Clockwise from top left: Conference participants take to the streets in a rally; Council Board member Bill Moore-Kilgannon and National Chairperson Maude Barlow present Lois Frank with an “Activist of the Year” award; people participate in one of many workshops; at the rally; keynote speakers Linda McQuaig, Bill McKibben, Maude Barlow and Snuneymuxw First Nation Chief Douglas White.

Making Waves and Sinking the Harper Agenda in Nanaimo

Hundreds of people joined us in Nanaimo, B.C. in late October for a movement-building conference with environmental, health, youth, Indigenous and labour groups. The conference focused on ways we can work together to fight Prime Minister Harper’s austerity agenda and mining and pipeline projects which threaten our environment. Keynote speakers included Snuneymuxw Elder and Chief Douglas White, Maude Barlow, Linda McQuaig and Bill McKibben.