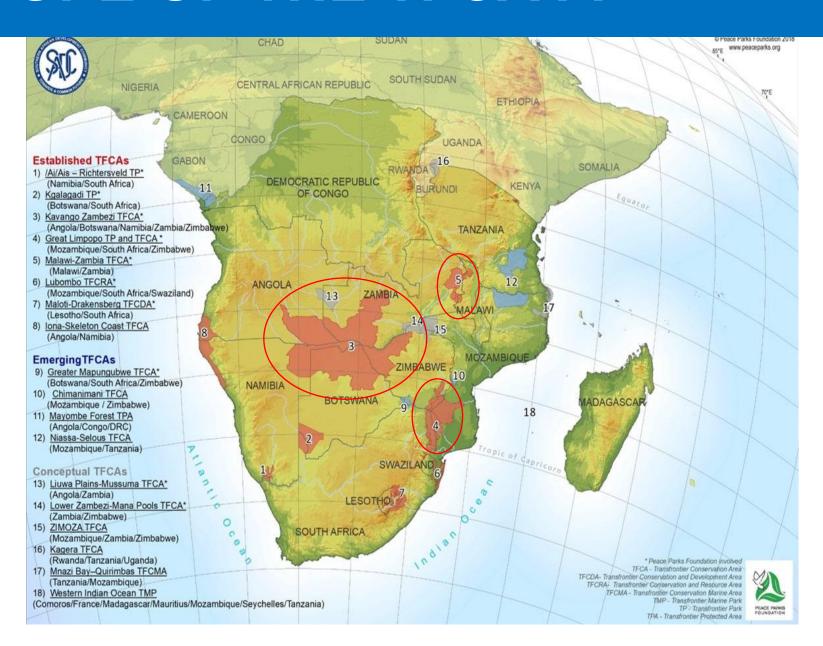


## **ELIGIBLE ORGANISATIONS**

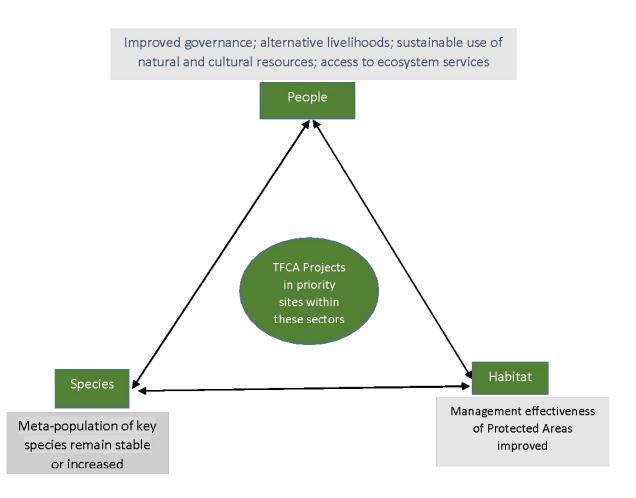
- Governments;
- Government Agencies;
- NGOs; and
- CBOs



# SCOPE OF THE TFCA FF



### **TFCA FF THEMATIC AREAS**



#### PROGRESS TO DATE

- Ongoing granting process for Covid-19 Grants
- Launched Main Call for Concepts in June 2021
- Official Launch of the Facility at WCC in Sept 2021



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