RESILIENT RIVERSIDE

The Scenario

A city council is launching the "Resilient Riverside" project to address increasing flood risks along a river that runs through a densely populated urban area. The plan includes constructing new flood barriers, creating green buffer zones, relocating some homes and businesses from high-risk zones.

The area includes:
- A large population of low-income renters
- Several small, family-run businesses
- A long-established immigrant community
- A public housing estate with limited mobility access

Educate and Empower

1. What knowledge sharing and confidence building may have already happened around the issues underpinning your hypothetical scenario?

Explore

2. What topics may have already been explored with communities leading to this hypothetical initiative?
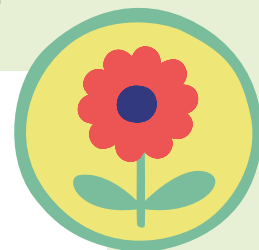
Scoping

3. Is there initial evidence of potential positive or negative impacts on specific groups? Who might benefit or be harmed? Do you need to consider the impacts of the initiative further?
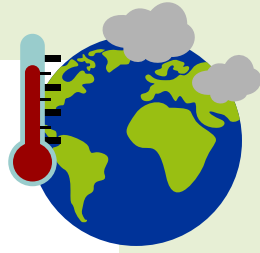
Information Gathering

4. What do you already know? What do you need to find out? How can access further information?
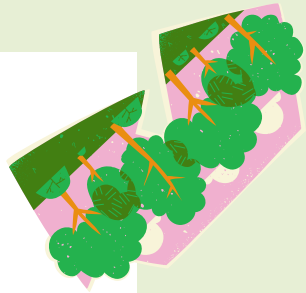
Conversations

5. How will you ensure all impacted voices are heard? What methods will you use to hold these conversations? What do you need to be cautious about?

Assessing Impact

6. What are the likely effects of this initiative on different groups? Are the impacts positive, negative, or neutral? Might there be unintended consequences?

Action Planning

7. What adaptations might be needed to the initiative? How can you reduce harm and maximise benefits?

Publish and Share

8. How will you share the initiative and any impact assessment with the community? Can you foresee any difficulties with this?

Monitor and Review

8. How will you track the impacts of the initiative over time? Who will be responsible for monitoring this?

Thank you for participating in this workshop. We would be grateful if you could take 5 minutes to provide some feedback on your experience by scanning this QR code.