

Trouble Season 1 Episode 1 Screening Kit

Discussion Questions:

I) What does the phrase 'diversity of tactics' mean to you? What are some of the objections to adopting a diversity of tactics framework, and what lies at the root of these disagreements?

2) Are lawsuits ever a useful strategy? What are some of the pros and cons? How do legal strategies tend to affect the broader dynamics of popular movements struggling around an issue?

3) Has anybody had to work on a campaign with NGOs, and if so how would you describe the resulting dynamic?

4) Are there are any pipeline or large scale industrial infrastructure projects proposed, or under construction in the region? If so, what are some of the possible negative environmental and social effects of these projects, and what might might a viable strategy for opposing them look like?

5) Whose traditional territory are you on? Are there any Indigenous nations in this region?

6) Do you have any personal experience navigating tensions between federally-funded tribal administrators, or band camp leaders, and more traditional Indigenous leadership?

Further Resources

sub.Media videos

- 1. The Action Camp https://vimeo.com/114167055
- 2. Oil Gateway https://vimeo.com/113769842
- 3. Showdown at Highway 134 https://vimeo.com/114154341
- 4. Oka Crisis in 5 minutes https://vimeo.com/133178007
- 5. How Non-Violence Protects the State <u>https://youtu.be/dy2uYm7EIT8?t=54s</u>

Other films

Kanehsatake: 270 Years of Resistance - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7yP3srFvhKs

Further Reading

1. Accomplices not Allies - <u>http://www.indigenousaction.org/accomplices-not-allies-abolishing-the-ally-industrial-complex/</u>

2. Everyone Calls Themselves An Ally, Until It's Time To Do Some Real Ally Shit <u>https://warriorpublications.wordpress.com/2014/01/29/pdf-everyone-calls-themselves-an-ally/</u>

3. How Nonviolence Protects the State - <u>https://theanarchistlibrary.org/library/peter-gelderloos-how-nonviolence-protects-the-state</u>

4. Offsetting Resistance - <u>http://www.offsettingresistance.ca/</u>

5. The NGO-ization of resistance - <u>http://massalijn.nl/new/the-ngo-ization-of-resistance/</u>

6. The Revolution Will Not Be Funded - <u>https://www.scribd.com/doc/131552016/The-</u> <u>Revolution-Will-Not-Be-Funded-Beyond-the-Non-Profit-Industrial-Complex</u>

7. Tribal / Band Council Corruption - <u>https://warriorpublications.wordpress.com/tag/band-</u> council-corruption/

8. The Illegitimacy of Violence, the Violence of Legitimacy - <u>https://crimethinc.com/2012/03/27/the-illegitimacy-of-violence-the-violence-of-legitimacy</u>