Would your strategy work? Is it needed?

Research the feasibility of your strategy idea, and whether it’s needed. Interview 5 friends or family members in your community to get ideas for your proposal, or create a short Google form survey to collect ideas and learn more about the community’s need for a solution.

Consider the following questions as you are interviewing or surveying people:

1. Are you concerned about flooding in your community? Why or why not?
2. What areas are at risk for flooding in your community that you know of?
3. Explain the area you’ve identified as a risk area. Do you know anything about flood risk in this area?
4. Do you know what to do if a flood happens?
5. Do you know what resources are available if you need help? (ie. if you were in an area experiencing severe flooding, what would you do? Who would you call?)
6. Share your idea for a solution. What do you think of this solution?
7. Do you have ideas of what we can do in our community to be prepared for and mitigate the impacts of a flood?
8. Do you have ideas for solutions that I could implement to increase our community’s resilience to flooding?