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#16: bubble-up interventions

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Today's show explores urban interventions bubbling from the bottom-up. [Mike Lydon](#) describes a few of the self-funded, self-organized initiatives that led to the Tactical Urbanism volumes. [David Winkler](#) de-mystifies the growing of food and tells why The Area is mixing urban agriculture, music, and neighbours. Vancouver-based architect [Michel Labrie](#) shares a food-growing concept you want to hang out in. And the show wraps up with a conversation about [SpontaneousInterventions](#) at the Venice Architecture Biennale with [Cathy Lang Ho](#), commissioner and curator, and co-curator [David van der Leer](#).

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The SpontaneousInterventions installation is comprised of 124 striped flags coded to reflect improvements each intervention addresses.

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These banners are suspended from scaffolding and can be pulled down to read.



A timeline is placed on the floor. A collection of video statements responding to hopes, dreams and concerns for the future screens on a wall. In one of the video statements about a dream city, artist [Fritz Haeg](#) comes to the conclusion that he'd prefer to be "an architect of removal" and an "artist of not doing". Another video statement by artist [Graham Coreil-Allen](#) offers a post-industrial vision complete with a Bill of Pedestrian Rights, urban agriculture, and highways as recreation districts.



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