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This week, **Derek Simon** of the Environmental Law Centre on protecting the Tsehum Inlet.

Former Green Party of B.C. chair, **David White** on elections and environmental choices.

And, **Janine Bandcroft** on all that's good to do in and around Victoria this week.

Chris Cook hosts Gorilla Radio, airing live every Monday, 5-6pm Pacific Time. In Victoria at 101.9FM, 104.3 cable, and on the internet at: <http://cfuv.uvic.ca> He also serves as a contributing editor at the progressive web news site:

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In concert with the raging development occurring throughout Victoria and environs, the sub-geniuses serving North Saanich are O.K., in principle, with a scheme to dredge the Tsehum Inlet for an expansion of the already intrusive marina there. The Tsehum is familiar to islanders as the inter-tidal bay on your right as you approach the Swartz Bay ferry terminal.

Beside being the first thing visitors departing the ferry for Victoria see, the inlet is an ecological crossroad vital to numerous species of marine and avian creatures. **Derek Simon** is a law student at the University of Victoria and member of the Environmental Law Centre. He's worked with Governance Action in North Saanich, or GAINS, to mitigate development in the Tsehum Inlet to protect the Shoal Harbour Migratory Bird Sanctuary situated there from planned development.

Derek Simon in the first half.

And; the federal NDP will hold riding nomination votes for the Victoria seat soon to be vacated by outgoing Liberal, David Anderson this week. The former Environment Minister's seat is one the NDP have high hopes for, but can an NDP member for Victoria press environmental concerns as effectively as the former government cabinet minister, and do they really care to?

David White is the former chair of the Green Party of B.C., and served as chair to both the B.C. Environmental Network and the Sierra Club of Victoria. David White and the where politics meets the environment in the second half.

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And, **Janine Bandcroft** will be here at the bottom of the hour to bring us up to speed with all that's good to do in and around Victoria this week. But first, Derek Simon and saving sanctuary.

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Some past guests include: M. Junaid Alam, Joel Bakan, Maude Barlow, David Barsamian, William Blum, Vincent Bugliosi, Helen Caldicott, Noam Chomsky, Michel Chossudovsky, Diane Christian, Juan Cole, David Cromwell, Jon Elmer, Reese Erlich, Jim Fetzer, Laura Flanders, Susan George, Stan Goff, Robert Greenwald, Denis Halliday, Chris Hedges, Julia Butterfly Hill, Robert Jensen, Dahr Jamail, Diana Johnstone, Kathy Kelly, Naomi Klein, Anthony Lappe, Frances Moore Lappe, Dave Lindorff, Jim Lobe, Wayne Madsen, Stephen Marshall, Linda McQuaig, George Monbiot, Loretta Napoleoni, John Nichols, Kurt Nimmo, Greg Palast, Michael Parenti, William Rivers Pitt, Sheldon Rampton, Paul de Rooij, John Ross, Danny Schechter, Vandana Shiva, Norman Solomon, Starhawk, Grant Wakefield, Bernard Weiner, Mickey Z., Dave Zirin, and many others.