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Programme priority: *Greener MED*

Specific objective: *RSO2.7 Enhancing protection and preservation of nature, biodiversity and green infrastructure, including in urban areas, and reducing all forms of pollution*

Project mission: *Protecting, restoring and valorising the natural environment and heritage*

Project category: *Transfer project (Thematic Project)*

Wetland Contract in Albania **Vjosa-Narta Protected Landscape**

May, 8 -9, 2025

Vlorë, Albania

Location ([Bologna Hotel Vlore](#))



AGENDA

Day 1: Importance of Vjosa-Narta and wetland contracts
09:00 – 09:15 Registration Registration
09:15 – 09:30 Welcome speech / Introduction and overview
09:30 – 09:45 The importance of Vjosa-Narta Summary of the area, biodiversity values and main activities held by RAPA Vlore <i>Regional Administration of Protected Area Vlore</i>
09:45 – 10:00 Vlora Municipality, environment and tourism Ongoing activities on nature preservation and tourism development in Vlora Region. <i>Vlora Municipality</i>
10:00 – 10:30 Nature conservation and management of Vjosa-Narta protected area Nature conservation and wetland governance in Vjosa-Narta <i>Xhemal Xherri, PPNEA</i>
10.30 – 10:45 Coffee Break
10.45 – 11.15 LAG Initiative VJONA Wetland governance in Vjosa-Narta – An initiative and process of creating a local action group <i>Aulona Veizi, Vlora Municipality</i>
11.15 – 11:45 Wetland Contracts & positive key studies Wetlands contract definition, WeGoCoop project, positive examples and case studies <i>Elisa Avelini, UniRoma 3</i>
11:45 – 13:00 SWOT Analysis Preparation of the SWOT Analysis, engagement of local groups (World coffee exercise)
13:00 – 14:00 Lunch
14:00 – 15:30 SWOT Analysis



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15:30 – 15:45 | Wrap-up session and close of event

Xherri, PPNEA

Day 2: The future of Vjosa-Narta

09:00 – 09:15 | Registration

Attendee registration

09:15 – 10:00 | SWOT Analysis results

Presentation of the results of the analysis and further discussion

Facilitator

10:00 – 10:30 | Imaginative Narta Lagoon and closing of event

How is your perfect lagoon? Participatory exercise with stakeholders

Facilitator

10:30 – 13:00 | Field visit in Narta Lagoon / Birdwatching at St. Mery Monastery

Celebration of World Migratory Bird Day 2025

Ledi Selgjeka, PPNEA

13:00 – 14:00 | Lunch at Narta Lagoon (Taverna e Miqesise)