



- The **Flamingo Revolution** is a mass environmental movement in **Albania** opposing large-scale tourism projects in ecologically fragile coastal regions.
- The protests began in **May 2026** after the approval of a **US\$1.6 billion** luxury coastal development on **Sazan Island** and the **Vjosa-Narta Wetland**.
- The proposed project has been linked to an investment group associated with **Jared Kushner**, triggering widespread public opposition over its potential environmental impact.
- Protesters argue that the development threatens wetlands, migratory bird habitats, and coastal biodiversity, calling for sustainable and ecologically responsible development.

**APSC Relevance:** Environmental Movements; Wetland Conservation