

Issue Brief Worksheet

One issue or concern per worksheet

The Issue Brief is intended to be a basic way to share the "who, what, where, and why" of an issue, while leaving lots of room for articulating the: "I don't know" that always exists when we're just starting. *Tips: Work to define the problem, be careful not to jump to solutions. Follow the 3S's: Keep it simple, specific, and short. Don't share anything you wouldn't be comfortable with someone else reading.*

Our main concern:

Please share one or two sentences on the environmental concern your group is interested in exploring. *What is the specific concern your community is worried about?*

Obstacles:

Are there known obstacles you have in understanding more about this issue right now?

Who is engaged in this concern?

Are there people you know of who are currently working on this? Who in the community is typically left out of these conversations?

Supporting information:

Do you have more information you would like to share about the issue?

What are the initial questions?

Please list a couple initial questions you have about the issue. Think about what questions you have that, if answered, would help you be more informed about this issue.